

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

In the Matter of the Application of Summit)
Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. for Approval)
Of Its Cost Allocation Manual)

Case No. GO-2012-0322

STAFF'S JANUARY 31, 2018 STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through undersigned Staff counsel, and states as follows for the *Staff's January 31, 2018, Status Report*:

1. The Staff previously reported that a conference call / meeting occurred as scheduled on Thursday, November 16, 2017, 10:00 a.m., Conference Room 110, Governor Office Building, Jefferson City, Mo. for Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. ("SNGMo"), the Staff, and the Office of the Public Counsel ("Public Counsel") to discuss SNG's CAM proposal, the Staff's September 29, 2017, "redlined" version of SNGMo's CAM proposal including Staff's questions and comments, and any questions and comments Public Counsel might have.

2. On December 28, 2017, the Staff and Public Counsel received by e-mail from SNGMo a further draft of the CAM and a spreadsheet showing responses to Staff questions and comments which appeared in the redlined CAM that the Staff had e-mailed to SNGMo on September 29, 2017.

3. Earlier this date, the Staff e-mailed to Counsel for SNGMo and Public Counsel a Staff "redlining" of the SNGMo CAM draft document received from SNGMo on December 28, 2017. Among other things, the Staff's redlined version of SNGMo's

December 28, 2017, document includes Staff comments. The Staff in its e-mail to SNGMo and Public Counsel suggests that the parties meet in person and/or by conference call to discuss the different versions and the comments. The Staff offers to answer in writing questions submitted by SNGMo in advance of the meeting and/or conference call.

WHEREFORE, the Staff submits its *January 31, 2017, Status Report*.

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 31st day of January, 2018.

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