

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

In the Matter of Spire Missouri, Inc.            )  
d/b/a Spire (East) Purchased Gas            )       GR-2021-0127  
Adjustment (PGA) Tariff Filing            )

**STATUS REPORT OF ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND**

Environmental Defense Fund (“EDF”), an intervenor herein, provides its status report as required by the Order Directing a Settlement or Procedural Schedule, dated November 21, 2022.

As the EDF comments of August 1, 2022 indicate, there are large issues in this case. They include among other issues the prudence of the Spire Missouri, Inc. (“Company”) purchases from, and reliance on, affiliate Spire STL Pipeline (“Affiliate Pipeline”) for critical service while potential significant FERC Pipeline certification risks existed, and questions of compliance with the State’s affiliate transaction rules.

EDF has exchanged settlement communications with the Company, but to date no settlement has been reached. EDF has agreed with the Company and other parties on a proposed procedural schedule, which it understands the Company will file.

Respectfully submitted,  
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**Certificate of Service**

The undersigned certifies I have caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing status report to be served on Spire Missouri, Inc., Midwest Energy Consumers Group, and Consumers Council of Missouri, the General Counsel of the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and the Office of Public Counsel by email on this 19th day of December, 2022.



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