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VIA EMAIL ATTACHMENT TO KELLEY F. CORBARI

The Honorable Julie I. Brown Commissioner and Prehearing Officer c/o Kelley F. Corbari, Esq. Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 140004-GU - Natural gas conservation cost recovery

Dear Commissioner Brown:

At the prehearing conference held October 8 in this docket, all issues were stipulated as to Sebring and the Commission Staff and, absent a request from the Commission, Sebring's witness will be excused. I am unavailable to attend the hearing scheduled for October 22, and while another attorney is available to attend, under the circumstances that would not seem to be necessary. I would therefore request that Sebring and counsel be excused from attending the hearing scheduled for October 22, 2014.

Your consideration of this request is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Norman H. Horton, Jr.

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cc: Commission Clerk Kelly Corbari, Esq. Parties of Record