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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Missouri Public
Service Commission

In the Matter of Aquila, Inc. d/b/a Aquila)
Networks - L&P's Purchased Gas Adjustment) Case No. GR-2002-468
Factors to be Reviewed in its Actual Cost)
Adjustment for 2001-2002.)

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
FOR STAFF TO FILE ITS RECOMMENDATION

Comes now Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks - L&P ("L&P"), and, as its Motion for Extension of Time for Staff to File Its Recommendation, states to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") as follows:

1. On November 14, 2002, the Commission issued its Order Approving Interim Rates and Setting Time for Staff to File Its Recommendation Regarding ACA Accounts, wherein, among other things, the Commission directed the Staff to file its recommendation regarding L&P's 2001-2002 ACA accounts no later than July 15, 2003.

2. The Commission Staff has made several requests for information that it represents are necessary for the completion of the Staff recommendation. Because of L&P personnel availability issues, L&P will not be able to supply responses to three of those Staff requests sufficiently in advance of July 15, 2003, to allow the Staff to file its recommendation as of that date.

3. Accordingly, L&P requests that the Commission extend the time for the Staff to file its recommendation from July 15, 2003, until August 8, 2003. L&P believes that it will be in a position to provide the information requested by Staff by July 18, 2003. This should allow sufficient time for the filing of a Staff recommendation by August 8, 2003.

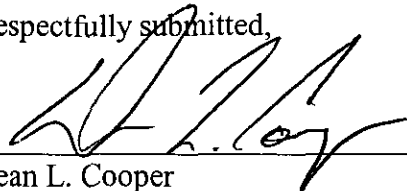
4. Counsel for the Commission Staff and the Office of the Public Counsel have stated

that they have no objection to this motion.

WHEREFORE, L&P requests a Commission order:

- a) directing the Commission Staff to file its recommendation concerning Aquila, Inc.
d/b/a Aquila Networks - L&P's 2001-2002 ACA accounts no later than August 8,
2003; and,
- b) granting such further relief as is consistent with the relief requested herein.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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