BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Southern Union Company,)
d/b/a Missouri Gas Energy's Tariff Proposal)
to Assess Security Deposit on New Service) File No. GT-2011-0375
Applicants that Receive a Credit Score of	Tariff No. JG-2011-0565
724 or Below.	j

ORDER DIRECTING THE PARTIES TO FILE A STATUS REPORT

Issue Date: August 1, 2011 Effective Date: August 1, 2011

On May 17, 2011, the Office of the Public Counsel filed a motion asking the Commission to suspend a tariff submitted by Southern Union Company, d/b/a Missouri Gas Energy (MGE). Thus far, MGE has not responded to Public Counsel's motion and the Commission has taken no action on that motion. However, MGE has voluntarily extended the effective date of the tariff until August 10.

On July 21, Public Counsel filed a status report indicating that it is working with MGE to settle the dispute and anticipated filing a settlement agreement for the Commission's approval by the next week. The parties have not yet filed such a settlement agreement.

The Commission will direct the parties to file a second report to explain the status of MGE's tariff and to indicate whether any further action by the Commission is required.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The parties shall file a report no later than August 4, 2011, explaining the status of Missouri Gas Energy's tariff and indicating whether any further action by the Commission is required.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

(SEAL)

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 1st day of August, 2011.