BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Southern Union Company d/b/a Missouri Gas Energy, The Laclede Group, Inc. and Laclede Gas Company for an Order Authorizing the Sale, Transfer and Assignment of Certain Assets and Liabilities from Southern Union Company to Laclede Gas Company and, in connection therewith, certain other Related Transactions	)	Case No. GM-2013-0254

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STATE OF MISSOURI)
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CITY OF ST. LOUIS)

Suzanne Sitherwood, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

1. My name is Suzanne Sitherwood. My business address is 720 Olive Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63101; and I am President and Chief Executive Officer of The Laclede Group, Inc.

2. Attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes is my direct testimony, on behalf of The Laclede Group and Laclede Gas Company.

3. I hereby swear and affirm that my answers contained in the attached testimony to the questions therein propounded are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Suzanne Sitherwood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of January, 2013.

Notary Public

DONNA K. ADCOX
Notary Public - Notary Seal
STATE OF MISSOURI
St. Charles County
My Commission Expires: July 27, 2016
Commission # 12411276