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Secretary of the Commission Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street, Suite 100 P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360 JUL 2 6 2002

Missouri Public Service Commission

RE: Laclede Gas Company

Case No. GA-2002-429

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter are the original and eight (8) copies of Laclede Gas Company's Witness List and Order of Cross-Examination. A copy of the foregoing document has been hand-delivered or mailed this date to each party of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely, James M. Kalin

James M. Fischer

/jr Enclosures

cc: Office of the Public Counsel

Dana K. Joyce, General Counsel

Diana Vulstyke

Lisa C. Langeneckert

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FILE OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

| Service Commission |
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| In the Matter of the Application of |) | Commiss | ĕior |
| Laclede Gas company for an Accounting |) | } | |
| Authority Order Authorizing the Company |) | j | ļ |
| to Defer for Future Recovery |) | Case No. GA-2002-429 | |
| Consideration its Revenue Loss that |) | | |
| would otherwise be Unrecovered Due to |) | | |
| the Impact of Warm Weather on the |) | | |
| Company's Operations. |) | | |
| the Impact of Warm Weather on the |)) | | |

WITNESS LIST AND ORDER OF CROSS-EXAMINATION

COMES NOW Laclede Gas Company ("Laclede" or "Company"), and for its

Witness List and Order of Cross-Examination, states as follows:

The hearing on this matter has been currently set for August 19-21. 1.

Laclede proposes the following order of witnesses and cross-examination:

Witness:

Michael Spotanski (Laclede)

August 19

Order of Cross:

Missouri Energy Group ("MEG")

Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers

("MIEC")

Office of Public Counsel ("OPC")

Commission Staff ("Staff")

Witness:

Russell Trippensee (OPC)

August 19

Order of Cross:

Staff

MIEC MEG Laclede

Witness:

Mark Burdette (OPC)

August 19

Order of Cross:

Staff

MIEC MEG

Laclede

Witness:

Mark Oligschlaeger (Staff)

August 20

Order of Cross:

OPC

MIEC MEG Laclede

Witness:

James Russo (Staff)

August 20

Order of Cross:

OPC MIEC

MEG Laclede

Witness:

James Gray (Staff)

August 20

Order of Cross:

OPC

MIEC MEG

Laclede

Witness:

John Mallinckrodt (MIEC)

August 20

Order of Cross:

MEG

OPC Staff

Laclede

2. The Order Adopting Procedural Schedule dated May 30, 2002, required the parties to file a joint pleading establishing the order of cross-examination. Laclede has consulted with the other parties in the case regarding this pleading. Staff and OPC have agreed to the order of cross-examination contained herein. MEG disagrees with the above stated order of cross-examination and has filed its own pleading regarding this issue. MIEC supports the order of cross-examination proposed by MEG.

WHEREFORE, Laclede Gas Company respectfully requests that the

Commission issue an Order approving the order of witnesses and cross-examination set forth herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Witness List And Order Of Cross-Examination was served on the parties of record on this 26th day of July, 2002 by hand-delivery or by placing a copy, postage prepaid, in the United States mail.

James M. Fischer