

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

In the Matter of the Application of Southern                    )  
Union Company d/b/a Missouri Gas Energy,                    )  
The Laclede Group, Inc. and Laclede Gas Company            )  
for an Order Authorizing Sale, Transfer, and                    )  
Assignment of Certain Assets and Liabilities                    )  
from Southern Union Company to Laclede Gas                    )  
Company and, in Connection Therewith, Certain                )  
other Related Transactions    )

**Case No. GM-2013-0254**

**MOTION FOR ONE DAY EXTENSION OF TIME AND STATUS REPORT**

COME NOW Southern Union Company d/b/a Missouri Gas Energy (“SUG”), the Laclede Group, Inc. (“LG”), Laclede Gas Company (“Laclede Gas”) and the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”) and for their motion and status report to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) state the following:

1. On March 22, 2013, the Commission issued an Order Extending Time to File Proposed Procedural Schedule (“Order”). The Order extended the time for filing a Procedural Schedule in this case until April 15, 2013.
2. The parties to this case continue to discuss issues related to the Joint Application in an effort to present to the Commission an agreement that would limit issues or make an evidentiary hearing unnecessary. Additionally, the parties identified above have exchanged information and engaged in formal and informal discovery activities and they continue to do so.
3. The undersigned parties believe that it would be helpful to have an additional two (2) weeks to undertake further discovery, exchanges of information and discussions prior to establishing a formal procedural schedule. At the end of two weeks, the parties will either submit a proposed procedural schedule or a status report for the Commission’s consideration.

4. Accordingly, the undersigned parties respectfully request that the Commission issue an order establishing Monday, April 29, 2013, as the date on or before which the parties shall either file a proposed procedural schedule or another status report.

**WHEREFORE**, the undersigned parties move the Commission order the relief requested in paragraph 4 *supra* and grant the extension of time to file this status report.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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