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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of Missouri Gas Energy's)
Tariff Sheets Designed to Increase Rates) Case No. GR-98-140
for Gas Service in the Company's Missouri) Tariff File No. 9800264
Service Area.)

In the Matter of Missouri Gas Energy's)
Proposed Modifications to its Facilities) Case No. GT-98-237
Extension Policy.) Tariff File No. 9800264

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF SHEETS FILED
IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMMISSION'S ORDER

On August 21, 1998, the Commission issued a Report and Order that required Missouri Gas Energy (MGE) to file revised tariff sheets to reflect the revenue requirement of \$13,217,754 as found in the Report and Order. On August 26 the Commission issued its Order of Correction correcting the revenue requirement changing it to \$13,297,499. On August 28 MGE filed the tariff sheets required by the Commission's Report and Order. On August 31 MGE filed substitute tariff sheets in compliance with the Commission's Report and Order.

On August 28, the Commission Staff (Staff), Office of the Public Counsel (OPC) and MGE filed a Correction to Revenue Requirement (Revenue Correction) requesting Commission "Gross up of revenue requirement related to uncollectible expense and gross down of revenue deficiency related to late payment charge revenues". Also, on August 28, MGE filed compliance tariff sheets reflecting the Revenue Correction amount in anticipation that the Commission would issue an order on August 31

granting the request. On August 31, the Commission issued its Order Denying Correction of Revenue Requirement relating to "Gross up of revenue requirement related to uncollectible expense and gross down of revenue deficiency related to late payment charge revenues". Therefore, to comply with the Commission's Order Denying Correction, MGE filed substitute tariff sheets on August 31 removing the revenues relating to the Revenue Correction from the tariff sheets filed on August 28. Also, on August 31, MGE made two additional substitutions of tariff sheets, both to correct errors.

On August 31, MGE also filed Missouri Gas Energy's Motion for Expedited Consideration and Approval of Tariff Sheets Filed in Compliance with Commission Order on less than Thirty Days' Notice requesting the Commission grant this motion for expedited consideration. The proposed tariff sheets filed by MGE on August 28, and as substituted on August 31, bear an effective date of September 27. However, in its cover letter, MGE requests expedited treatment of the filed tariff sheets.

On September 1 the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) filed a memorandum to the official case file. Staff states that it has reviewed the tariff sheets and that they comply with the Commission's order.

The Commission has reviewed MGE's tariff filing and the Staff's memorandum. In addition, based upon MGE Motion for Expedited Treatment, the Commission determines that it is reasonable to issue this Order Approving Tariff in compliance with the Commission's Report and Order effective on September 2, 1998, the date the Report and Order are effective. Based on these filings, the Commission finds that the tariff

sheets should be approved for natural gas service effective on and after September 2, 1998.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That Tariff File No. 9800264, submitted in File No. GR-98-140 & GT-98-237, by Missouri Gas Energy on August 28, 1998, and with substituted tariff sheets on August 31, 1998, is hereby approved for natural gas service to be rendered on or after September 2, 1998:

P.S.C. MO. No. 1

Second Revised Sheet No. 2 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 2
First Revised Sheet No. 9 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 9
Second Revised Sheet No. 14 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 14
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 15 Cancelling Third Revised Sheet No. 15
Third Revised Sheet No. 17 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 17
Twenty Sixth Revised Sheet No. 18 Cancelling Twenty Fifth Revised Sheet No. 18
Second Revised Sheet No. 20 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 20
Second Revised Sheet No. 21 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 21
Third Revised Sheet No. 22 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 22
Second Revised Sheet No. 23 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 23
Second Revised Sheet No. 23.2 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 23.2
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 23.5 Cancelling Third Revised Sheet No. 23.5
Third Revised Sheet No. 24.1 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 24.1
Seventh Revised Sheet No. 24.7 Cancelling Sixth Revised Sheet No. 24.7
Third Revised Sheet No. 25 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 25
First Revised Sheet No. 26 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 26
First Revised Sheet No. 27 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 27
Third Revised Sheet No. 28 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 28
First Revised Sheet No. 29 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 29
Second Revised Sheet No. 30 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 30
Third Revised Sheet No. 31 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 31
First Revised Sheet No. 31.1 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 31.1
First Revised Sheet No. 32 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 32
First Revised Sheet No. 33 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 33
First Revised Sheet No. 34 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 34
First Revised Sheet No. 35 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 35
First Revised Sheet No. 36 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 36
First Revised Sheet No. 37 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 37
Second Revised Sheet No. 38 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 38
First Revised Sheet No. 39 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 39
First Revised Sheet No. 40 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 40
Second Revised Sheet No. 41 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 41
Original Sheet No. 41.1
Third Revised Sheet No. 42 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 42
Third Revised Sheet No. 44 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 44
Second Revised Sheet No. 45 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 45
Third Revised Sheet No. 46 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 46

Third Revised Sheet No. 47 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 47
First Revised Sheet No. 48.2 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 48.2
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Original Sheet No. 61.3
Original Sheet No. 61.4
First Revised Sheet No. 62 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 62
First Revised Sheet No. 67 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 67
First Revised Sheet No. 68 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 68
First Revised Sheet No. 70 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 70
First Revised Sheet No. 71 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 71
First Revised Sheet No. 72 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 72
Third Revised Sheet No. 76 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 76
Second Revised Sheet No. 77 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 77
First Revised Sheet No. 78 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 78
First Revised Sheet No. 79 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 79
First Revised Sheet No. 80 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 80
First Revised Sheet No. 82 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 82
First Revised Sheet No. 83 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 83
First Revised Sheet No. 85 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 85
First Revised Sheet No. 91 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 91
First Revised Sheet No. 92 Cancelling Original Sheet No. 92
Third Revised Sheet No. 94 Cancelling Second Revised Sheet No. 94
Second Revised Sheet No. 95 Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 95
First Revised Sheet No. R-33 Cancelling Original Sheet No. R-33
First Revised Sheet No. R-58 Cancelling Original Sheet No. R-58
First Revised Sheet No. R-58a Cancelling Original Sheet No. R-58a
First Revised Sheet No. R-59 Cancelling Original Sheet No. R-59
First Revised Sheet No. R-87 Cancelling Original Sheet No. R-87

2. That this order shall become effective on September 2, 1998.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Shelly A. Register, Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1),
(November 30, 1995) and Section 386.240,
RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 1st day of September, 1998.