

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Atmos Energy Corporation and Liberty Energy (Midstates) Corp. for Authority to Sell Certain Missouri Assets to Liberty Energy (Midstates) Corp. and, in Connection Therewith, Certain Other Related Transactions. ) ) ) **File No. GM-2012-0037** ) )

**ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE AND SETTING  
DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF INTERVENTION REQUESTS**

Issue Date: August 2, 2011

Effective Date: August 2, 2011

On August 1, 2011, Atmos Energy Corporation (“Atmos”) and Liberty Energy (Midstates) Corp. (“Liberty”) filed an application. That application requests, among other things, authority from the Commission for Liberty to buy Atmos’ natural gas and natural gas transportation systems.

The Commission finds that notice of this application should be given to the general public and interested parties and a date for intervention of proper parties should be set. The Commission’s Data Center shall mail a copy of this notice to the County Commissions of the Counties of: Adair, Bates, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Cass, Clark, Dunklin, Henry, Iron, Knox, Lewis, Macon, Marion, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Pike, Ralls, Ripley, Schuyler, Scotland, Scott, St. Clair, Stoddard, and Wayne, and to the Department of Natural Resources of the State of Missouri. In addition, the Commission’s public information officer shall make notice of this order available to the media serving the above-referenced counties and to the members of the General Assembly representing those counties.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Missouri Public Service Commission's Data Center is ordered to serve notice as described in the body of this order.

2. The Missouri Public Service Commission's information officer is ordered to serve notice as described in the body of this order.

3. Any person wishing to intervene in this matter shall file an application no later than August 22, 2011. Such applications shall be filed with:

Secretary  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
Post Office Box 360  
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

4. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

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Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2011.