

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

Regarding an Investigation into the Service)
and Billing Practices for Residential Customers) **Case No. GW-2007-0099**
of Electric, Gas, and Water Utilities.)

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through the Commission's General Counsel, and hereby moves for an extension of time, up to and including March 28, 2008, to file Staff's Reply to Public Counsel's Second Response, as ordered by the Commission on February 20, 2008. In support of its Motion, Staff states that additional time is needed both because of the press of other business and because Staff is waiting for certain input from the Laclede Gas Company.

WHEREFORE, Staff urges the Commission to grant it an extension of time, up to and including March 28, 2008, to file Staff's Reply to Public Counsel's Second Response herein; and such other and further relief as the Commission deems just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served, either electronically or by hand delivery or by First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, on this **20th day of March, 2008**, to the parties of record as set out on the official Service List maintained by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission for this case.

s/ Kevin A. Thompson