

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

In the matter of the application of Summit Natural)	
Gas of Missouri, Inc., for a certificate of)	
convenience and necessity authorizing it to)	
construct, install, own, operate, control, manage)	<u>File No. GA-2012-0285</u>
and maintain a distribution system to provide gas)	
service in Benton, Morgan, Camden and Miller)	
Counties in Missouri, as a certificated area.)	

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW the Staff ("Staff") of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission"), by and through counsel, and hereby moves the Commission for an extension of time of one week, up to and including June 1, 2012, within which to file *Staff's Recommendation*. In support thereof, Staff states:

1. On April 20, 2012, Staff filed a Status Report in response to the Commission's April 12, 2012 Order Directing Staff to File a Status Report informing the Commission that it anticipated filing its recommendation on or before Friday, May 25, 2012.

2. Staff has conferred with counsel for Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. and counsel for Office of the Public Counsel, and both parties have indicated they do not oppose Staff's request for a one week extension to file its recommendation.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will grant it an extension of time of one week, up to and including June 1, 2012, within which to file to file *Staff's Recommendation* in this matter.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served, either electronically or by First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, on this 23rd day of May, 2012, to the parties of record as set out on the official Service List maintained by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission for this case.

/s/ Tanya K. Alm