BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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USW Local 11-6,

Complainant,

Respondent.

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Laclede Gas Company,

Case No. GC-2006-0390

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO FILE TESTIMONY OUT OF TIME

Issue Date: November 6, 2006

Effective Date: November 6, 2006

On October 23, 2006, USW Local 11-6 filed the direct testimony of Mary Hall along with a motion asking leave to file the testimony out of time. The established procedural schedule required the union to file its direct testimony on September 26.

The Commission's Staff filed a response on October 27, indicating that it does not oppose the motion. No other party has filed a response.

The union's motion is reasonable and is not opposed by any party. The motion will be granted.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. USW Local 11-6's motion for leave to file the testimony of Mary Hall out of time is granted.

2. This order shall become effective on November 6, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 6th day of November, 2006.