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HAROLD STEARLEY, Presiding,
18 REGULATORY LAW JUDGE

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1 P R O C E E D I N G S

2 JUDGE STEARLEY: All right. Good evening.
3 It's Monday, June, 15th, 2009. The Missouri Public
4 Service Commission has set this time for a local public
5 hearing in Case Nos. WR-2009-0150 and SR-2009-0153 in
6 which Missouri Utilities Company seeks to implement a
7 general rate increase for its water and sewer service in
8 Missouri.

9 My name is Harold Stearley. I'm the
10 presiding officer for tonight's hearing. The court
11 reporter this evening is Kellene Feddersen. And we'll
12 begin by taking entries of appearance from counsel,
13 beginning with the Staff of the Missouri Public Service
14 Commission.

15 MS. BRUEGGEMANN: Here tonight is Shelley
16 Brueggemann on behalf of the Staff, 200 Madison Street,
17 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102. Thank you.

18 JUDGE STEARLEY: Thank you,
19 Ms. Brueggemann. Office of the Public Counsel.

20 MS. BAKER: Thank you. Christina Baker,
21 P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, appearing
22 on behalf of the Office of the Public Counsel and the
23 ratepayers.

24 JUDGE STEARLEY: Thank you, Ms. Baker. And
25 Missouri Utilities Company.

1 MR. COVER: Gary Cover, C-o-v-e-r. I'm the
2 attorney and receiver for Missouri Utilities.

3 JUDGE STEARLEY: Thank you, Mr. Cover.

4 It appears that our room is filled with our
5 representatives of the various parties tonight but no
6 witnesses. We have no witnesses signed up on our list.
7 So I will ask just once for the record, is there anyone
8 here who wishes to provide the Public Service Commission
9 with testimony regarding this company's rate increase
10 request?

11 (No response.)

12 JUDGE STEARLEY: Seeing none, and I know we
13 are supposed to be streaming video tonight, I will remind
14 any of our watchers that they can make comments by
15 contacting the Missouri Public Service Commission by phone
16 or on its website or by contacting the Office of the
17 Public Counsel.

18 Seeing that we have no testimony, I guess
19 we're going to wrap things up rather quickly this evening,
20 and the public hearing in Cases WR-2009-0150 and
21 SR-2009-0153 is hereby adjourned.

22 WHEREUPON, the public hearing in this case
23 was concluded.

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1 C E R T I F I C A T E

2 STATE OF MISSOURI)
3) ss.
4 COUNTY OF COLE)

5 I, Kellene K. Feddersen, Certified
6 Shorthand Reporter with the firm of Midwest Litigation
7 Services, do hereby certify that I was personally present
8 at the proceedings had in the above-entitled cause at the
9 time and place set forth in the caption sheet thereof;
10 that I then and there took down in Stenotype the
11 proceedings had; and that the foregoing is a full, true
12 and correct transcript of such Stenotype notes so made at
13 such time and place.

14 Given at my office in the City of
15 Jefferson, County of Cole, State of Missouri.

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