

the ISRS tariff to become effective on the same date requested by Laclede Gas for its MGE ISRS, thereby maintaining continuity in the processing of the two operating units' ISRS filings. Third, there is no dispute regarding the amounts to be recovered through this ISRS filing, as the parties have entered into the Agreement which expressly provides that Laclede would file this motion seeking an October 18 effective date.

3. Laclede Gas states that there will be no negative effect on Laclede's customers or the general public if the Commission issues such an order and that this pleading was filed as soon as it could have been following the filing of the Agreement.

4. Neither Staff nor Public Counsel opposes this request for expedited treatment.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, Laclede Gas respectfully requests that the Commission accept this response and, consistent with the Agreement, issue its Order rejecting the July 25, 2014 tariff and directing the Company to file a revised tariff sheet effective October 18, 2014 with the same rates contained in the specimen tariff attached to the Agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing pleading was served on all of the parties to this case on this 7th day of October, 2014 by hand-delivery, fax, electronic mail or by United States mail, postage prepaid.

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