

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

In the Matter of Atmos Energy Corporation's            )  
Tariff Revision Designed to Implement a General    )  
Rate Increase for Natural Gas Service in the        )  
Missouri Service Area of the Company                )        Case No. GR-2010-0192

**MOTION TO FILE APPLICATION OF IBEW LOCAL 1439  
TO INTERVENE OUT OF TIME**

COMES NOW International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 1439 ("Local 1439"), by counsel, and respectfully moves this Commission for permission to file its application to intervene in this proceeding out of time. In support of this application, Local 1439 states:

1. By order dated January 6, 2010 ("Order"), the Commission set January 19, 2010 as the deadline for filing notice of intervention in this matter.
2. Because it has not participated in rate proceedings relating to Atmos Energy in the past, Local 1439 did not receive notice or a copy of the order until well after the deadline.
3. Local 1439's late filing will not prevent it from meeting the other deadlines set forth in the Order.
4. Permitting Local 1439 to intervene at this late date would in no way prejudice any party to these proceedings.

WHEREFORE, IBEW Local 1439 respectfully requests the Commission for permission to file out of time its application for intervention, which is being submitted contemporaneously.

Respectfully submitted,

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