

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of a Proposed Amendment to )  
The Commission's Rule Regarding Ex Parte )  
And Extra Record Communications )

**File No. AX-2012-0072**

## NOTICE OF FINDING OF NECESSITY

Issue Date: September 7, 2011

The Commission is opening this file to amend 4 CSR 240-4.020, the Commission's rule regarding ex parte communications with the Commission. The Commission finds that the subject amendment is necessary to reflect the Commission's experience with the 2010 revision to the rule and to improve the operation of the rule.

The Commission will seek comments from interested persons as to whether the amendment is appropriate and properly designed and written.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2011.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge