BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Paul Brown and Debra Brown,)
Complainants,))) Ocea No. CO 2017 0100
V.) Case No. GC-2017-0199
Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc.)
Respondent.)

STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

COME NOW Paul and Debra Brown, ("Complainants"), and Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. ("Respondent") (collectively the "Parties"), by and through counsel, and respectfully state to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) that, as a result of negotiations, the Parties have reached the stipulations and agreements contained herein.

- This Stipulation and Agreement is intended to settle all issues in the above-captioned Complaint. The Parties recommend that the Commission accept this Stipulation and Agreement as a fair compromise of their respective positions and satisfaction of the Complaint.
- 2. Attached hereto as **Appendix A** is a *Settlement Agreement and General Release* executed by the Parties. Appendix A has been marked as Confidential in accordance with Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.135(2)(A)1 (contains customer-specific information).
- 3. This Stipulation and Agreement in conjunction with the attached Appendix A are being entered into solely for the purpose of settling the identified case. This

Stipulation and Agreement and the attached Appendix A reflect the entirety of the agreement entered into among the Parties. The terms of the Stipulation and Agreement shall be interpreted only by reference to the document itself. Except as specifically stated in this Stipulation and Agreement, the Parties disclaim the use of any prior written or oral agreement or draft agreement, parole or other extrinsic evidence to interpret the terms of this Stipulation and Agreement.

4. This Stipulation and Agreement has resulted from negotiations among the Parties and the terms hereof are interdependent. If the Commission does not approve this Stipulation and Agreement unconditionally and without modification, then this Stipulation and Agreement shall be void and no Party shall be bound by any of the agreements or provisions hereof, except as explicitly provided herein.

WHEREFORE, the Parties respectfully request that the Commission issue its Order approving the specific terms and conditions of the Stipulation and Agreement.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent by electronic mail this 23rd day of May, 2018, to:

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