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

| In the Matter of Summit Natural Gas of Missouri's | ) |                         |
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| Filing of Revised Tariffs to Increase its Annual  | ) | Case No. GR-2014-0086   |
| Revenues for Natural Gas Service.                 | ) | Tariff No. YG-2014-0285 |

## STAFF'S RESPONSE TO ORDER DIRECTING FILING

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through the Chief Staff Counsel, and for its *Response* to the Commission's *Notice of Hearings and Order Setting Conference Date, Directing Notice of Action, and Governing Filings*, states as follows:

- 1. Staff agrees with the Company's proposed test year, the twelve months ended September 30, 2013, as described in the *Direct Testimony of Michelle A. Moorman*, at page 7, line 20.
- 2. Staff will update for known and measurable changes through December 31, 2013.
- 3. Staff and the Company agree on a true-up through June 30, 2014, with the true-up data available on July 18, 2014.

**WHEREFORE**, Staff prays that the Commission will accept its *Response* and order the dates set out herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served, either electronically or by hand delivery or by First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, on this 21<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2014, to the parties of record as set out on the official Service List maintained by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission for this case.

s/ Kevin A. Thompson