BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Paul Brown and Debra Brown,)	
)	
Complainants,)	
)	
v.)	Case No. GC-2017-0199
)	
Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc.,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. ("SNGMO" or "Company"),

joined by Complainants Paul Brown and Debra Brown, and, in response to the Order Directing

Status Report, respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission

("Commission"):

- 1. On May 10, 2017, the Commission directed that the complainants and respondents file joint or separate status reports no later than May 25, 2017, "indicating when they believe their negotiations will conclude or when they will be able to file a proposed procedural schedule or other pleading requesting Commission action."
- 2. Since the Commission's Order was issued, additional communication in regard to possible settlement has taken place, additional mapping information has been provided by SNGMO to Staff counsel, and counsel for SNGMO has communicated with counsel for Laclede Gas Company in regard to its position on how to move forward and expects a response from Laclede soon.
- 3. Counsel for SNGMO will be out of the office next week. Thus, it will likely be at least June 15, 2017, before negotiations are likely to conclude.

WHEREFORE, SNGMO, as joined by Complainants, respectfully request that the

Commission consider this document to satisfy the Order Directing Status Report.

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^{th} day of May, 2017, to:

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