STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION JEFFERSON CITY November 14, 2000

CASE NO: MX-2000-589

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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,

Lake Hardy Roberts

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of a Proposed Amendment to Rule) Case No. MX-2000-589 4 CSR 240-120.100 - Code.

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

On October 26, 2000, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) filed a motion for finding necessity for rule-making. In its status report, filed on October 23, 2000, Staff had promised to file this motion no later than October 27.

The Commission issued its order finding a necessity for rulemaking in this case on June 15, 2000. Staff's motion fails to explain why a second such order is necessary in this case and, consequently, shall be denied. Staff shall file a pleading advising the Commission of a date certain on which the proposed text of the amendment shall be filed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- That the Motion to Find Necessity for Rulemaking, filed by the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission on October 26, 2000, is denied.
- 2. That the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file, by November 27, 2000, a pleading which states a date certain by which the Staff shall file herein the proposed text of the amended rule.

3. That this order shall become effective on November 24, 2000.

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Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(SEAL)

Kevin A. Thompson, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 14th day of November, 2000.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,

Missouri, this 14th day of Nov. 2000.

Dale Hardy Roberts

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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