

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

Charles A. Harter,)	
)	
v.)	<u>File No. GC-2010-0217</u>
)	
Laclede Gas Company,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

**NOTICE AND
ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSE**

Issue Date: May 18, 2010

Effective Date: May 18, 2010

On May 18, 2010, Charles A. Harter filed a request to restrain Laclede Gas Company from disconnecting his service. Although pursuing this complaint pro se, Complaint is an attorney. The Commission therefore notifies the parties that Commission rule 13.045 may govern Complainant's concern and the parties should therefore refer to that rule for guidance.

Additionally, because of the apparent urgency of Complainant's request, the Commission will require Laclede to immediately file a response.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Laclede Gas Company shall file a response to Complainant's request, filed on May 18, 2010, no later than May 21, 2010.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 18th day of May, 2010.