

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Missouri Gas Energy, a Division of Laclede Gas Company, For Approval to Change its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge ) ) ) )  
 ) ) ) ) File No. GO-2014-0179  
 ) ) ) ) Tariff No. YG-2014-0319  
 ) ) ) ) Tariff No. YG-2014-0244

## ORDER SUSPENDING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE AND SUSPENDING TARIFF

Issue Date: March 6, 2014

Effective Date: March 6, 2014

On March 5, 2014, Missouri Gas Energy, a division of Laclede Gas Company (MGE) filed a motion asking the Commission to suspend the procedural schedule for this case. The motion explains that MGE and the Office of the Public Counsel have reached an agreement in principle that will resolve the disagreement between MGE and Public Counsel and eliminate the need for a hearing on MGE's request to change its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge. MGE indicates its intention to file a written stipulation and agreement on March 10. No party objects to MGE's motion to suspend the procedural schedule.

Since an agreement in principle has been reached, the Commission will suspend the procedural schedule as requested.

The Commission notes that in an earlier attempt to resolve this case, MGE filed a tariff on February 5 that by its terms will become effective on March 7 unless suspended, withdrawn, or extended. Since allowing that tariff to take effect on March 7 would likely be inconsistent with the stipulation and agreement, the Commission will suspend that tariff until April 5, the effective date of the still pending ISRS revision tariff the company filed on December 6. Counsel for MGE has indicated his agreement to the suspension of that tariff.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The procedural schedule for this case is indefinitely suspended.
2. The hearing scheduled for March 11, 2014 is canceled and shall be removed from the Commission's calendar.
3. Laclede Gas Company's Tariff No. YG-2014-0319, for all Missouri Gas Energy Service Areas, is suspended from March 7, 2014 to April 5, 2014. The specific tariff sheet suspended is:

P.S.C. MO. No. 6, Original Sheet No. 10,  
Canceling P.S.C. Mo. No. 1, Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 10

4. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2014.