

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

In the Matter of the Application of Liberty Utilities (Midstates Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities (MNG) to Change Its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge)))
)	<u>File No. GT-2021-0073</u>	
)	Tariff No. YG-2021-0137	
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**ORDER GRANTING THE JOINT MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF
TIME TO FILE A RECOMMENDATION AND CHANGING THE
DEADLINES FOR RESPONSIVE FILINGS**

Issue Date: February 25, 2021

Effective Date: February 25, 2021

On February 25, 2021, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and Liberty Utilities (Midstates Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty filed their *Joint Motion for Extension of Time to File Report and Recommendation*. In support of their motion they state that effective August 28, 2020, Section 393.1015.2(2), RSMo, changed to allow Staff to submit its report 90 days after the application was filed. The joint motion also states that Section 393.1015.2(3), RSMo, changed to allow the Commission to issue an order 180 days after the petition is filed. Accordingly, the Commission must issue its order in this case to be effective no later than June 29, 2021.

Therefore, the Commission will grant the motion for an extension and adjust the responsive filing deadlines.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than March 31, 2021, Staff shall file its recommendation regarding Liberty Utilities' ISRS application.
2. No later than March 31, 2021, the Office of the Public Counsel and any other party shall file any objections or hearing requests.

3. No later than April 5, 2021, Liberty Utilities shall respond to Staff's recommendation and any other objections or recommendations.

4. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

John T. Clark, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 25th day of February, 2021.