

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

In the matter of the application of Missouri Gas	)	
Utility, Inc., for a certificate of convenience and	)	
necessity authorizing it to construct, install, own,	)	
operate, control, manage and maintain a natural	)	File No. GA-2012-0044
gas transmission line and a distribution system to	)	
provide gas service in Benton County, Missouri	)	
as a new certificated area.	)	

**MGU RESPONSE TO STAFF AMENDED RECOMMENDATION**

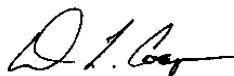
COMES NOW Missouri Gas Utility, Inc. ("MGU") and, in response to the Staff Amended Recommendation, states to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) as follows:

1. On September 13, 2011, the Staff of the Commission ("Staff") filed its Amended Recommendation in this matter. That Recommendation suggested that MGU be granted its requested certificate, subject to certain listed conditions.

2. MGU hereby states that it has no objection to the conditions outlined in the Staff Amended Recommendation.

**WHEREFORE**, MGU requests the Commission consider the above response and issue such orders as it should believe to be reasonable and just.

Respectfully submitted,



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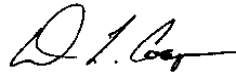
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent by electronic mail to the following counsel this 16<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2011:

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