STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 13th day of November, 2019.

In the Matter of the Proposed Amendment of the)
Commission's Rules Relating to Natural Gas Safety)

File No. GX-2020-0112

FINDING OF NECESSITY AND ORDER DIRECTING THAT THE PROPOSED RULE AMENDMENTS BE FILED FOR PUBLICATION

Issue Date: November 13, 2019 Effective Date: November 13, 2019

The Commission has undertaken this rulemaking to adopt recent changes to federal gas pipeline safety rules. These rule amendments are necessary to maintain federal certification and funding of Missouri's pipeline safety program. The Commission finds that the rule amendments are appropriate and necessary to protect the public interest and to carry out the purposes of the statute that granted the Commission authority to regulate in this area.

The Commission will seek comments from interested stakeholders during the rulemaking process.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Secretary of the Commission shall file the rule amendments (20 CSR 4240-40.020 – Incident, Annual, and Safety-Related Condition Reporting Requirements; 20 CSR 4240-40.030 – Safety Standards – Transportation of Gas by Pipeline; 20 CSR 4240-40.033 - Safety Standards – Liquefied Natural Gas Facilities; and 20 CSR 4240-40.080 – Drug and Alcohol Testing) with the Secretary of State as proposed rule amendments.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Kenney, Rupp, and Coleman, CC., concur.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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 13th day of November 2019.

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Morris L. Woodruff

Secretary

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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