

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

The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission,)	
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Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	<u>Case No. GC-2011-0098</u>
)	
Laclede Gas Company <i>et al.</i> ,)	
)	
Respondents.)	

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and for its monthly status report pursuant to the Commission's Order of August 5, 2011, hereby reports to the Commission that the parties recently convened a face-to-face negotiation session that resulted in certain documents which the Staff is currently reviewing. These documents were designed to resolve this and several other outstanding matters involving this utility.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will accept its Status Report.

Respectfully submitted,

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