BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Southern Missouri Gas Company, L.P. Request for a Small Company Rate Increase File No. GR-2010-0347

ORDER SUSPENDING SCHEDULE

Issue Date: January 12, 2011

Effective Date: January 12, 2011

Tracking No. JG-2011-0253

The Missouri Public Service Commission is granting the *Joint Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule* ("motion") that Southern Missouri Gas Company, L.P. ("the company") and Staff filed on January 12, 2011. Staff and the Company ask the Commission to suspend the procedural schedule and any other current filing obligation. In support, Staff and the Company represent that all parties have reached an agreement in principle that will resolve all disputed matters in this action. On that representation, the Commission will grant the motion.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Joint Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule is granted.

2. The procedural schedule, and any other current filing obligation, is suspended.

3. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

Daniel Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 12th day of January, 2011.

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