BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Liberty Utilities (Midstates)	
Natural Gas) Corp.'s)	Case No. GR-2021-0101
Purchased Gas Adjustment Tariff Filing)	

RESPONSE TO COMMISSION ORDER

COMES NOW Liberty Utilities (Midstates Natural Gas) Corp. ("Liberty"), and for its Response to Commission Order, respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission"):

- 1. This docket was opened on October 6, 2020, for the Winter Purchased Gas Adjustment ("PGA") filing for Liberty's four PGA service areas to reflect changes in the PGA factors and the Actual Cost Adjustment ("ACA") factors.
- 2. On December 15, 2021, the Staff of the Commission ("Staff") filed a recommendation and memorandum regarding its review of Liberty's 2019-2020 ACA filing. Staff proposes financial adjustments and offers non-financial recommendations.
- 3. Also on December 15, 2021, the Commission issued its *Order Directing Response*, directing Liberty to respond to Staff's recommendations by January 14, 2022.
- 4. As detailed in the memorandum attached hereto (confidential and public versions), Liberty accepts Staff's analysis and recommendations regarding Billed Revenue and Actual Gas Costs, Staff's recommendations on Reserve Margins and Hedging, and Staff's recommended ACA balances.

WHEREFORE, Liberty submits this Response to Commission Order and requests such relief as is just and proper under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the above document was filed in EFIS on this 11^{th} day of January, 2022, with a copy sent to all counsel of record.

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