

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a Session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office
in Jefferson City on the 27th
day of September, 1995.

In the matter of the application of)
Missouri Gas Energy, a division of)
Southern Union Company, for a limited) Case No. GO-95-395
variance from the requirements of)
4 CSR 240-13.020(2)(C)2.)

ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

On May 30, 1995, Missouri Gas Energy (MGE) filed an application with the Commission requesting the Commission grant MGE a limited permanent variance from the requirements of 4 CSR 240-13.020(2)(c)2 of the Commission's rules regarding utility billing practices. MGE sought a variance that would permit it to estimate the final bill for a customer where an actual meter reading has been or will be obtained within three days of the date of termination of the service.

On July 6, 1995, the Staff of the Commission filed its recommendation, asking the Commission to reject this request. On September 21, 1995, MGE filed a letter withdrawing the tariff and requesting the Commission close this docket, as MGE stated it was unable to negotiate an acceptable compromise with the Staff.

Accordingly, the Commission will order this docket closed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That, as a result of the withdrawal of the proposed tariff by MGE, this docket is hereby closed.

2. That this order shall become effective on October 10, 1995.

BY THE COMMISSION

David L. Rauch

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Executive Secretary

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Mueller, Chm., McClure, Kincheloe,
Crumpton, and Drainer, CC., Concur.