

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Southern Missouri Gas)
Company, L.P., d/b/a Southern Missouri Natural Gas, for)
Authority to Issue Approximately \$10 Million in Equity) **Case No. GF-2007-0215**
Capital and Approximately \$50 Million In Notes and Other)
Forms of Indebtedness.)

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

Issue Date: February 4, 2008

Effective Date: February 4, 2008

On February 1, 2008, Southern Missouri Gas Company, L.P., d/b/a Southern Missouri Natural Gas, filed a request for a one-week extension for the filing of the Staff of the Commission's recommendation concerning SMNG's Second Amended Application. Staff's recommendation is currently due on February 4, 2008. In support of its request, SMNG states that discussions with Staff regarding supplemental information and/or clarifications are continuing, and that a one-week extension for the Staff recommendation is necessary for SMNG to complete its provision of such information and clarifications. SMNG further states that Staff does not oppose this request for additional time.

The Commission has considered SMNG's request and finds that it is reasonable to extend the filing deadline for Staff's recommendation.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Request for One Week Extension for the Filing of Staff Recommendation, filed by Southern Missouri Gas Company, L.P., d/b/a Southern Missouri Natural Gas, is granted.

2. The Commission Staff shall file its recommendation regarding the Second Amended Application no later than February 11, 2008.

3. This order shall become effective on February 4, 2008.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', is positioned above the printed name and title.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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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 4th day of February, 2008.