## OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's Tariff to Revise Natural Gas Rate Schedules.

Case No. GR-2007-0208, et al.

## ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

Issue Date: June 20, 2007 Effective Date: June 20, 2007

On June 19, 2007, the Staff of the Commission, on behalf of the parties to this case that have been active in negotiations, filed a request to extend the filing date for rebuttal testimony, presently due on June 22, 2007. Staff relates that following the settlement conference held June 4-8, 2007, the participating parties have continued discussions and have made progress on some issues. Staff believes it is likely the parties will settle some of the issues, narrowing the scope of rebuttal testimony, and that it is also possible that a global settlement on all issues may be reached. The parties therefore request that the filing date for rebuttal testimony be extended to June 28, 2007. The parties also request an extension of the surrebuttal testimony filing date July 18, 2007.

The Commission has considered the requests and finds it reasonable to extend the filing deadlines for rebuttal and surrebuttal testimony.

## IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- The Parties Request to Extend Date for Rebuttal Testimony Filing is granted.
  - 2. Rebuttal testimony shall be filed no later than June 28, 2007.
  - 3. Surrebuttal testimony shall be filed no later than July 18, 2007.

4. This order shall become effective on June 20, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 20th day of June, 2007.