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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Joint Application of)	
Atmos Energy Corporation and Arkansas)	
Western Gas Company, d/b/a Associated)	
Natural Gas Company, for an Order)	
Authorizing the Sale and Transfer of)	
Certain Assets of Associated Natural Gas)	
Company Located in Missouri to Atmos)	<u>Case No. GM-2000-312</u>
Energy Corporation and Either Authorizing)	
the Transfer of Existing Certificates of)	
Public Convenience and Necessity or)	
Granting a New Certificate of Public)	
Convenience and Necessity to Atmos Energy)	
Corporation in Conjunction with Same.)	

ORDER GRANTING THE WITHDRAWAL OF INTERVENTION
BY THE CITIES OF MALDEN, CAMPBELL AND APPLETON CITY

On February 14, 2000, the City of Malden, the City of Campbell and the City of Appleton City jointly filed a pleading indicating that the three cities wish to withdraw their interventions in this case. Their requests to intervene had been granted by the Commission on December 1, 1999.

The Commission has reviewed the request to withdraw intervention and concludes that the request should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the City of Malden's request to withdraw its intervention is granted.

2. That the City of Campbell's request to withdraw its intervention is granted.

3. That the City of Appleton City's request to withdraw its intervention is granted.

4. That this order shall become effective on February 25, 2000.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Morris L. Woodruff, Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1),
(November 30, 1995) and Section 386.240,
RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 15th day of February, 2000.