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October 28, 2004

VIA EFIS

Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
Governor Office Building
200 Madison Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Re: Tariff Filing to Change the Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge

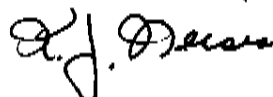
Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing is P.S.C. MO. No. 5 Consolidated, Third Revised Sheet No. 12, which is applicable to both divisions of Laclede Gas Company ("Company").

This revised tariff sheet, which has an issue date of October 28, 2004 and an effective date of November 28, 2004, is being filed to change the Company's infrastructure system replacement surcharge ("ISRS") in accordance with Sections 393.1009, 393.1012 and 393.1015 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri. A full explanation of the change being proposed by the Company is set forth in the *Verified Application and Petition of Laclede Gas Company to Change Its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge*, which is being filed separately today. As proposed herein, the ISRS modification would increase the typical residential heating customer's bill by 20 cents per month or approximately two-tenths of 1%.

Please bring this filing to the attention of the appropriate Commission personnel.

Sincerely,



Kenneth J. Neises

cc: Office of the Public Counsel

P.S.C. MO. No. 5 Consolidated, Third Revised Sheet No. 12
CANCELLING P.S.C. MO. No. 5 Consolidated, Second Revised Sheet No. 12

Laclede Gas Company

Name of Issuing Corporation or Municipality

For

Refer to Sheet No. 1

Community, Town or City

SCHEDULE OF RATES

INFRASTRUCTURE SYSTEM REPLACEMENT SURCHARGE ("ISRS")

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

Applicability: In addition to the other charges provided for in the Company's tariff, a monthly ISRS shall be added to each customer's bill for service rendered on and after the effective date of the ISRS.

Schedule of Surcharges: The amount of the ISRS by rate schedule is as follows:

	<u>Per Bill Per Month</u>
Residential General Service (RG)	\$.65
Residential Seasonal Air Conditioning Service (RA)	\$.65
Commercial & Industrial General Service-Class I (C1)	\$.85
Commercial & Industrial General Service-Class II (C2)	\$.93
Commercial & Industrial General Service-Class III (C3)	\$ 1.27
Commercial & Industrial Seasonal Service-Class I	\$.85
Commercial & Industrial Seasonal Service-Class II	\$.93
Commercial & Industrial Seasonal Service-Class III	\$ 1.27
Large Volume Service (LV)	\$32.32
Interruptible Service (IN)	\$28.55
General L.P. Gas Service (LP)	\$.59
Unmetered Gas Light Service (SL)	\$.21
Vehicular Fuel Rate (VF)	\$.81
Large Volume Transportation and Sales Service (LVTSS)	\$63.72
LVTSS - Other (*)	\$48.48

(*) Single customers with multiple accounts located on contiguous property.

DATE OF ISSUE October 28, 2004

Month Day Year

DATE EFFECTIVE November 28, 2004

Month Day Year

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