

**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))

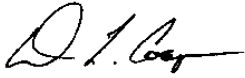
MOTION FOR EXTENSION

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

1. On July 25, 2018, the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) issued its *Order Directing Filing* wherein it directed that the parties file a stipulation or alternative pleading or pleadings no later than August 15, 2018.
2. Stipulation discussions continue. However, the parties will not be in a position to complete this process today. Accordingly, the parties request that the Commission permit them an additional two days, or until August 17, 2018, to file a stipulation or alternative pleading or pleadings.

WHEREFORE, SNGMO, Staff, and OPC request that the Commission extend the deadline previously set in the Commission’s July 25, 2018 *Order Directing Filing* until August 17, 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

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