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

In the Matter of the General Rate	)	
Increase Tariffs for Missouri Gas	)	GR-2014-0007
Energy, a Division of Laclede Gas	)	
Company	)	

## APPLICATION FOR ORDER ALLOWING INTERVENTION OF UNITED STATES GYPSUM CORPORATION AS PART OF MIDWEST GAS USERS' ASSOCIATION

Comes now UNITED STATES GYPSUM CORPORATION ("USG") and pursuant to 4 C.S.R. 240-2.075 applies to intervene herein and become a party hereto as a part of Midwest Gas Users' Association. In support thereof, USG respectfully states:

- 1. USG operates a facility in Kansas City, Missouri where it is provided transportation service by the Applicant.
- 2. An Application to Intervene was previously filed herein by Midwest Gas Users' Association ("Midwest"). Midwest indicated that additional companies might choose to join in its intervention effort. After that Application was filed, a representative of USG, who had been on vacation, contacted undersigned counsel and requested inclusion in Midwest's intervention.

  Counsel for Midwest previously indicated that, should that occur, a separate intervention application would be filed.
- 3. Although technically untimely, USG's application should be merged with the timely-filed application of Midwest as

though it had been listed in footnote 1 of that application. It is not believed that harm will result to any party as a result of this minimal delay.

- 4. USG's interests are the same as that of Midwest generally. Joinder in that timely-filed application is, therefore, appropriate, will promote efficiency and will be of convenience to the Commission and not harmful to any party.
- 5. In other respects, USG incorporates by reference Midwesst's earlier Application to Intervene.

WHEREFORE, USG prays: (a) that it be permitted to intervene herein and join in the earlier intervention of Midwest

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Gas Users' Association on similar grounds; and (b) for all other needful and proper relief.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served the foregoing pleading by U.S. mail, postage prepaid addressed to all parties by their attorneys of record as disclosed by reference to EFIS.

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Dated: October 21, 2013