

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

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Ozark Energy Partners, LLC)	
for a Certificate of Public Convenience and)	
Necessity to Construct and Operate an)	Case No. GA-2006-0561
Intrastate Natural Gas Pipeline and Gas Utility)	
to Serve Portions of the Missouri Counties of)	
Christian, Stone and Taney, and for)	
Establishment of Utility Rates.)	

OZARK ENERGY PARTNERS' RESPONSE TO STAFF MOTION

COMES NOW Ozark Energy Partners, LLC (hereinafter, "Applicant" or "Ozark"), by and through counsel, and states that Applicant supports the *Staff's Motion to Modify Order to File Staff Recommendation and to Establish Prehearing Conference* filed in this case on August 11, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document has been served electronically on the General Counsel's Office, the Office of the Public Counsel and all counsel of record this 21st day of August 2006.

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