

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

In the Matter of the Complaint of Susan)	
Smith,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	Case No. GC-2007-0469
)	
Laclede Gas Company,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

STAFF’S REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and respectfully submits as follows:

1. On June 6, 2007, Susan Smith (Complainant) filed her complaint against Laclede Gas Co. (Company), alleging certain overcharges and requesting relief thereof. After filings by all parties, the Commission ordered a Prehearing Conference be held on September 6, 2007.

2. At the Prehearing Conference, the Company reached a resolution with the Complainant to the matters at issue in the Complaint. The Complainant stated that she would shortly file a Notice of Dismissal.

3. Because Staff anticipates the filing of a Notice of Dismissal by September 27, 2007, Staff requests that the Commission postpone the Filing of a Procedural Schedule until September 28, 2007.

WHEREFORE, Staff requests that the Commission postpone the Filing of a Procedural Schedule in anticipation of the filing of a Notice of Dismissal.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to all counsel of record this 13th day of September, 2007.

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