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Rule number 20 CSR 4240-3.200

Use a SEPARATE rule transmittal sheet for EACH individual rulemaking.

Name of person(s) Administrative Rules can contact with questions about this rule:

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TYPE OF RULEMAKING ACTION TO BE TAKEN

Emergency rulemaking > Rule Amendment Rescission Termination

Effective date for the emergency _____

Proposed rulemaking > Rule Amendment Rescission

Rule Action Notice

In Addition

Rule Under Consideration

Request for Non-Substantive Change

Statement of Actual Cost

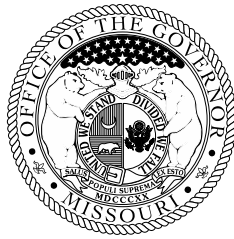
Order of Rulemaking > Withdrawal Adoption Amendment Rescission

Effective date for the order _____

Statutory 30 days OR Specific date _____

Does the Order of Rulemaking contain changes to the rule text? NO

YES—LIST THE SECTIONS/SUBSECTIONS WITH CHANGES:



Mike Kehoe

GOVERNOR
STATE OF MISSOURI

May 22, 2026

Kayla Hahn, Chair
Missouri Public Service Commission
P O Box 360
Jefferson City MO 65102

Dear Ms. Hahn:

Our office has received the Proposed Amendment and Rescission rulemakings for the following regulations:

Amendments

- **20 CSR 4240-3.140** Filing Requirements for Applications for Authority for a Change of Electrical Suppliers
- **20 CSR 4240-3.150** Filing Requirements for Electric Utility Promotional Practices
- **20 CSR 4240-3.155** Requirements for Electric Utility Cogeneration Tariff Filings
- **20 CSR 4240-3.162** Electric Utility Environmental Cost Recovery Mechanisms Filing and Submission Requirements
- **20 CSR 4240-3.200** Definitions Pertaining Specifically to Gas Utility Rules

Rescission

- **20 CSR 4240-3.156** Electric Utility Renewable Energy Standard Filing Requirements

Executive Order 25-13 requires this office's approval before state agencies release proposed regulations for notice and comment, amend existing regulations, or adopt new regulations. After our review, we approve submission of the rule and the regulatory impact report (if required) to JCAR and the Secretary of State.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lowell Pearson".

Lowell Pearson
General Counsel



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Commissioner

May 28, 2026

Denny Hoskins
Secretary of State
Administrative Rules Division
600 West Main Street
Jefferson City, Missouri 65101

Re: 20 CSR 4240-3.200 Definitions Pertaining Specifically to Gas Utility Rules

Dear Secretary Hoskins,

CERTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULE

I do hereby certify that the attached is an accurate and complete copy of the proposed amendment lawfully submitted by the Missouri Public Service Commission.

The Public Service Commission further certifies it has conducted an analysis of whether or not there has been a taking of real property pursuant to section 536.017, RSMo, that the proposed amendment does not constitute a taking of real property under relevant state and federal law.

The Public Service Commission has determined and hereby also certifies that if the proposed amendment does affect small business pursuant to sections 536.300 to 536.310, RSMo, a small business impact statement has been filed as required by those sections. If no small business impact statement has been filed the proposed amendment either does not affect small business or the small business requirements do not apply pursuant to section 536.300.4, RSMo.

Statutory Authority: *section 386.250, RSMo 2016.*

If there are any questions regarding the content of this proposed amendment, please contact:



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Sarah Schappe
Director
Joint Committee on Administration Rules
State Capitol, Room B8A
Jefferson City, Missouri 65101

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**Title 20—DEPARTMENT OF
COMMERCE AND INSURANCE
Division 4240—Public Service Commission
Chapter 3—Filing and Reporting Requirements**

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

20 CSR 4240-3.200 Definitions Pertaining Specifically to Gas Utility Rules. The Public Service Commission is amending the Purpose Section, section (7), and subsections (15)(E) and (15)(I).

PURPOSE: This proposed amendment updates the rule citations in the rule from 4 CSR 240 to the current rule locations in 20 CSR 4240. The amendment also changes subsection (15)(I) for clarification.

*PURPOSE: This rule sets forth the definitions of certain terms used in rules [4 CSR 240-3.205 through 4 CSR 240-3.295] **20 CSR 4240-3.205 through 20 CSR 4240-3.295**, which are in addition to the definitions set forth in rule [4 CSR 240-3.010] **20 CSR 4240-3.010** of this chapter.*

(7) Designated commission personnel means the commission’s Pipeline Safety Program Manager at the address contained in [4 CSR 240-40.020(5)] **20 CSR 4240-40.020(5)** for written reports and the list of staff personnel supplied to the operators for telephonic notices, both as are required by [4 CSR 240-40.020] **20 CSR 4240-40.020**.

(15) Promotional practices means any consideration offered or granted by a gas utility or its affiliate to any person for the purpose, express or implied, of inducing the person to select and use the service or use additional service of the utility or to select or install any appliance or equipment designed to use the utility service, or for the purpose of influencing

the person's choice or specification of the efficiency characteristics of appliances, equipment, buildings, utilization patterns or operating procedures. The term promotional practices shall not include the following activities:

(E) Merchandising appliances or equipment at retail and, in connection therewith, the holding of inventories, making and fulfillment of reasonable warranties against defects in material and workmanship existing at the time of delivery and financing; provided that the merchandising shall not violate any prohibition contained in [4 CSR 240-14.020] **20 CSR 4240-14.020**;

(I) [Offering to present or prospective customers by a gas utility technical or engineering assistance] **Offering technical or engineering assistance to current or prospective customers**; and

*AUTHORITY: section 386.250, RSMo [2000] **2016**.** This rule originally filed as 4 CSR 240-3.200. Original rule filed Aug. 16, 2002, effective April 30, 2003. Moved to 20 CSR 4240-3.200, effective Aug. 28, 2019. **Amended: Filed , effective .**

**Original authority: 386.250, RSMo 1939, amended 1963, 1967, 1977, 1980, 1987, 1988, 1991, 1993, 1995, 1996.*

PUBLIC COST: This proposed amendment will not cost state agencies or political subdivisions more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) in the aggregate.

PRIVATE COST: This proposed amendment will not cost private entities more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) in the aggregate.

NOTICE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: Anyone may file comments in support of or in opposition to this proposed amendment with the Missouri Public Service Commission, Nancy Dippell, Secretary of the Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, MO 65102. To be considered, comments must be received at the commission's offices on or before July 31, 2026, and should include a reference to

Commission Case No. OX-2026-0334. Comments may also be submitted via a filing using the commission's electronic filing and information system at https://psc.mo.gov/General/Submit_Comments. A public hearing regarding this proposed amendment is scheduled for August 5, 2026, at 11:30 a.m., in Room 310 of the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison St., Jefferson City, MO. Interested persons may appear at this hearing to submit additional comments and/or testimony in support of or in opposition to this proposed amendment and may be asked to respond to commission questions. Any persons with special needs as addressed by the Americans with Disabilities Act should contact the Missouri Public Service Commission at least ten (10) days prior to the hearing at one (1) of the following numbers: Consumer Services Hotline 1-800-392-4211 or TDD Hotline 1-800-829-7541.