

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Janet Parks,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	File No. GC-2011-0232
)	
Missouri Gas Energy,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

SECOND ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

Issue Date: June 23, 2011

Effective Date: June 23, 2011

The Missouri Public Service Commission is ordering Janet Parks to show cause why the Commission should not enter an order of dismissal against her.

The Commission's regulations allow dismissal as follows:

The commission, on its own motion . . . , may after notice dismiss a complaint for . . . failure to comply with . . . an order of the commission [;¹]

and:

Failure to appear at a prehearing conference without previously having secured a continuance shall constitute grounds for dismissal of the party or the party's complaint . . . unless good cause for the failure to appear is shown. [²]

Janet Parks failed to comply with the Commission's *Order Setting Pre-Hearing Conference*.³ That order required all parties to appear at the pre-hearing conference.

¹ 4 CSR 240-2.070(6).

² 4 CSR 240-2.090(5).

³ Issued on May 17, 2011.

The pre-hearing conference's date accorded with Janet Parks' availability as set forth in her *[Motion] Requesting Additional Time for Hearing*.⁴

Therefore, the Commission will order Janet Parks to file a response to this order showing cause why the Commission should not enter an order of dismissal, including good cause for failure to appear as scheduled.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than July 5, 2011, Janet Parks shall file a response to this order as described in the body of this order.
2. This order shall be effective immediately on issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

(S E A L)

Daniel Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority under
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 23rd day of June, 2011.

⁴ Filed on May 3, 2011.