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# **REBUTTAL TESTIMONY**

OF

### **TED ROBERTSON**

Submitted on Behalf of the Office of the Public Counsel

## **MISSOURI GAS ENERGY**

Case No. GR-2009-0355

Denotes Highly Confidential Information that has been redacted

September 28, 2009

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

| In the Matter of Missouri Gas Energy's   |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Tariff Sheets Designed to Increase Rates |                       |
| for Gas Service in the Company's         | Case No. GR-2009-0355 |
| Missouri Service Area.                   |                       |

#### **AFFIDAVIT OF TED ROBERTSON**

| STATE OF MISSOURI | ) |    |
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| COUNTY OF COLE    | ) |    |

Ted Robertson, of lawful age and being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

- 1. My name is Ted Robertson. I am a Public Utility Accountant for the Office of the Public Counsel.
- 2. Attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes is my rebuttal testimony.
- 3. I hereby swear and affirm that my statements contained in the attached testimony are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Ted Robertson, C.P.A.

Public Utility Accountant III

Subscribed and sworn to me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2009.

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JERENE A. BUCKMAN My Commission Expires August 23, 2013 Cole County Commission #09754037

Jerene A. Buckman Notary Public

My Commission expires August 23, 2013.

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| 5<br>6<br>7      |     | MISSOURI GAS ENERGY<br>CASE NO. GR-2009-0355  |
| 8                | I.  | INTRODUCTION  |
| 9                | Q.  | PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.  |
| 10               | A.  | Ted Robertson, P. O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102.                      |
| 11               |     |   |
| 12               | Q.  | ARE YOU THE SAME TED ROBERTSON THAT HAS PREVIOUSLY FILED                            |
| 13               |     | DIRECT TESTIMONY IN THIS CASE?  |
| 14               | A.  | Yes.  |
| 15               |     |   |
| 16               | Q.  | WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR REBUTTAL TESTIMONY?                                     |
| 17               | A.  | The purpose of this rebuttal testimony is to address the appropriate level of costs |
| 18               |     | associated with Missouri Gas Energy's ("MGE" or "Company") Financial Accounting     |
| 19               |     | Standards Board Statement of Accounting Financial Standards No. 106 -               |
| 20               |     | Postretirement Benefits Other Than Pensions ("FASB" or "OPEB" or "SFAS 106")        |
| 21               |     | funding, Former Manufactured Gas Plant Remediation ("FMGP"), Kansas Property        |
| 22               |     | Tax Accounting Authority Order ("AAO"), and Infinium Software Amortization.         |
| 23               |     |   |
| 24               | 11. | FASB 106 FUNDING  |
| 25               | Q.  | WHAT IS COMPANY'S POSITION ON THIS ISSUE?   |

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