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

In The Matter of Laclede Gas Company's ) File No. GT-2017-0221
Proposed Rebate Tariff Sheet Filing ) Tariff No. JG-2017-0151

## NOTICE THAT TARIFF WILL BE ALLOWED TO GO INTO EFFECT

Issue Date: February 21, 2017

On February 14, 2017, the Commission's Staff filed a motion to suspend or reject a tariff filed by Laclede Gas Company. The challenged tariff bears an effective date of February 22, 2017, and would establish certain promotional practices, including product rebates. Staff's motion contends that one such rebate has not been shown to be cost-effective and is thus improper. The Commission did not immediately take any action regarding Laclede's tariff, but instead directed that any party wishing to respond to Staff's motion do so no later than February 16.

Laclede responded to Staff's motion on February 16, explaining that it has filed a substitute tariff sheet that eliminates the challenged rebate. Staff replied later on February 16, confirming that the filing of the substitute tariff sheet eliminating the challenged rebate satisfies Staff's objection to the tariff. Staff now recommends that Laclede's tariff be allowed to go into effect on its proposed effective date.

In effect, Staff has withdrawn its motion to suspend or reject Laclede's tariff.

Therefore, the Commission will take no action regarding that tariff and it will be allowed to go into effect on its effective date.



## BY THE COMMISSION

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Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 21<sup>st</sup> day of February, 2017.