

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

In The Matter of Laclede Gas Company d/b/a)
Missouri Gas Energy's Request to Increase its) **File No. GR-2017-0216**
Revenues for Gas 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 d/b/a Missouri Gas Energy (MGE) filed a 60-day notice that it intends to file a general rate case. That notice caused this file to be opened. MGE 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 MGE to immediately answer certain data requests that Public Counsel has issued to allow Public Counsel to begin reviewing MGE'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

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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.