

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

In the Matter of Atmos Energy Corporation's Tariff)
Revision Designed to Consolidate Rates and)
Implement a General Rate Increase for Natural Gas)
Service in the Missouri Service Area of Atmos.) **Case No. GR-2006-0387**

ORDER ESTABLISHING DEADLINE FOR RESPONSES

Issue Date: January 6, 2009

Effective Date: January 6, 2009

On November 24, 2008, Atmos Energy Corporation ("Atmos") filed an Annual Report pursuant to the Commission's directive in its February 22, 2007 Report and Order. On December 4, 2008, the Office of the Public Counsel ("Public Counsel") filed a response claiming Atmos' filing was not in compliance with the Commission's Order and requesting an investigation. On January 5, 2009, the Commission's Staff replied to Public Counsel's response. The Commission shall now establish a deadline for any surreplies to Staff's reply.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Any party wishing to file a surreply to the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission's January 5, 2009 reply shall file such surreply no later than January 15, 2009.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written in a cursive style.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Harold Stearley, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 6th day of January, 2009.