

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 8th day of January, 2014.

In the Matter of)	
Summit Natural Gas of Missouri Inc.'s)	File No. GR-2014-0086
Filing of Revised Tariffs To Increase its)	Tracking No. YG-2012-0285
Annual Revenues For Natural Gas Service)	

**NOTICE OF CONTESTED CASE AND
ORDER SUSPENDING TARIFF AND DELEGATING AUTHORITY**

Issue Date: January 8, 2014

Effective Date: January 8, 2014

The Missouri Public Service Commission is suspending the tariff sheets ("tariffs"), giving notice of a contested case, and delegating authority. Summit Natural Gas of Missouri Inc. filed the tariffs on January 2, 2014, seeking a 26.5% revenue increase in the amount of \$7,472,131. The tariffs bear a proposed effective date of February 1, 2014.

A. Suspension

The tariff effective dates allow insufficient time for the Commission to determine whether the tariffs are just and reasonable, as the law requires,¹ so the Commission will suspend the tariffs.² The Commission may suspend a tariff for 120 days beyond the tariff's effective date.³ If that period is not enough time to conclude a full hearing on the tariff's propriety, the Commission may extend the suspension for a further six months.⁴ The

¹ Section 393.190.1, RSMo Supp. 2012.

² Section 393.150, RSMo 2000.

³ Section 393.150.1, RSMo 2000.

⁴ Section 393.150.2, RSMo 2000.

Commission's experience demonstrates that it cannot conclude a full hearing on the tariff's propriety in 120 days, so the Commission will order a six month extension of the suspension.

B. Notice of Contested Case

Suspension of the tariff may occur only pending a "full" hearing and decision on the tariff's propriety.⁵ The provision for a full pre-decision hearing signifies that this action is now a "contested case."⁶ A contested case is a formal hearing procedure, but it allows for waiver of procedural formalities⁷ and a decision without a hearing,⁸ including by stipulation and agreement.⁹ This order and notice does not require any party to file an answer. The Commission's discovery regulations are at Commission regulation 4 CSR 240-2.090.

C. Delegation as to Discovery

The Commission may delegate any adjudicative authority to the regulatory law judge assigned to this action.¹⁰ To ensure that all discovery disputes are ruled upon expeditiously, the Commission will delegate its authority to the Regulatory Law Judge to rule on discovery disputes raised at the discovery conferences and to rule on all motions to compel discovery. The Commission will set forth further provisions for discovery by separate order.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The tariff sheets assigned Tracking No. YG-2014-0285 are suspended. The tariff sheets suspended are specified in the Appendix to this order. The specified tariff sheets are

⁵ Section 393.150.1, RSMo 2000.

⁶ Section 536.010(4), RSMo Supp. 2012.

⁷ Section 536.060(3), RSMo 2000.

⁸ Section 536.060, RSMo 2000.

⁹ 4 CSR 240-2.115.

¹⁰ Section 386.240, RSMo, 2000.

suspended from February 1, 2014, for 120 days to June 1, 2014; and that period is extended an additional six months to December 1, 2014.

2. The regulatory law judge assigned to this action has full authority to rule on any discovery disputes, including any motion to compel, and including a ruling at any discovery conference.

3. This order shall become effective upon issuance.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

R. Kenney, Chm., Stoll, W. Kenney,
and Hall, CC., concur.

Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge

APPENDIX

The specific tariff sheets suspended are:

P.S.C. MO. No. 3

Original Sheet No. 1	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 6th revised Sheet No. 1
Original Sheet No. 2	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 4th revised Sheet No. 2
Original Sheet No. 3	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 4th revised Sheet No. 3
Original Sheet No. 3A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 5th revised Sheet No. 3A
Original Sheet No. 3B	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 3B
Original Sheet No. 3C	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 2nd revised Sheet No. v
Original Sheet No. 3D	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 Original Sheet No. v.1
Original Sheet No. 4	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 5th revised Sheet No. 4
Original Sheet No. 4A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 6th revised Sheet 4A
Original Sheet No. 4B	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 Original Sheet No. 4D
Original Sheet No. 4C	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 Original Sheet No. 4E
Original Sheet No. 4D	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 Original Sheet No. vi
Original Sheet No. 4E	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 1st revised Sheet No. vii
Original Sheet No. 4F	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 1st revised Sheet No. viii
Original Sheet No. 4G	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 Original Sheet No. ix
Original Sheet No. 4H	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 2nd revised Sheet No. x
Original Sheet No. 4I	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 Original Sheet No. xiii
Original Sheet No. 4J	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 Original Sheet No. xi
Original Sheet No. 4K	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 Original Sheet No. xii
Original Sheet No. 5	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 5
Original Sheet No. 6	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 6
Original Sheet No. 7	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 7
Original Sheet No. 8	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 10
Original Sheet No. 9	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 4th revised Sheet No. 11
Original Sheet No. 10	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 Original Sheet No. 11A
Original Sheet No. 11	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 2nd revised Sheet No. 1
Original Sheet No. 12		
Original Sheet No. 13	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 3rd Revised Sheet No. 1.1
Original Sheet No. 14		
Original Sheet No. 15	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 13
Original Sheet No. 15A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 2nd revised Sheet No. 14
Original Sheet No. 16	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 15
Original Sheet No. 16A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 16
Original Sheet No. 17	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 Original Sheet No. 15A
Original Sheet No. 17A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 Original Sheet No. 16A
Original Sheet No. 18	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 2nd revised Sheet No. 1.2
Original Sheet No. 19		
Original Sheet No. 20	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 17
Original Sheet No. 20A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 2nd revised Sheet No. 18
Original Sheet No. 21	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 19
Original Sheet No. 21A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 20

Original Sheet No. 22	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 Original Sheet No. 19A
Original Sheet No. 22A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 Original Sheet No. 20A
Original Sheet No. 23	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 2nd revised Sheet No. 2
Original Sheet No. 23A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 2 Original Sheet No. 3
Original Sheet No. 24		
Original Sheet No. 24A		
Original Sheet No. 25	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 24
Original Sheet No. 26	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 3rd revised Sheet No. 23
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Original Sheet No. 35	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 2 nd revised Sheet No. 29
Original Sheet No. 36	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 29A
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Original Sheet No. 39	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 33
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Original Sheet No. 40	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 34
Original Sheet No. 41	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 35
Original Sheet No. 42	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 36
Original Sheet No. 43	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 2nd revised Sheet No. 37
Original Sheet No. 43A	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 37A
Original Sheet No. 43B	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 37B
Original Sheet No. 43C	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 37C
Original Sheet No. 44	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 38
Original Sheet No. 45	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 2nd revised Sheet No. 39
Original Sheet No. 46	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 40
Original Sheet No. 47	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 41
Original Sheet No. 48	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 42
Original Sheet No. 49	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 43
Original Sheet No. 50	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 44
Original Sheet No. 51	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 1st revised Sheet No. 45
Original Sheet No. 52	Cancelling	P.S.C. MO No. 1 2nd revised Sheet No. 46
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