BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Norman Harrold,)	
)	
Complainant.)	
V.)	
)	Case No. GC-2007-0311
Laclede Gas Company,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

ADDITIONAL REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and for its Request for Additional Time to File states:

- 1. On February 22, 2007, Mr. Norman Harrold filed a complaint against Laclede Gas Company disputing, among other things the amount of an estimated bill.
- 2. On February 23, the Commission issued its Order Directing Staff to Investigate and File a Report.
 - 3. On March 28, Laclede Gas Company Filed its Answer to Complaint.
- 4. Counsel for Staff recently discussed the Complaint with both Mr. and Mrs. Harrold who indicated that settlement discussions with Laclede are ongoing and that settlement is possible. Mrs. Harrold suggested that an additional extension of time may be helpful in reaching resolution with Laclede.
- 5. If settlement discussions are not successful, Staff will file its Recommendation in this case no later than June 26.

WHEREFORE Staff requests that the Commission grant Staff additional time to file its

Recommendation as settlement discussions are ongoing.

Respectfully submitted,

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