

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

The Staff of the Missouri Public
Service Commission,

Complainant,

v.

Missouri Pipeline Company, LLC; Missouri Gas
Company, LLC; Omega Pipeline Company, LLC;
Mogas Energy, LLC; United Pipeline Systems, Inc.;
and Gateway Pipeline Company, LLC.

Respondents.

Case No. GC-2006-0378

ORDER ESTABLISHING TIME IN WHICH TO RESPOND TO MOTION
TO COMPEL DISCOVERY

Issue Date: May 11, 2006

Effective Date: May 11, 2006

On May 10, 2006, the Commission's Staff filed a motion asking the Commission to compel the Respondents to comply with Staff's discovery demands. Staff's motion explains that the Respondents have refused to comply with subpoenas duces tecum by refusing to attend scheduled depositions. Staff has again demanded discovery from the Respondents beginning on May 19, and for that reason asks the Commission to rule on its Motion to Compel Discovery by May 18.

Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(15) provides that parties are allowed not more than ten days to respond to a motion unless otherwise ordered by the Commission. Because it has requested expedited consideration of its Motion to Compel Discovery, Staff suggests that the Respondents be ordered to respond to that motion by Friday, May 12.

However, since Staff's motion was not filed until after 5:00 p.m. on May 10, and this order is being issued on May 11, requiring a next day response would be unreasonable. Therefore, the Respondents will be directed to file their response to Staff's Motion to Compel Discovery no later than Monday, May 15. That response date will still allow the Commission time to rule on Staff's motion by May 18.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Any party that wants to respond to Staff's Motion to Compel Discovery shall do so no later than May 15, 2006.
2. This order shall become effective on May 11, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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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 11th day of May, 2006.