BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the matter of Missouri Gas Energy's) Purchased Gas Cost Adjustment Change. Case No. GR-2011-)

MGE'S NOTICE OF INTENDED CASE FILING

COMES NOW Missouri Gas Energy (MGE), a division of Southern Union Company, by and through counsel, and, pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.020, files this Notice of Intended Case Filing and respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

1. MGE is a division of Southern Union Company, which is duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware and conducts business in Missouri under the fictitious name of "Missouri Gas Energy." MGE's principal office and place of business is located at 3420 Broadway, Kansas City, Missouri 64111. MGE currently conducts business as a "gas corporation" and provides natural gas service to approximately 500,000 customers in several Missouri counties, subject to the jurisdiction of the Missouri Public Service Commission as provided by law.

2. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.020(2) provides, in part, as follows:

Any regulated entity that intends to file a case likely to be a contested case shall file a notice with the secretary of the commission a minimum of sixty (60) days prior to filing such case. Such notice shall detail the type of case and issues likely to be before the commission.

3. It is MGE's intent to file (as early as mid-October of 2010) tariff sheets designed to revise its Purchased Gas Cost Adjustment (PGA) factor. MGE is required by its filed and approved tariff to make a PGA filing that will be effective in November of each year. With the PGA filing, MGE must also make its Actual Cost Adjustment (ACA) filing concerning the period July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2010. It is unclear whether or not this filing will become a contested case. If it does become a contested case, issues likely to be before the Commission may involve gas prices, gas purchasing decisions, hedging decisions, recovery through the PGA clause of a variety of items and other related issues.

WHEREFORE, MGE submits to the Commission and its Secretary this Notice of Intended Case Filing. MGE requests such relief as the Commission deems just and proper under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that two, true and correct copies of the above and foregoing document was sent by electronic mail on this 17th day of August, 2010, to:

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