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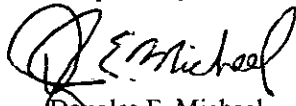
Re: GO-2000-394

Missouri Public
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Dear Mr. Roberts:

This letter is in response the Commission's October 10, 2000 "Order Directing Filing" in the above referenced matter. This letter confirms that the Office of the Public Counsel has no objection to either the tariff sheet or relief requested in Laclede's motion. The tariff sheet accurately reflects the Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement filed in this matter.

Respectfully,


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