

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

In the Matter of the Application of Missouri Gas)	
Energy, an Operating Unit of Laclede Gas Company,)	<u>File No. GO-2015-0179</u>
For Approval to Change its Infrastructure System)	Tariff No. YG-2015-0255
Replacement Surcharge)	

**ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, DIRECTING FILINGS AND SETTING
INTERVENTION DEADLINE**

Issue Date: February 3, 2015

Effective Date: February 3, 2015

On January 30, 2015, Missouri Gas Energy (“MGE”), an operating unit of Laclede Gas Company, filed a verified application and petition with the Missouri Public Service Commission, pursuant to Sections 393.1009, 393.1012, and 393.1015,¹ and Commission Rules 4 CSR 240-2.060, 2.080 and 3.265, requesting that the Commission authorize it to change its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge (“ISRS”). Section 393.1015.2(3) requires that the Commission act on MGE’s application no later than 120 days after the petition was filed; therefore, the Commission must issue an order regarding the application effective no later than May 30, 2015.

Section 393.1015.1(2) requires that the Commission publish notice of MGE’s filing. Therefore, the Commission will give notice of this application to the general public and interested persons and set a date for intervention. The Commission’s Data Center shall mail a copy of this notice to the county commission, or equivalent governmental body, of all of the counties within MGE’s gas service territory. The Data Center shall also provide a copy of this notice to the parties in MGE’s most recent gas rate case, File No. GR-2014-0007. In addition, the Commission’s Public Information Office shall make notice of this

¹ All statutory references are to the 2000 Revised Statutes of Missouri, as cumulatively supplemented.

order available to the media serving MGE's service area and to the members of the General Assembly representing MGE's service area.

Pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.265(8) and (9), MGE must file sample customer notices for the Commission's approval. The Office of the Public Counsel may file a response to those notices within ten days of their filing.

Section 393.1015.2(2) allows the Commission's Staff to examine MGE's application to change its ISRS and allows Staff to submit a report of its examination no later than 60 days after the petition is filed. Consequently, the Commission will establish a deadline for Staff to file a recommendation regarding MGE's application.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall serve this order upon the parties to File No. GR-2014-0007, and the County Commissions for the counties of: Andrew, Barry, Barton, Bates, Buchanan, Carroll, Cass, Cedar, Christian, Clay, Clinton, Dade, Dekalb, Greene, Henry, Howard, Jackson, Jasper, Johnson, Lafayette, Lawrence, McDonald, Moniteau, Pettis, Platte, Ray, Saline, Stone, and Vernon.
2. The Commission's Information Officer shall serve notice as set out in the body of this order.
3. Any entity wishing to intervene in this matter shall file an application to do so no later than February 19, 2015. Such applications shall be filed with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission or by using the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System ("EFIS").
4. No later than February 19, 2015, MGE shall file sample customer notices as required by Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.265.

5. No later than ten days after MGE files the sample customer notices, as directed in ordered paragraph number 4, the Office of the Public Counsel may file a response to those notices.

6. No later than March 31, 2015, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file its recommendation in this matter.

7. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Kim S. Burton, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 3rd day of February, 2015.