

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

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Southern )  
Union Company d/b/a Missouri Gas Energy, )  
The Laclede Group, Inc., and Laclede Gas )  
Company for an Order Authorizing the Sale, )  
Transfer, and Assignment of Certain Assets and )  
Liabilities from Southern Union Company to )  
Laclede Gas Company and, in Connection )  
Therewith, Certain other Related Transactions )

**File No. GM-2013-0254**

**ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO FILE  
PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

Issue Date: March 22, 2013

Effective Date: March 22, 2013

In a previous order, the Commission directed the parties to file a proposed procedural schedule by March 22, 2013. Following a technical conference held on March 18, Southern Union Company d/b/a Missouri Gas Energy, Laclede Group, Inc., Laclede Gas Company, and the Commission's Staff filed a motion asking the Commission to extend the time to file a proposed procedural schedule until April 15. The motion explains that pending further discovery, exchange of information and discussions it is premature to recommend the establishment of a procedural schedule. The motion represents that the parties that did not join in the motion have indicated they do not oppose the request for extension of time.

Given the agreement of the parties, the Commission will grant the motion.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The parties shall file either a proposed procedural schedule or a status report no later than April 15, 2013.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Shelley Brueggemann  
Acting Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2013.