

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

In the Matter of the Application of Summit )  
Natural Gas of Missouri Inc., for a Variance from ) File No. GE-2018-0193  
the Provisions of Commission Rule 4 CSR 240- )  
10.030(19) )

**STATUS REPORT**

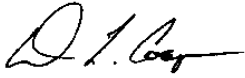
**COMES NOW** Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. (“SNGMO” or the “Company”), and states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”):

1. On June 25, 2018, at the request of SNGMO, the Staff of the Commission (“Staff”), and the Office of the Public Counsel (“OPC”), the Commission issued its Order Directing Filing wherein it directed that the parties file a stipulation or alternative pleading or pleadings no later than July 25, 2018.

2. Since that date, the parties have exchanged language in regard to a possible stipulation. However, the discussions concerning that stipulation have not yet reached a conclusion. In order to permit completion of those discussions, SNGMO, *joined by Staff and OPC*, request that the Commission permit them to file either a Stipulation and Agreement or a pleading asking the Commission to set a procedural conference no later than August 15, 2018.

**WHEREFORE**, SNGMO requests, that the Commission accept this *Status Report*; permit the parties to file either a Stipulation and Agreement or a pleading asking the Commission to set a procedural conference no later than August 15, 2018; and grant such other and further relief as the Commission considers just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

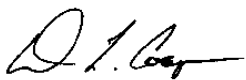
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent by electronic mail this 25<sup>TH</sup> day of July, 2018, to:

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