

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

In the Matter of Missouri Gas Energy)	
Concerning a Natural Gas Incident)	Case No. GS-2007-0381
At 1706 Smith Street, Blue Springs,)	
Missouri.)	

The Staff of the Missouri Public Service)	
Commission,)	
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Complainant,)	
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v.)	Case No. GC-2008-0026
)	
Missouri Gas Energy,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

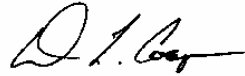
MOTION FOR EXTENSION

COMES NOW Missouri Gas Energy, a Division of Southern Union Company (MGE), and, as its Motion for Extension, states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

1. On August 20, 2007, the Commission issued its Order Consolidating Cases and Granting Extension of Time. Among other things, the Order granted MGE until September 14, 2007, to file its answer and response in these consolidated cases.
2. MGE and the Staff are in the final stages of negotiating a settlement agreement. However, they need additional time to complete this process.
3. MGE therefore seeks an extension of the date by which it must file its answer and response until September 28, 2007, so that the settlement process may run its course.
4. Staff counsel has indicated no objection to the proposed extension.

WHEREFORE, MGE requests a Commission order extending MGE's deadline for filing its response and answer until September 28, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,



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I hereby certify that on the 13th day of September, 2007, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing was sent by electronic mail to the following:

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