

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of FERC Docket No. CP07-450,)
MoGas Request for Authorization under)
Blanket Certificate.) Case No. GO-2009-0094

**STAFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO LATE FILE
STAFF'S RESPONSE TO APPLICANT'S
MOTION FOR DETERMINATION ON THE PLEADINGS**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through the Commission's General Counsel, and for its Motion for Leave to Late File Staff's Response to the Applicant's Motion For Determination on the Pleadings, states:

1. Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(15) provides that parties shall have no more than ten days within which to respond to a filing unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.

2. MoGas filed its motion on January 15, 2009, and the tenth day being Sunday, January 25, 2009, Staff's response was due on Monday, January 26, 2009. Rule 4 CSR 240-2.050(1).

3. The undersigned was fully engaged on Monday, January 26, 2009, in drafting Suggestions for filing in the Missouri Supreme Court, Case No. 89877, that were due that day.

4. Permitting Staff to late file by one day should not cause delay in the Commission's processing of this case, nor will it prejudice any party.

WHEREFORE, the Staff prays that the Commission will grant leave to late-file its Response to Applicant's Motion for Determination on the Pleadings.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on all of the parties of record or their representatives as set out in the service list maintained for this case by the Commission's Data Center on this **27th day of January, 2009**, either by hand delivery, electronic mail, facsimile transmission, or First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid.

/s/ Kevin A. Thompson