

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

In the matter of the Application of Missouri)
Gas Energy, a division of Southern Union)
Company, for a certificate of public)
convenience and necessity authorizing it to)
construct, install, own, operate, control, manage)
and maintain a natural gas distribution system to)
provide gas service in Carroll County,)
Missouri, as an expansion of its existing)
certified area.)

Case No. GA-2008-0281

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), and for its Status Report, states:

1. On April 21, 2008, the Commission issued its *Order Extending Time For Staff To File Recommendation* (Order), directing Staff to file a status report no later than June 20, 2008.
2. As of this filing date, the Staff is unable to act on Missouri Gas Energy's Application for certificate of convenience and necessity because the Company has not submitted a feasibility study as required under Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.205(1)(A)5.

WHEREFORE, the Staff prays the Commission accept its Status Report as submitted in accordance with the Commission's Order in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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