BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's)	
Application for a Variance from the)	File No. GE-2014-0181
Commission's January 12, 2011 Order)	
Regarding the Timing of CAM Annual Reports)	

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION FOR VARIANCE REGARDING TIMING OF CAM ANNUAL REPORTS

Issue Date: December 9, 2013 Effective Date: December 9, 2013

On December 9, 2013, Laclede Gas Company ("Laclede") filed an application seeking a variance from the Commission's January 12, 2011 Order ("2011 Order") in File No. GE-2011-0171, which required Laclede to file affiliate transaction records for the last fiscal year by December 15. Since the 2011 Order was incorporated into Laclede's Cost Allocation Manual ("CAM"), which was subsequently approved by the Commission in an August 14, 2013 Order in File No. GC-2011-0098 *et. al* ("2013 Order"), Laclede is also requesting a variance from its CAM and the 2013 Order. Laclede specifically requests an additional four days to file its CAM Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2013 by December 20, 2013.

Laclede states that it is currently involved in a general rate case and matters concerning the integration of Laclede and MGE. Laclede states the additional four days will ensure an accurate filing. Laclede also states that the Staff of the Public Service Commission and the Office of Public Counsel were contacted concerning Laclede's request and neither objected to the four day extension.

Finding good cause exists for the granting of a variance, the Commission will grant Laclede's application and extend the current December 15, 2013 deadline for the filing of Fiscal Year 2013 CAM Annual Report to December 20, 2013.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Laclede Gas Company is granted a variance from its CAM and the Commission's January 12, 2011 Order in File No. GE-2011-0171 and August 14, 2013 Order in File No. GC-2011-0098 *et. al*, so that it may file its Fiscal Year 2013 CAM Annual Report no later than December 20, 2013.
 - 2. This Order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Kim S. Burton, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 9th day of December, 2013.