

Spire Inc. 700 Market St. St Louis, MO 63101

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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Mr. Morris Woodruff Secretary, Missouri Public Service Commission Governor Office Building 200 Madison Street Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

Re: Case Nos. GR-2017-0215 and 0216

Dear Mr. Woodruff:

I am writing to describe how the confidential information in the attached pleading qualifies as confidential. This information is material, non-public information, so it qualifies as a trade secret, or what was previously referred to as proprietary information. Similar to information filed in these cases with the Company's January 22, 2018 Affidavit, we anticipate that this information is temporarily confidential and will become public upon proper financial disclosure by the Company.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,

<u>/s/ Rick Zucker</u>