

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
JEFFERSON CITY
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CASE NO: GR-2000-622

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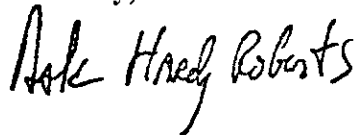
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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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

In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's
Purchased Gas Adjustment Factors to be
Reviewed in its 1999-2000 Actual Cost Adjustment } Case No. GR-2000-622

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

This order directs the parties to file a status report.

The last action in this case was the second order approving interim rates issued by the Missouri Public Service Commission on November 13, 2000.

Staff and Laclede Gas Company will be ordered to file a status report.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and Laclede Gas Company must file a joint status report on this case by February 15, 2002.
2. That this order will become effective on January 13, 2002.

BY THE COMMISSION



**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**



Bill Hopkins, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority under
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 3rd day of January, 2002.