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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Purchased Gas Adjustment) (PGA) True-up) Docket No. 160003-GU

Filed: October 11, 2016

FLORIDA CITY GAS' RESPONSES TO STAFF'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES (NOS. 1-4)

Florida City Gas ("FCG" or "Company"), hereby submits its Responses to the First Set of

Interrogatories (Nos. 1-4) served on FCG on September 14, 2016. The individual responses

follow this cover sheet.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSES

1. Please explain the reasons for the \$2,292,715 under recovery for the January – December 2016 projected true-up period.

The Company was \$0.8 million over recovered for the January through July period based on accounting actuals through July 2016. The filing projected higher gas costs through the end of the year with recoveries projected at current rates resulting in the projected \$2.3 million under recovery. Since the filing, the Company has increased the PGA rate for the month of September as it has seen gas costs beginning to increase which changes will be reflected in the May 2017 Final True Up.

2. Referring to Schedule E-3, please explain the difference in pipeline commodity cost and the column labeled "Other charges ACA/Fuel."

Pipeline commodity cost reflects gas costs only. The column labeled "Other charges ACA/Fuel" reflects per therm surcharges for the Pipeline Actual Charge Adjustment Clause ("ACA") and Fuel components.

3. Referring to Schedule E-1, please provide a breakdown and explanation of all the cost components included in line 6, Other (2017 total of \$428,481).

The dollars reflected on Schedule E-1, line 6 labeled "Other" represent the pass through costs of purchasing natural gas from People's Gas to serve isolated Florida City Gas customers. The projections are based on historical billed data from the prior year.

4. Referring to Schedule E-1, line 20, please explain how the therms purchased (total 423,700) associated with "Other" is derived.

The volumes reflected on Schedule E-1, line 20 labeled "Other" represent the projected demand of Florida City Gas customers that are supplied with natural gas purchased from People's Gas. The projections are based on historical billed data from the prior year.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of Florida City Gas's Responses to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories has been furnished by Electronic Mail to the following parties of record this 11th day of October 2016:

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY)

COUNTY OF UNION)

I hereby certify that on this $6^{\pm h}$ day of 0crobeR, 2016, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State and County aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared THOMAS KAUFMANN, who is personally known to me, and he/she acknowledged before me that he/she provided the answers to interrogatory number(s) 1-4 from STAFF'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES TO FLORIDA CITY GAS (NOS. 1-4) in Docket No(s). 160003-GU, and that the responses are true and correct based on his/her personal knowledge.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal in the State and County aforesaid as of this 6^{4h} day of 0ctoBER, 2016.

Notary Public

Deborah Y. Bailey Notary Public New Jersey My Commission Expires 09-08-2020