BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's) 2009-2010 Actual Cost Adjustment Filing) Case No. GR-2011-0055

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO CANCEL PREHEARING CONFERENCE AND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE FILING DATE

Issue Date: February 14, 2013 Effective Date: February 14, 2013

On February 6, 2013¹, the Commission set a prehearing conference for February 19. On February 13, Staff, Laclede Gas Company ("Laclede") and the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC") filed a Request to Cancel Prehearing Conference and Procedural Filing Date.

The parties explain that it is premature to convene a prehearing conference due to pending Laclede cases for prior ACA periods. This case cannot be properly concluded until those prior cases are concluded, according to the parties.

The parties further state that Laclede agreed with Staff's recommendations under the heading Natural Gas Supply Request for Proposal (RFP) Process, Items 1, 2 and 3 (See Sections !!.A.1, II.A.2, and WWA.3 of Staff's Recommendation and Laclede's Response). Laclede states that it commits to implement these three Staff recommendations prior to its RFP process in 2013 for gas supply for the 2013-2014 period.

The Commission takes up the motion unopposed, finds it reasonable, and will grant it.

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¹ Calendar references are to 2013 unless otherwise stated.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The prehearing conference is canceled.
- 2. Laclede Gas Company shall implement the three Staff recommendations listed above prior to its RFP process in 2013 for gas supply for the 2013-2014 period.
 - 3. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Shelley Brueggemann Acting Secretary

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Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 14th day of February, 2013.