

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of Proposed Rules 4 CSR 240-3.162)	
and 4 CSR 240-20.091, Environmental Cost)	<u>Case No. EX-2008-0105</u>
Recovery Mechanisms)	

NOTICE OF FINDING OF NECESSITY

Issue Date: November 29, 2007

Due to the passage of SB179, which allows for Environmental Cost Recovery Mechanisms, the Commission opened this case to provide filing requirements and substantive requirements concerning such mechanisms. The specific proposed rules are as follows: 4 CSR 240-3.162, and 4 CSR 240-20.091. The subject rules are necessary in that they effectuate the Environmental Cost Recovery Mechanism provisions.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 29th day of November, 2007.

Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge