

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

Jacqueline Jackson,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. GC-2008-0277
	)	
Laclede Gas Company,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff (“Staff”) of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) and respectfully states as follows:

1. In its February 26, 2008 *Order Directing Filing*, the Commission directed the Staff to investigate Ms. Jackson’s complaint against Laclede Gas Company (“Laclede”) and to file a recommendation on or before April 26, 2008.

2. Laclede has informed the Staff that the Company and Ms. Jackson have reached a settlement in principle, but that additional time will be needed to enable the parties to conclude this matter. Accordingly, the Staff submits that the April 26 deadline for the filing of a Staff recommendation is no longer appropriate and that, in the unlikely event that a Staff recommendation will ultimately be required, a reasonable delay in the filing deadline is warranted.

WHEREFORE, in order to accommodate the settlement process, the Staff respectfully requests that the Commission issue an Order extending, until May 12, 2008, the time for filing a Staff recommendation, should such a filing prove necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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