BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission,

Complainant,

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File No. GC-2024-0260

Spire Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire,

Respondent.

ORDER GRANTING ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE ANSWER TO COMPLAINT

Issue Date: November 1, 2024 Effective Date: November 1, 2024 On March 25, 2024,¹ the Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed a complaint against Spire Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire alleging violation of certain sections of the Commission's gas safety rules. The Commission directed Spire to file an answer to the complaint by April 29.

Subsequently, on six separate occasions, Spire requested extensions to the deadline to file its answer to the complaint. In each instance, the request stated that Staff had no objection to an extension of the deadline. The Commission granted the extensions, most recently directing Spire to file an answer or status report no later than October 31.

On October 31, Spire filed a *Request for Time to File Answer*, stating that, while Spire and Staff continue to work towards a resolution, it is now appropriate for Spire to

¹ Unless otherwise noted, all dates refer to the year 2024.

file its answer to the complaint. As with Spire's previous requests, Staff does not object to Spire's current request.

The Commission will grant Spire's request.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Spire's request for time to file an answer to Staff's complaint is granted.

2. Spire shall file an answer to the complaint no later than November 15, 2024.

3. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell Secretary

Kenneth J. Seyer, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri on this 1st day of November, 2024.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 1st day of November 2024.



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Nancy Dippell Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

Vancy Dippell

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