OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Paper, Allied-Industrial, Chemica Energy Workers Local No. 5-6,	l, and)
	Complainant,)
V.) <u>Case No. GC-2006-0060</u>
Laclede Gas Company,)
	Respondent.)

ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO FILE RESPONSE OUT OF TIME

Issue Date: January 20, 2006 Effective Date: January 20, 2006

On January 18, 2006, Paper, Allied-Industrial, Chemical, and Energy Workers Local No. 5-6 requested leave of the Commission to file a response to Laclede Gas Company's Motion to Dismiss. Because the tariff which is the subject of the Complaint is already in effect, and no further delay will result as a matter of the response, the Commission shall grant the request.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 1. That Paper, Allied-Industrial, Chemical, and Energy Workers Local No. 5-6's Motion for Leave to File Response to Motion to Dismiss is granted.
- 2. That Paper, Allied-Industrial, Chemical, and Energy Workers Local No. 5-6 shall file its response no later than January 20, 2006.

3. That this order shall become effective on January 20, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 20th day of January, 2006.