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STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 4th day of December, 1992.

In the matter of Associated Natural Gas Company's tariff)	
reflecting a change in rates pursuant to the provisions)	Case No. GR-90-38
of its PGA clause on file with the Commission; and)	(consolidated with
tariffs reflecting a change in rates to be reviewed,)	GR-90-106, GR-91-208
respectively, in its 1989-1990, 1990-1991 and 1991-1992)	and GR-92-104)
actual cost adjustments.)	·

ORDER EXTENDING DATE FOR STAFF RECOMMENDATION

On May 19, 1992 the Commission issued its Order directing the Commission's Staff (Staff) to conduct an audit of the 1990 and 1991 Actual Cost Adjustment (ACA) of Associated Natural Gas Company (ANG) in its Case No. GR-91-208 and to submit its recommendation on or before November 1, 1992. On October 1, 1992, Staff filed its Motion For New Date For Staff Recommendation. Staff requested in the Motion that the date for the filing of its recommendation be extended to December 1, 1992 because of auditing delays. On October 9, 1992 the Commission extended the date for Staff's recommendation to December 1, 1992. On December 1, 1992 Staff filed a second Motion For Extension Of Date For Filing Recommendation stating therein that there were ongoing discussions with ANG to define the issues and that ANG was not opposed to the extension. Staff requests an extension to December 30, 1992 to file its recommendation.

The Commission determines Staff's request for a new date for its recommendation to be reasonable and hereby approves it.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Staff of the Commission shall be granted an extension to file its recommendation in the case concerning the 1990-1991 ACA period of Associated Natural Gas Company to December 30, 1992.

2. That this order shall become effective on the date hereof.

BY THE COMMISSION

Brent Stewart Executive Secretary

(SEAL)

McClure, Chm., Mueller, Rauch, Perkins and Kincheloe, CC., concur.