

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Request of Spire )  
Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire for a Temporary )  
Waiver from Commission Rules 20 CSR ) **File No. GE-2020-0373**  
4240-40.030 (9)(Q), (13)(M), (15)(C), )  
(15)(D) and (15)(E) and Orders Pertaining )  
to Inspections and Replacements )

## ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSE TO FILING

Issue Date: June 5, 2020

Effective Date: June 5, 2020

On May 15, 2020, Spire Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire filed an application requesting a temporary waiver of compliance with certain gas safety rules under 20 CSR 4240-40.030 and certain Commission orders pertaining to replacements. Spire requests expedited treatment as well as waiver of the Commission's 60-day notice requirement under 20 CSR 4240-4.017.

On May 26, 2020, the Commission's Staff filed a recommendation in this matter and recommended the Commission deny some of Spire's requests and grant other requests with specified conditions. Staff also recommended the Commission require Spire to file a list identifying by location instances of non-compliance with Commission rules and orders as of May 15, 2020, the date of Spire's application.

On June 3, 2020, Spire filed a response to Staff's recommendation, and the Commission ordered Staff to file a reply by June 5, 2020. Staff's reply identifies several issues that may benefit from clarification in an additional filing by Spire.

The Commission will establish a deadline for Spire's response to Staff's updated recommendations.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. If Spire wishes to file a response to Staff's updated recommendations, it shall do so no later than June 8, 2020.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Jana C. Jacobs, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 5th day of June, 2020.

**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 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 2020.**



  
**Morris L. Woodruff**  
**Secretary**

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**June 5, 2020**

**File/Case No. GE-2020-0373**

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

**Sincerely,**



**Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary**

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