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RE: Case No. GT-2001-329

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are an original and eight (8) conformed copies of a **JOINT PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**.

This filing has been mailed or hand-delivered this date to all counsel of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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

FILED²
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In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's)
Tariff Filing to Implement an)
Experimental Fixed Price Plan and Other)
Modifications to Its Gas Supply Incentive)
Plan.)

Case No. GT-2001-329

JOINT PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW the Staff ("Staff") of the Public Service Commission of Missouri ("Commission") and suggests the following procedural schedule in the above-captioned matter, in which Staff, Laclede Gas Company, and the Office of the Public Counsel concur:

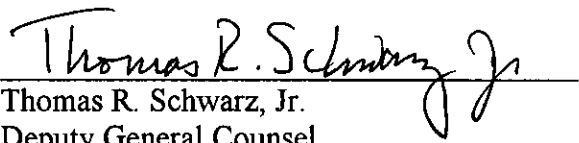
2/16/01	Laclede Gas Company files direct testimony
4/30/01	All other parties file rebuttal testimony
5/15/01	Prehearing conference
5/17/01	Laclede Gas Company files surrebuttal testimony
5/25/01	Issues list filed
6/1/01	Parties file statement of position on the issues
6/11/01	Hearing.

The parties agree that Data Request responses shall be due in ten days, and that working papers will be delivered in hand to the other parties within two days of the testimony filing.

WHEREFORE, on behalf of itself and the other parties the Staff requests the Commission to order the procedural schedule set out above in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

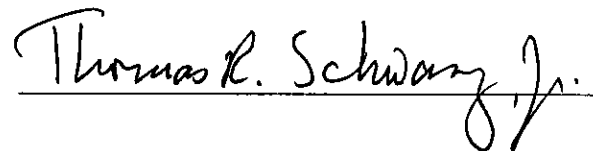
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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to all counsel of record as shown on the attached service list this January 29, 2001.



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