

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

In the Matter of the Adequacy of Laclede Gas                     )  
Company's Service Line Replacement Program                 ) **Case No. GO-99-155**  
and Leak Survey Procedures.   )

**Dissenting Opinion of Chairman Steve Gaw**

I respectfully dissent from the Order Continuing Requirements of Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement issued by the majority in this proceeding. I continue to be concerned that Laclede has not been aggressive enough in its service line replacement program.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Steve Gaw  
Chairman

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2004.