

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
JEFFERSON CITY
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CASE NO: GM-2001-342

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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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

In the Matter of the Application of Laclede Gas Company)
for an Order Authorizing Its Plan to Restructure Itself) **Case No. GM-2001-342**
into a Holding Company, Regulated Utility Company, and)
Unregulated Subsidiaries.)

ORDER CANCELING HEARING

On July 9, 2001, the parties filed a Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement that purports to settle all the pending issues in this case. The Commission will review the agreement and may have questions for the parties at a later date. At this time, however, the Commission has determined that the hearing scheduled to begin Thursday, July 12, 2001, is not necessary and should be canceled.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the hearing scheduled to begin on July 12, 2001, is canceled.
2. That this order shall become effective on July 12, 2001.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts

**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

(S E A L)

Nancy Dippell, Senior Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 10th day of July, 2001.