

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

In the Matter of the Application of Laclede Gas )  
Company to Transfer an Asset to Spire Pipeline, Inc. ) **File No. GM-2017-0018**

## ORDER STAYING PROCEEDINGS

Issue Date: April 10, 2017

Effective Date: April 10, 2017

This case concerns Laclede Gas Company's application for authority to sell a section of natural gas pipeline to an affiliated company, Spire STL Pipeline, LLC. On March 29, 2017, Laclede filed a motion asking the Commission to stay these proceedings until Spire STL Pipeline decides whether it still wants to purchase the pipeline from Laclede. Spire STL Pipeline has informed the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) that it now prefers an alternative route for its proposed pipeline that will not require the purchase of a section of Laclede's pipeline. Laclede anticipates a final decision on whether to proceed with the pipeline purchase will be made by May 1, 2017. Laclede indicates it will either dismiss its application by that date, or will file a status report on that date. No party has responded to Laclede's motion.

The Commission finds that Laclede's motion to stay these proceedings is reasonable. That motion will be granted.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Laclede Gas Company's Renewed Motion to Stay Proceedings is granted.
2. Laclede Gas Company shall either dismiss its application by May 1, 2017, or shall file a status report on that date describing any relevant developments.

3. This order shall be effective when issued.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
under Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2017.

**STATE OF MISSOURI**

**OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.**

**WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 2017.**



  
**Morris L. Woodruff**  
**Secretary**

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

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***Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).***

***Sincerely,***



**Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary**

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