BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Laclede Gas Company for Establishment of an Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge.

File No. GO-2011-0058 Tariff No. YG-2011-0225

ORDER SHORTENING TIME FOR STAFF RESPONSE

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Issue Date: December 29, 2010 Effective Date: December 29, 2010

On October 29, 2010, Laclede Gas Company filed a petition to establish an infrastructure system replacement surcharge (ISRS), along with an implementing tariff bearing an effective date of January 5, 2011, which Laclede subsequently extended to January 7, 2011. On December 28, 2010, the Commission's Staff filed its Recommendation recommending that the Commission reject Laclede's tariff and instead approve Staff's determination of such revenues. Staff recommended that Laclede be authorized to file ISRS rates as reflected in Attachment B to its Recommendation.

On December 29, 2010, Laclede filed its response and a motion for expedited treatment. Laclede accepts Staff's figure for annual pre-tax revenues and accepts the ISRS rates reflected in Attachment B to the Recommendation. On the same date Laclede filed a substitute tariff sheet to comply with the rates set forth in Attachment B. Laclede requested that the Commission approve the ISRS revenues and rates, and the customer notices, as soon as reasonably possible but no later than January 7, 2011.

The Commission will set an expedited filing date for its Staff to notify the Commission whether Laclede's substitute tariff sheet complies with Staff's Recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than 12:00 p.m. on Monday, January 3, 2011, the Staff of the Commission shall notify the Commission whether Laclede Gas Company's substitute tariff sheet filed December 29, 2010, complies with Staff's Recommendation.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

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Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 29th day of December, 2010.