STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of)
USW Local 11-6,)
and)
Laclede Gas Company)

GC-2006-0390

UNANIMOUS MOTION TO MODIFY SCHEDULE

Comes now the parties and requests the Commission to modify the schedule for filing rebuttal and surrebuttal testimony to the January-filed testimony of Mark Boyle and Jim Johnson to permit the taking of the deposition of Mark Boyle on Tuesday, January 23, 2007. In support of this motion, the parties state as follows:

1. USW 11-6 requested and was granted leave to file the testimony of Mark Boyle and Jim Johnson on January 8, 2007.

2. The Commission ordered that any rebuttal to that testimony be filed by January 26, 2007 and any surrebuttal to that testimony be filed by February 2, 2007.

3. Laclede scheduled the depositions of Mark Boyle and Jim Johnson to be conducted on January 19, 2007. However, the parties were unable to take and complete the deposition of Mark Boyle on that day.

4. The deposition of Mark Boyle has been rescheduled for January 23, 2007.

5. The parties would be unable to utilize the transcript of the deposition of Mark Boyle for the purposes of rebuttal testimony if that testimony has to be filed by January 26, 2007, but would be able to utilize it if the testimony dates are rescheduled as requested.

6. Accordingly, the parties propose that rebuttal be due on January 22, 2007 and surrebuttal be due on February 5, 2007.

7. The proposed modification does not affect the hearing date of February 14,

2007.

Wherefore, the parties respectfully request the PSC grant their unanimous motion to

modify the schedule in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on January 23, 2007, by United States mail, hand-deliver, email, or facsimile upon all parties.

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