

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

In the Matter of the application of Summit)
Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc., for authority to)
issue up to and including \$100,000,000 of) **Case No. GF-2013-0261**
long-term indebtedness.)

STAFF STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission
(Commission) and for its status report states as follows:

1. On November 8, 2012, the Commission issued its *Order Directing Staff To File Status Report* directing Staff to file a statement informing the Commission of a date by which Staff will file a recommendation in the above-captioned case.

2. Based on Staff's initial discussions with the company, Staff intends to file its recommendation not later than December 14, 2012.

WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully requests the Commission accept this status report and permit Staff to file its recommendation no later than December 14, 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 electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 16th day of November, 2012.

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