

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

In the Matter of the Missouri Gas)	Case No. GR-2015-0203
Energy's (Laclede) PGA Filing)	Tracking No. YG-2016-0110

**PUBLIC COUNSEL'S RESPONSE
TO THE STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION**

COMES NOW the Office of the Public Counsel, and for its Response to the Staff's Recommendation, states that Public Counsel has no objections to the recommendation that the Commission approve the change to Missouri Gas Energy's PGA tariff to become effective on November 6, 2015, or as soon thereafter as reasonably practical, on an interim basis, subject to refund, and that the Commission order Staff to file the results of its ACA review in this docket no later than December 16, 2016.

WHEREFORE, the Office of the Public Counsel respectfully offers this response to the Staff's Recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, emailed or hand-delivered to all counsel of record this 3rd day of November 2015.

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