BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In The Matter of Laclede Gas Company's)	
Request to Increase its Revenues for Gas)	File No. GR-2017-0215
Service)	

ORDER ESTABLISHING TIME TO RESPOND TO MOTION TO COMPEL DISCOVERY

Issue Date: March 22, 2017 Effective Date: March 22, 2017

On February 3, 2017, Laclede Gas Company (Laclede) filed a 60-day notice that it intends to file a general rate case. That notice caused this file to be opened. Laclede has not yet filed its tariffs to start the rate review proceedings, but can do so at any time after April 5. On March 21, the Office of the Public Counsel filed a motion asking the Commission to compel Laclede to immediately answer certain data requests that Public Counsel has issued to allow Public Counsel to begin reviewing Laclede's books in anticipation of the filing of the rate increase request.

Before the Commission rules on Public Counsel's motion to compel, it will establish a time to respond.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Any party wishing to respond to Public Counsel's Motion to Compel Discovery shall do so no later than March 28, 2017.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff 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 22nd day of March, 2017.