BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Summit Natural Gas of)	
Missouri, Inc. and Brightspeed of Missouri,)	
LLC Concerning a Natural Gas Incident at)	File No. GS-2025-0197
Craig-Hurtt Funeral Home Garage in)	
Mountain Grove, Missouri)	

ORDER DIRECTING STATUS REPORT AND GRANTING ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE RESPONSE

Issue Date: June 16, 2025 Effective Date: June 16, 2025

On May 23, 2025,¹ the Commission directed its Staff to file a status report on this matter.

On June 13, Staff filed a Status Report in which it describes actions it has taken since the opening of this file. The Status Report also states that Staff recently learned that, due to restructuring within Brightspeed of Missouri, LLC (Brightspeed), Brightspeed was unaware of the Commission's January 8 order to respond to Staff's initial incident report dated January 6. Staff requests the Commission issue a new order to Brightspeed to respond to Staff's incident report by July 1.

On June 13, Brightspeed filed its *Entry of Appearance and Motion for Additional Time to File a Response* in which it reiterated the information in Staff's Status Report that it was unaware of the Commission's order to respond to Staff's initial incident report. Brightspeed asks that it be allowed to file a response by July 1. The Commission will grant Brightspeed's request.

Staff's Status Report also requests that it be given until September 5 – subsequent to a follow-up inspection of the Distribution Integrity Management Program of Summit

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¹ Unless otherwise noted, all dates refer to the year 2025.

Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. (SNGMO) – to respond as to whether it intends to file a complaint against SNGMO or Brightspeed.

Finally, on February 7, SNGMO filed a *Response to Staff's Initial Report*. The response included an Attachment A in which, under the heading of SNGMO'S RESPONSE TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS, SNGMO indicated that it has implemented many of Staff's recommendations. Staff requests the Commission order SNGMO to provide documentation that it has completed the actions listed for items numbered 1-5. The Commission will do so.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. No later than July 1, 2025, Brightspeed shall file a response to Staff's initial incident report dated January 6, 2025.
- 2. No later than July 31, 2025, SNGMO shall provide documentation to Staff showing that it has completed the actions listed for items numbered 1-5 under the heading of SNGMO'S RESPONSE TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS in its Attachment A to its Response to Staff's Initial Report filed on February 7, 2025.
- 3. No later than September 5, 2025, Staff shall file a status report on this matter, including whether it intends to file a complaint against SNGMO and/or Brightspeed.
 - 4. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION



Nancy Dippell Secretary

Kenneth J. Seyer, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 16th day of June, 2025.

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 16th day of June 2025.

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION June 16, 2025

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

Sincerely,

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