

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File,  
Case No. GR-2010-0171, File No. YG-2011-0074 Laclede Gas Company

FROM: Thomas M. Imhoff, Energy Department - Tariffs/Rate Design

<u>/s/ Thomas M. Imhoff    08/23/10</u> Energy Department/Date	<u>/s/ Lera Shemwell        08/23/10</u> Staff Counsel's Office/Date
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SUBJECT: Staff Recommendation on Laclede Gas Company's Tariff Sheets Filed to Comply with the  
Commission's August 18, 2010 Report and Order

DATE: August 23, 2010

On August 18, 2010, the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) issued its Report and Order (Order) in Case No. GR-2010-0171. This Order approved two Stipulations and Agreements which resulted in a natural gas general rate increase for Laclede Gas Company (Laclede or Company) customers.

On August 18, 2010, Laclede filed tariff sheets to comply with the Order.

In its letter of transmittal accompanying the August 18, 2010 compliance filing, Laclede requests an effective date of September 1, 2010, which is less than the standard 30-day period, but which complies with the Commission's Order.

The Commission's Energy Department - Tariffs/Rate Design Staff (Staff) has reviewed each of the tariff sheets, filed by Laclede on August 18, 2010, and is of the opinion that these sheets are in compliance with the Commission's Order. Therefore, Staff recommends that the tariff sheets filed August 18, 2010, be approved to become effective on and after September 1, 2010.

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Seventeenth Revised Sheet No. 2, Cancelling Sixteenth Revised Sheet No. 2  
Thirteenth Revised Sheet No. 3, Cancelling Twelfth Revised Sheet No. 3  
Third Revised Sheet No. 3-a, Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 3-a  
Third Revised Sheet No. 3-b, Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 3-b  
Sixteenth Revised Sheet No. 4, Cancelling Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 4  
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Fourth Revised Sheet No. R-45, Cancelling Third Revised Sheet No. R-45  
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The Staff has verified that Laclede has filed its annual report and is not delinquent on any assessment. Staff is not aware of any other matter before the Commission that affects or is affected by this filing.

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

In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's	)	
Tariff to Increase Its Annual Revenues	)	Case No. GR-2010-0171
for Natural Gas Service	)	

**AFFIDAVIT OF THOMAS M. IMHOFF**

STATE OF MISSOURI	)	
	) ss	
COUNTY OF COLE	)	

Thomas M. Imhoff, of lawful age, on oath states: that he participated in the preparation of the foregoing Staff Recommendation in memorandum form, to be presented in the above case; that the information in the Staff Recommendation was provided to him; that he has knowledge of the matters set forth in such Staff Recommendation; and that such matters are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

  
Thomas M. Imhoff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2010.



SUSAN L. SUNDERMEYER  
My Commission Expires  
September 21, 2010  
Callaway County  
Commission #06942086

  
Notary Public