

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office in
Jefferson City on the 25th day
of January, 2007.

In the Matter of the Petition of Missouri-American)	
Water Company for Approval to Change Its)	<u>Case No. WO-2007-0272</u>
Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge)	Tariff No. YW-2007-0496
(ISRS).)	

**ORDER SUSPENDING TARIFF, RESERVING HEARING DATE,
AND DIRECTING FILING**

Issue Date: January 25, 2007

Effective Date: February 18, 2007

On January 19, 2007, Missouri-American Water Company filed a petition with the Missouri Public Service Commission pursuant to Sections 393.1000, 393.1003 and 393.1006, RSMo; and 4 CSR 240-2.060(1) and 4 CSR 240-3.650, requesting that the Commission authorize it to adjust its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge. Section 393.1006.2(3) requires the Commission to act on Missouri-American's application no later than 120 days after it was filed. Thus, the Commission must issue a order regarding the petition effective no later than May 19, 2007. With its application, Missouri-American filed a tariff that will implement the surcharge. Unless the Commission acts to suspend that tariff, it will become effective on February 18, 2007.

So that it can consider Missouri-American's implementing tariff at the same time it considers the underlying application, the tariff will be suspended until May 19, 2007, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.

Section 393.1006.2(2) states that the Staff of the Commission may examine information filed by Missouri-American to confirm that the underlying costs are in accordance with the above sections and to confirm proper calculation of the proposed charge. Additionally, the section allows Staff to file a report regarding its examination no later than 60 days after the petition is filed. The Commission, therefore, will direct Staff to file a report consistent with Section 393.1006.2(2), and will set a time for any responses to the report and reserve a date for any hearing or presentation of the report.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The tariff sheet filed by Missouri-American Water Company on January 19, 2007, and assigned tariff number YW-2007-0496, is suspended until May 19, 2007. The tariff sheet suspended is:

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**Fourth Revised SHEET NO. RT 18.0,
CANCELLING Third Revised SHEET NO. RT 18.0**

2. The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file a report in compliance with Section 393.1006, RSMo, no later than March 20, 2007.
3. Any responses to Staff's report shall be filed no later than March 30, 2007.
4. The parties shall reserve April 20, 2007, as the date for a hearing or presentation if one becomes necessary.

5. This order shall become effective on February 18, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Davis, Chm., Murray, Gaw, Clayton,
and Appling, CC., concur.

Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge