

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

In the Matter of the Verified Application and	)	
Petition of Liberty Energy (Midstates) Corp.	)	<b><u>File No. GO-2013-0048</u></b>
d/b/a Liberty Utilities to Change Its Infrastructure	)	Tariff File No. YG-2013-0071
System Replacement Surcharge.	)	

**ORDER DIRECTING FILING OF STAFF REPORT**

Issue Date: August 30, 2012

Effective Date: August 30, 2012

On August 8, 2012<sup>1</sup>, Liberty filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission under Sections 393.1009, 393.1012 and 393.1015, RSMo Cum. Supp. 2010, requesting that the Commission authorize the company to establish an Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge for numerous gas utility plant projects. The Commission issued notice of the application on August 9, giving potential intervenors until August 29 to request intervention. The Commission received no intervention requests.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.265(11) states that the Staff of the Commission may examine the ISRS filing and file a report on its examination no later than 60 days after the filing. The Commission will order Staff to file its report as contemplated by the above-cited rule.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Staff of the Commission shall file its report concerning the above-referenced Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge no later than October 8, 2012.

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<sup>1</sup> All calendar references are to 2012 unless otherwise indicated.

2. This order shall become effective immediately on issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

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Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

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Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012.