

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Missouri Gas                     )  
Energy, a Division of Southern Union Company, for                )  
Approval to Establish an Infrastructure System                     )  
Replacement Surcharge.   )  
Case No. GO-2005-0273

## **MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT**

COMES NOW Missouri Gas Energy, a division of Southern Union Company (MGE or Applicant), in accordance with Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(16), states the following to the Commission as MGE's Motion for Expedited Treatment:

On May 3, 2005 (effective May 13, 2005), the Commission issued its Order Approving an Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge But Rejecting Submitted Tariff wherein the Commission rejected the tariff sheet filed by MGE on February 14, 2005, and authorized MGE to file a tariff to impose an ISRS as specified in the Order.

On May 3, 2005, MGE filed a tariff sheet in order to comply with the Commission Order (3<sup>rd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 10) (attached hereto as **Appendix A**). This tariff sheet carried a proposed effective date of June 2, 2005 (30 days) and was assigned tracking number YG-2005-0958. MGE's cover letter indicated that it would seek to have the tariff sheet made effective as of May 13, 2005. The Commission thereafter issued its Order Directing Filing wherein it directed the Staff to file a memorandum concerning the subject tariff no later than May 10, 2005.

The ISRS process is authorized by Sections 393.1009, 393.1012 and 393.1015, RSMo, and Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.265. Its goal is to provide eligible gas corporations with the ability to recover, on a timely basis, certain infrastructure replacement costs outside of a formal

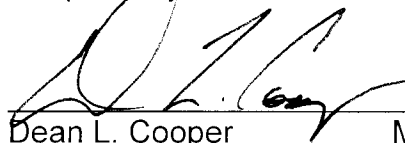
rate case filing via the ISRS. The Commission has authorized such an ISRS in this case and there are no further procedures to be completed in this case. Granting this Motion will afford MGE the timely rate relief which the Commission has found to be justified. As such, Commission action as requested herein will cause no negative effect on MGE's customers or the public generally.

Accordingly, MGE seeks the Commission's order allowing the proposed tariff sheets to go into effect on May 13, 2005.

The subject tariff sheet and this Motion have been filed as soon as possible after the issuance of the Commission's Order Approving an Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge But Rejecting Submitted Tariff in this case.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, MGE respectfully requests the Commission to consider this Motion for Expedited Treatment and approve the proposed tariff sheet effective May 13, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent by electronic mail on May 4, 2005, to the following:

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For: All Missouri Service Areas

### INFRASTRUCTURE REPLACEMENT SURCHARGE (ISRS)

Description: Rate ISRS is designed to recover the costs associated with the Company's eligible infrastructure replacements in accordance with the provisions of sections 393.1009, 393.1012 and 393.1015 RSMo.

Applicability: Rate ISRS is applicable to each customer billing for service during the effectiveness of the ISRS rate element.

ISRS Rate Element: In addition to the other charges provided for in the Company's tariff, a monthly ISRS Rate Element shall be added to each bill for service on and after the effective date of the ISRS rate. The amount of the ISRS Rate Element, by customer class, is as follows:

Residential	\$0.17 per month
Small General Service	\$0.24 per month
Large General Service	\$1.40 per month
Large Volume Service	\$7.19 per month
Whiteman Air Force Base	\$7.19 per month
Intrastate Transportation Service	\$7.19 per month
CNG for use as a fuel in vehicles	\$0.24 per month

DATE OF ISSUE May 3 2005  
month day year

DATE EFFECTIVE June 2 2005  
month day year

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