

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

In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's        )  
Annual November PGA/ACA Filing.            )        **Case No. GR-2011-0055**

**STAFF RESPONSE TO LACLEDE STATUS REPORT**

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) in Response to Laclede Gas Company's (Laclede) May 1, 2012 Status Report filed in this case, Staff states:

1. In its January 12, 2012 Order, the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) directed Laclede to file a Status Report concerning its litigation in St. Charles County Circuit Court against MoGas Pipeline LLC.

2. On May 1, Laclede filed its Status Report indicating the litigation is ongoing and there is a possibility the Court will issue an order sometime in the next two months.

3. Accordingly Laclede requested the Commission order Laclede to file a Status Report on or before June 29, 2012.

4. Staff concurs in this request.

**WHEREFORE**, Staff suggests that Laclede's proposal is reasonable in these circumstances, and joins in the request the Commission order Laclede to file a Status Report in this matter on or before June 29, 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to all counsel of record this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2012.

**/s/ Lera L. Shemwell**