

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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

DOCKET NO. 980003-GU

FILED: OCTOBER 26, 1998

STAFF'S PRELIMINARY LIST OF ISSUES AND POSITIONS

Pursuant to Order No. PSC-98-1098-PCO-GU, issued August 17, 1998, which establishes the procedures to be followed in this docket, the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission hereby files its Preliminary List of Issues and Positions.

Generic Purchased Gas Adjustment Issues

ISSUE 1: What are the appropriate final purchased gas adjustment true-up amounts for the period April 1997 through March 1998?

POSITION:

Chesapeake: Staff takes no position at this time.

City Gas: Staff takes no position at this time.

FPUC: Staff takes no position at this time.

Indiantown: Staff takes no position at this time.

Peoples: Staff takes no position at this time.

Sebring: Staff takes no position at this time.

St. Joe: Staff takes no position at this time.

South Florida: Staff takes no position at this time.

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ISSUE 2: What are the estimated purchased gas adjustment true-up amounts for the period April 1998 through December 1998?

POSITION:

Chesapeake: Staff takes no position at this time.
City Gas: Staff takes no position at this time.
FPUC: Staff takes no position at this time.
Indiantown: Staff takes no position at this time.
Peoples: Staff takes no position at this time.
Sebring: Staff takes no position at this time.
St. Joe: Staff takes no position at this time.
South Florida: Staff takes no position at this time.

ISSUE 3: What are the total purchased gas adjustment true-up amounts to be collected during the period January 1999 through December 1999?

POSITION:

Chesapeake: Staff takes no position at this time.
City Gas: Staff takes no position at this time.
FPUC: Staff takes no position at this time.
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ISSUE 4: What are the appropriate levelized purchased gas cost recovery (cap) factors for the period January 1999 through December 1999?

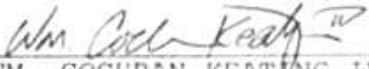
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ISSUE 5: What should be the effective date of the new purchased gas adjustment charge for billing purposes?

POSITION: The factor should be effective for all meter readings on or after January 1, 1999, beginning with the first or applicable billing cycle for the period January 1999 through December 1999.

Respectfully submitted this 26th day of October, 1998.


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CERTIFICATE OF SLAVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that one true and correct copy of Staff's Preliminary List of Issue and Positions has been furnished by U. S. Mail this 26th day of October, 1998, to the following:

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