BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

St. Louis Natural Gas Pipeline LLC)	
	Complainant,)	
V.)	Case No. GC-2011-0294
Laclede Gas Company,	D 1 4)	
	Respondent.)	

SECOND JOINT STATUS REPORT OF LACLEDE GAS COMPANY AND ST. LOUIS NATURAL GAS PIPELINE, LLC

COME NOW Laclede Gas Company ("Laclede") and St. Louis Natural Gas Pipeline, LLC ("SLNGP") and, for their Second Joint Status Report state that, since the August 11, 2011 Status Report, the parties have continued to work on a resolution to this case and have made additional progress in the direction of settlement. Both parties again believe that additional time for negotiation is warranted and request the Commission's permission to continue negotiations and file either a settlement agreement or another status report on or before September 9, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

ST. LOUIS NATURAL GAS PIPELINE, LACLEDE GAS COMPANY LLC

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Certificate of Service

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Second Joint Status Report was served on the Staff and on the Office of Public Counsel on this 25th day of August, 2011 by United States mail, hand-delivery, email, or facsimile.

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