BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Southern Missouri Gas Company, L.P.'s)	
Purchased Gas Adjustment Factors to be Reviewed)	Case No. GR-2006-0352
In Its 2005-2006 Actual Cost Adjustment.)	

PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Comes now Southern Missouri Gas Company, L.P. d/b/a Southern Missouri Natural Gas ("SMNG") the Staff ("Staff") of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") and the Office of the Public Counsel, and for their Proposed Procedural Schedule, respectfully state as follows:

- 1. On June 8, 2007, the Staff filed its Recommendation in this 2005-2006 Actual Cost Adjustment ("ACA") case. On July 19, 2007, SMNG filed its Response To Staff Recommendation, contesting one of the proposed adjustments contained in the of Staff's Recommendation.
- 2. On July 20, 2007, the Commission issued its Order Scheduling A Prehearing Conference And Directing Filing, wherein the parties were directed to file, no later than August 9, 2007, a proposed procedural schedule to address the issues that the parties are unable to resolve.
- 3. Pursuant to the Commission's directive, the undersigned parties propose that the following procedural schedule be established:

September 7, 2007 Direct Testimony (Simultaneous)

October 19, 2007 Rebuttal Testimony (Simultaneous)

November 16, 2007 Surrebuttal Testimony (Simultaneous)

November 16, 2007

List of Issues, Witness List and Schedule, and Order of

Cross-Examination

November 20, 2007

Statements of Position

November 28-29, 2007

Evidentiary Hearings

WHEREFORE, the undersigned parties respectfully request that the Commission issue an order adopting the Proposed Procedural Schedule set forth herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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