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I, Patrick A. Seamands, being of lawful age state: that I am Chief Engineer of Laclede Gas Company; that I have read the foregoing testimony; that the statements and information set forth in such testimony are true and correct to the best of my information, knowledge and belief; and, that I am authorized to make this statement on behalf of Laclede.

Patrick A. Seamands

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of November, 2006.

Notary Public

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My Commission Expires: 10/21/20



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