OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Petitioner of Missouri-American

Water Company for Approval to Change its

Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge (ISRS).

Tariff No. YW-2006-0739

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: March 30, 2006 Effective Date: March 30, 2006

On March 28, 2006, the Missouri Public Service Commission issued an order approving Missouri-American Water Company's application to change its infrastructure system replacement surcharge. On March 29, 2006, Missouri-American submitted a tariff to reflect the approved surcharge. The tariff has an effective date of April 28. With its tariff, Missouri-American filed a motion for expedited treatment requesting that the Commission approve the tariff to become effective on April 7.

The Commission will require the Staff of the Commission to file a recommendation advising the Commission whether the tariff is in compliance with the Commission's order of March 28. If Staff is unable to comply with this order, the Commission will require Staff to file a pleading so stating and advising the Commission of a date certain by which Staff will file its recommendation.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Staff of the Commission shall file a recommendation advising the Commission of whether Missouri-American Water Company's tariff submission, filed on

March 29, 2006, is in compliance with the Commission's order approving the company's infrastructure system replacement surcharge.

- 2. The Staff of the Commission shall file the pleading described in ordered paragraph 1 no later than March 31, 2006.
- 3. If the Staff of the Commission is unable to file its recommendation by March 31, 2006, then Staff shall file a pleading stating that it is unable to comply and advising the Commission of a date certain by which Staff will file its recommendation.
 - 4. This order shall become effective on March 30, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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Kennard L. Jones, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 30th day of March, 2006.