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Re: Docket No. 040003-GU – Purchased gas adjustment (PGA) true-up

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission on behalf of Peoples Gas System, please find the original and 15 copies of the following:

- Peoples' Petition for Approval of True-Up Amount (for the period January through December 2003);
- Direct Testimony of Edward Elliott (including diskette containing such testimony in MS Word format); and
- Exhibit ___(EE-1), consisting of Schedule A-7 of the prescribed reporting forms.

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The enclosed testimony and exhibit will be offered by Peoples at the hearing in this docket scheduled to commence on November 8, 2004.

Please acknowledge your receipt and the date of filing of the enclosures on the enclosed duplicate copy of this letter, and return the same to me in the enclosed preaddressed envelope.

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Thank you for your usual assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Ansley Watson, Jr.", written in black ink.

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Enclosures

cc: Mrs. Kandi M. Floyd
Matthew R. Costa, Esquire
Parties of Record

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Purchased gas adjustment)
(PGA) true-up.)
_____)

Docket No. 040003-GU
Submitted for Filing:
5-3-04

**PEOPLES GAS SYSTEM'S PETITION
FOR APPROVAL OF TRUE-UP AMOUNT**

Peoples Gas System, through undersigned counsel, and pursuant to the requirements in this docket, hereby petitions the Commission for approval of its purchased gas adjustment true-up amount for the period January 1 through December 31, 2003, in support thereof says:

1. The name and mailing address of Peoples is:

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2. The names and mailing addresses of the persons authorized to receive notices, orders, pleadings and other communications and documents in this docket are:

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3. Pursuant to the requirements in this docket, Peoples has submitted for filing with this petition the testimony of Edward Elliott and Exhibit ____ (EE-1), consisting of Schedule A-7 of the purchased gas adjustment true-up reporting form supplied by the Commission Staff.

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4. As indicated in the testimony of Edward Elliott and in Schedule A-7, Peoples' final true-up amount for the period January 1 through December 31, 2003, including interest and adjustment, net of the estimated true-up for the same period, is an underrecovery of \$7,268,762.

WHEREFORE, Peoples Gas System respectfully requests that the Commission enter its order approving Peoples' final true-up amount for the period January 1 through December 31, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,



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I HEREBY CERTIFY that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been furnished by U. S. Mail, this 30th day of April, 2004, to the following:

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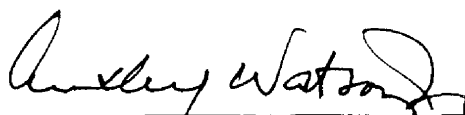
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