BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of I.H. Utilities, Inc.,) Small Company Rate Increase)
 File No.
 WR-2010-0048

 Tracking No.
 YW-2010-0068

ORDER TO FILE STATUS REPORT

Issue Date: August 10, 2009

Effective Date: August 10, 2009

The Missouri Public Service Commission is ordering the parties to file a status report. On August 6, 2009, the regulatory law judge assigned to this action convened a procedural conference. At such conference, Staff stated that new information had arrived the night before. Staff and the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC") agreed that such new information may change the substance of the disposition agreement and tariffs on file. The tariffs have an effective date of September 30, 2009, and OPC has requested a local public hearing. A local public hearing is not helpful until the Commission and customers know whether the disposition agreement and tariff are still at issue. Therefore, the Commission will order the filing of a status report.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than August 13, 2009, the Commission's staff ("Staff") and the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC") shall file a status report. Such status report shall inform the Commission of the filing party's position on the disposition agreement and tariff, and how such party intends to proceed. Staff and OPC may file such report jointly or separately.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

HEM

Steven C. Reed Secretary

Daniel Jordan, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 10th day of August 2009.

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