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Blanca S. Bayo, Director
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Florida Public Service Commission
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Re: Docket No. 95-118-GU -- Petition for modification of Rider WNA (Weather Normalization Adjustment) to provide for maximum adjustment to customers' bills, by Peoples Gas System, a division of Tampa Electric Company

Dear Ms. Bayo:

By letter dated December 12, 1997 (received by the Commission on December 15), we sent to you for filing Peoples Gas System's petition in the above docket.

Since filing the petition, we have discovered a typographical error in the tariff sheets that were attached to the petition as Exhibits A and B. Under the circumstances, we enclose herewith for filing the originals and 15 copies of Revised Exhibits A and B. Please discard Exhibits A and B to the petition as originally filed, and substitute the enclosed Revised Exhibits A and B therefor.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause, and appreciate your assistance.

Sincerely,



ANSLEY WATSON, JR.

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cc: Mrs. Cheryl Bulecza-Banks, Bureau of Gas Regulation
Mr. Joseph W. McCormick, Peoples Gas System

**RIDER WNA
WEATHER NORMALIZATION ADJUSTMENT**

Availability

Throughout the service area of the Company.

Applicability

The rates for gas sales service provided to all customers served under Rate Schedules RS and CS shall be subject to a weather normalization adjustment. The weather normalization adjustment will reflect the impact of degree day variations from normal levels, as determined on a revenue month basis, for the months of November through April, inclusive. The adjustment will be applied to a Customer's total gas consumption billed during the above defined period, on a cents per therm basis. The adjustment will not be applied to a Customer's bill in a revenue month where the cumulative actual degree day total falls within the Degree Day Dead Band. During the 1997 / 1998 winter heating season, the maximum increase in a residential customer's monthly bill due to application of the Weather Normalization Adjustment will not exceed \$10.00 per month, before the application of taxes. During the 1998 / 1999 winter heating season, the maximum adjustment to a residential customer's monthly bill due to application of the Weather Normalization Adjustment will not exceed \$10.00 per month, before the application of taxes.

Definition of Terms Used in This Rider

1. Commission - the Florida Public Service Commission.
2. Relevant Rate Order - the final order of the Commission in the most recent base rate case of the Company in which the weather related factors applicable to this Rider are utilized to determine normalized test year revenues, or the most recent final order of the Commission specifically prescribing the factors and procedures to be used in the application of this Rider.

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