BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the matter of the Application of Laclede Gas)
Company for an Order Extending the Authorization)
Period for the Issuance and Sale of up to and)
Including \$100,000,000 Principal Amount of First)
Mortgage Bonds, of Which \$25,000,000 in Principal)
Amount of Bonds Have Not Yet Been Issued.

Case No. GF-99-332

NOTICE CLOSING CASE

On April 8, 1999, the Commission granted the Application for Extension of Authorization Period filed on February 8, 1999, by Laclede Gas Company (Laclede), extending the period of time within which Laclede may issue and sell the remaining bonds authorized on April 9, 1993, in Case No. GF-93-272. In that Order, Laclede was directed to file various reports and other items with the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission following the completion of the transaction in question. On July 2, 1999, Laclede filed its Notice of Compliance. No objections or responses thereto having been filed, this matter may now be closed.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, This 26th day of July, 1999.

Thompson, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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