OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Review of the Purchased Gas)	
Adjustment Clauses in the Tariffs of Local Distribution)	Case No. GO-2002-452
Companies.)	

ORDER ADOPTING PRELIMINARY PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This order adopts the proposed procedural dates as suggested by the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission.

In response to an order of the Commission, Staff filed a proposed procedural schedule suggesting dates for a prehearing conference and for the filing of a list of issues.

No objections to the Staff's proposal were filed.

The Commission has reviewed the proposed procedural dates and determines that they are appropriate for this case. Therefore, the Commission will adopt Staff's suggested dates.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That a prehearing conference shall be held on May 14, 2002, beginning at 10:00 a.m. The prehearing conference will be held at the Commission's offices in the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri, a building that meets the accessibility standards required by the Americans With Disabilities Act. If any person needs additional accommodations to participate in this prehearing, please call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or 1-800-829-7541 (TDD) prior to the prehearing conference.

- 2. That no later than June 14, 2002, the parties shall jointly or separately file a list of issues to be addressed during the course of this case. Any issue not included in the issues list will be presumed to not require determination by the Commission.
 - 3. That this order shall become effective on May 6, 2002.

BY THE COMMISSION

Dale Hardy Roberts

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Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(SEAL)

Nancy Dippell, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 26th day of April 2002.