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DATE: December 2, 2003
TO: Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services
FROM: Sam Merta (Professional Accountant Specialist) SM
RE: Docket No. 030954-GU

Attached are two letters. The first is a November 20, 2003 letter from Bryan J. Powers, Indiantown Gas Company, Inc., to Chairman Lila Jaber, requesting an extension of time to file MFRs between December 4 and December 15, 2003. The second is a November 24, 2003 letter from Chairman Lila Jaber to Bryan J. Powers, granting the extension of time to December 15, 2003. Please include these letters in the above docket file.

cc: Division of Economic Regulation (Rendell)

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Lila A. Jaber, Chairman  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Florida Public Service Commission  
CHAIRMAN JABER

Re: Docket No. 030954-GU, Indiantown Gas Company's Petition for  
a Rate Increase

Dear Chairman Jaber,

By my letter dated September 25, 2003, Indiantown Gas Company gave notice of its intent to file the first general rate case in its history with the Commission on November 24, 2003. Accordingly, your office and the Commission Staff opened Docket No. 030954-GU in anticipation of the Company's filing its Minimum Filing Requirements on that date. Due to circumstances beyond our control, our filing will be delayed for between 10 and 30 days, and accordingly, I write to you today to request an extension of time so that we may file our MFRs between December 4 and December 15, 2003. The Company still intends to use calendar year 2004 as the projected test year for setting final rates, and an historical 2002 test year for setting interim rates. I hope that this delay does not cause any inconvenience for you or for the Commission Staff.

Thank you very much for your consideration. If your Staff have any questions, they should feel free to direct such questions to my attention or to our attorney, Schef Wright, at (850) 681-0311.

Sincerely yours,



Brian J. Powers, President  
Indiantown Gas Company

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LILA A. JABER  
CHAIRMAN

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Public Service Commission

November 24, 2003

Mr. Brian J. Powers  
President  
Indiantown Gas Company, Inc.  
16600 SW Warfield Boulevard  
Indiantown, FL 34956

Re: Docket No. 030954-GU - Indiantown Gas Company's Petition for a Rate Increase

Dear Mr. Powers:

In response to your November 20, 2003, notification letter in the above referenced docket, it has been noted that the Company proposes to utilize a projected twelve-month period ending December 31, 2004, as the test year for the permanent rate proceeding. However, the appropriateness of the selected test year may be an issue in the proceeding. The Company also proposes to utilize a historical twelve-month period ended December 31, 2002, as its test year for interim rate request purposes.

The Minimum Filing Requirements and associated testimony will be due at the Commission's offices no later than December 15, 2003. If the Company is unable to file on that date, it must notify the Commission in accordance with the provisions of Rule 25-7.140(3), Florida Administrative Code. It is also my understanding that the Company intends to utilize the Proposed Agency Action procedure that is available pursuant to Section 366.06(4), Florida Statutes.

If you should have any questions, please contact Troy Rendell, Public Utilities Supervisor, in the Division of Economic Regulation at (850) 413-6934.

Sincerely,

Lila A. Jaber  
Chairman

cc: Tim Devlin  
Mary Anne Helton