

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

Lei Guan,	)	
	)	
Complainant	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. GC-2012-0368
	)	
Laclede Gas Company,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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

1. In its July 10, 2012 *Order Directing The Staff Of The Commission To Investigate This Complaint And To file A Report Of Its Investigation*, the Commission ordered Staff to investigate the complaint and to file a report of its investigation no later than August 17, 2012.

2. As a result of discussions with Dr. Guan, the Staff is scheduling a site visit with him to review his concerns about his gas meter and its operation. That visit is planned for August 28, 2012.

3. In order for the Staff to conduct its site visit as a part of its investigation, the Staff requests the Commission grant it an extension of time to September 7, 2012 to file its report.

4. The Staff has discussed this matter with Dr. Guan and he has agreed to this extension. Staff counsel discussed this motion with Laclede counsel and is authorized to represent that Laclede has no objection to this extension.

WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully requests that the Commission grant it an extension of time to file its report in this matter to not later than September 7, 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to all counsel of record this 15th day of August 2012.

/s/ Robert S. Berlin