

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

In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's     )  
Tariff to Revise Natural Gas Rate Schedules )

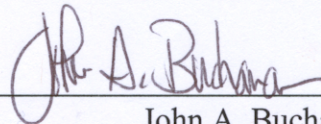
Case No. GR-2007-0208

**AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN A. BUCHANAN**

**STATE OF MISSOURI     )**  
  **) SS**  
**CITY OF JEFFERSON     )**

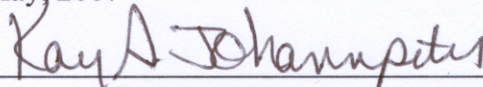
John A. Buchanan, of lawful age, being duly sworn on his oath, deposes and states:

1. My name is John A. Buchanan. I work in the City of Jefferson, Missouri, and I am employed by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources as Senior Planner, Missouri Energy Center, Office of the Director.
2. Attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes is my Direct Testimony on behalf of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources – Missouri Energy Center consisting of 24 pages all of which have been prepared in written form for introduction into evidence in the above-referenced docket.
3. I hereby swear and affirm that my answers contained in the attached testimony to the questions therein propounded are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



John A. Buchanan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of May, 2007



Notary Public

My commission expires:

