

May 1, 2006

Ms. Colleen M. Dale Secretary of the Commission Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

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EXHIBIT

Dear Ms. Dale:

Enclosed for filing with the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") on behalf of Missouri Gas Energy ("MGE" or "Company"), a division of Southern Union Company ("Southern Union"), please find in electronic format revised tariff sheets. Each of the revised sheets listed below bears an issue date of May 2, 2006 and a proposed effective date of June 2, 2006:

Sheet

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<u>No.</u>	Schedule	First Revised	Original
12	Environmental Response Fund		Tenth Revised
24.3	Purchased Gas Cost Adjustment	Eleventh Revised	Fifth Revised
25	Residential Gas Service	Sixth Revised	
28	Small General Service	Sixth Revised	Fifth Revised
31	Large General Service	Sixth Revised	Fifth Revised
39	Unmetered Gaslight Service	Second Revised	First Revised
42	Large Volume Service	Sixth Revised	Fifth Revised
61.2	Transportation Provisions	Second Revised	First Revised
76	Whiteman Air Force Base	Sixth Revised	Fifth Revised
	Whiteman Air Force Base	Fifth Revised	Fourth Revised
77		Second Revised	First Revised
83	Intrastate Transportation Service		
94	Interim Gas Service for Compression		
	of Natural Gas for use as a Fuel in	Sixth Revised	Fifth Revised
	Vehicular Combustion Engines	Sixth Revised	1 1101 100 1000
R-6	General Terms and Conditions		First Revised
	for Gas Service	Second Revised	First Revised
R-7	General Terms and Conditions		
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R-8	for Gas Service	Second Revised	First Revised
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R-9	General Terms and Conditions		D' Desider d
	for Gas Service	Second Revised	First Revised
R-10	General Terms and Conditions		
	for Gas Service	Second Revised	First Revised
R-14	General Terms and Conditions		Fourth Revised
	for Gas Service	Fifth Revised	
R-15	General Terms and Conditions		
	for Gas Service	Second Revised	First Revised
R-26	General Terms and Conditions		
	for Gas Service	Second Revised	First Revised
R-31	General Terms and Conditions		
	for Gas Service	Second Revised	First Revised
R-34	General Terms and Conditions		
	for Gas service	Fourth Revised	Third Revised

The revised tariff sheets are designed to implement a general rate increase for natural gas service provide by MGE in the amount of \$41,651,345, or 6.8%, based upon MGE's total test year recorded revenue, excluding gross receipts and sales taxes. The purpose of this filing is to recover the increased cost of providing service to customers. MGE has constructed significant new gas service facilities and other costs of providing service, including wages and bad debt expense have increased as well. Also, the percustomer usage assumed in the regulatory process of setting MGE's rates has not reflected actual customer usage patterns, which has been consistently declining. The resulting revenue shortfalls have caused MGE's earnings to fall well short of the level authorized by the Commission. Rates were last increased in October 2004.

Also provided in electronic format herein is the information required by 4 CSR 240-3.030(3)(B) and the direct testimony of the following witnesses: Robert J. Hack; Michael R. Noack, Carlton A. Ricketts; Frank J. Hanley; Russell A. Feingold; Ronald J. Amen; Michael J. Adams and Thomas J. Sullivan.

Two (2) copies of this filing are being furnished to the Office of Public Counsel.

Please bring this filing to the attention of the Commission and the appropriate Commission personnel. In addition, please forward copies of any Commission orders, notices, correspondence, or other material regarding this filing to: May 1, 2006 Ms. Colleen M. Dale Page 3

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Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours, back_ Michael R. Noack

The Office of Public Counsel CC: General Counsel's Office James C. Swearengen

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