

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

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Southern)
Missouri Gas Company, L.P., d/b/a Southern Missouri)
Natural Gas and Missouri Gas Utility, Inc., for Approval) **File No. GM-2011-0354**
of the Merger of Southern Missouri Natural Gas with) **Tariff No. YG-2012-0399**
Missouri Gas Utility, Inc., and for Certain Related)
Transactions.)

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

Issue Date: March 16, 2012

Effective Date: March 24, 2012

On April 27, 2011, Southern Missouri Gas Company, L.P., d/b/a Southern Missouri Natural Gas (“SMNG”) and Missouri Gas Utility (“MGU”) filed an application. That application requests, among other things, authority from the Commission for SMNG and MGU to merge, with MGU as the surviving entity. The parties filed a Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement on September 15, 2011, which the Commission approved on September 28, 2011.

On February 23, 2012, Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. (“Summit”) informed the Commission that SMNG has merged with Summit. MGU has changed its name to Summit. Summit filed tariff sheets that purport to adopt MGU’s Missouri tariffs. Those tariff sheets bear an effective date of March 24, 2012.

Staff filed a Recommendation on March 15, 2012. Staff recommends that the Commission approve the tariffs.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The tariff Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. filed on February 23, 2012, which was assigned tariff number YG-2012-0399, is approved to become effective on March 24, 2012. The tariff approved is:

P.S.C. MO No. 2

**Original Sheet Title, *Cancelling P.S.C. MO No. 1*, Original Sheet Title
Original Sheet No. A, *Cancelling P.S.C. MO No. 1*, 2nd Revised Sheet No. A**

2. This order shall become effective on March 24, 2012.
3. This case may be closed on March 25, 2012.

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 16th day of March, 2012.