

MEMORANDUM

TO: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File,
Case No. GA-2013-0270, File No. YG-2013-0315, Missouri Gas Energy, a division of
Southern Union Company

FROM: Kim Cox, Energy Rate Design & Tariffs Unit

/s/ Thomas M. Imhoff 01/16/13 /s/ Robert S. Berlin 01/16/13
Energy Rate Design & Tariffs Unit/Date Staff Counsel's Office/Date

SUBJECT: Staff Recommendation for Approval of Missouri Gas Energy's Compliance Tariff Filing

DATE: January 16, 2013

On November 12, 2012, Missouri Gas Energy (MGE or Company), a division of Southern Union Company, filed an Application (Application) with the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission), requesting that the Commission grant MGE a certificate of public convenience and necessity (CCN) authorizing it to construct, install, own, operate, control, manage and maintain a natural gas distribution system to provide gas service in Lawrence County (Section 24, Township 28 North, Range 27 West and Section 19, Township 28 North, Range 26 West), Missouri, as an expansion of its existing certificated area. On January 9, 2013, the Commission issued an Order granting that CCN. On January 10, 2013, the Company filed two tariff sheets bearing an effective date of February 9, 2013, reflecting the Commission's granting of the CCN request.

The Commission's Energy Rate Design & Tariff Staff (Staff) has reviewed those tariff sheets and believes they comply with the Commission's Order; therefore, Staff recommends that the Commission approve the tariff sheets, or, in the alternative, allow these tariff sheets to go into effect by operation of law.

The Staff has verified that this company has filed its annual report and is not delinquent on any assessment. Staff is not aware of any other matter before the Commission that affects, or is affected by, this filing.

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4th Revised SHEET No. 6.13 Canceling 3rd Revised SHEET No. 6.13

7th Revised SHEET No. 7 Canceling 6th Revised SHEET No. 7

