

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

USW Local 11-6,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	<b><u>Case No. GC-2006-0390</u></b>
	)	
Laclede Gas Company,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

**ORDER ESTABLISHING TIME IN WHICH TO RESPOND TO MOTION**  
**TO SUBMIT TESTIMONY BY DEPOSITION AND MOTION TO PERMIT**  
**TESTIMONY BY TELEPHONE**

Issue Date: February 14, 2007

Effective Date: February 14, 2007

On February 13, 2007, USW Local 11-6 filed motions asking the Commission for authority to submit the deposition testimony of Mike Tracey in lieu of requiring him to appear at the resumption of the hearing, now scheduled for February 26 and 27, 2007. On the same day, Local 11-6 filed a motion asking that another potential witness, Sheila Thomasson, be allowed to testify by telephone if she is allowed to testify at the hearing.

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. So that it will have time to rule on these motions before the hearing resumes, the Commission will shorten the time for response to the motions.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. Any party wishing to respond to USW Local 11-6's Motion to Submit Testimony by Deposition and Motion to Permit Testimony by Telephone shall do so no later than February 16, 2007.

2. This order shall become effective on February 14, 2007.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

( S E A L )

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 14th day of February, 2007.