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Attached for electronic filing, please find the Florida Public Utilities Company's Preliminary Statement of Issues and Positions. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

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Re: Docket No. 110003-GU - Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) True-Up

Dear Ms. Cole:

Attached for electronic filing, please find Florida Public Utilities Company's Preliminary Statement of Issues and Positions in the referenced docket. Also attached is a copy of the Preliminary Statement in Word format.

As always, thank you for your assistance with this filing, and please don't hesitate to let me know if you have any questions at all.

Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Purchased Gas Adjustment)
(PGA) True-up)
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Docket No. 110003-GU

Filed: October 3, 2011

FLORIDA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY'S
PRELIMINARY STATEMENT OF ISSUES AND POSITIONS

Florida Public Utilities Company submits this preliminary statement of issues and positions:

Issue 1: What are the final purchased gas adjustment true-up amounts for the period January 2010 through December 2010?

FPUC: An under-recovery of \$2,562,014.

Issue 2: What are the actual/estimated purchased gas adjustment true-up amounts for the period January 2011 through December 2011?

FPUC: An over-recovery of \$2,151,001.

Issue 3: What are the total purchased gas adjustment true-up amounts to be collected during the period January 2012 through December 2012?

FPUC: An under-recovery of \$411,013.

Issue 4: What are the appropriate levelized purchased gas cost recovery (cap) factors for the period January 2012 through December 2012?

FPUC: The appropriate PGA factor is 79.064 cents per therm, which includes additional capacity costs included in the Company's 2012 projections and reflecting anticipated additional upstream supply and capacity to serve new customers in 2012 in Nassau County.

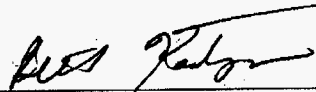
Issue 5: What should be the effective date of the new purchased gas adjustment charge for billing purposes?

FPUC: The factors should be effective for all meter readings on or after January 1, 2012 and should apply for bills rendered for meter readings taken between January 1, 2012 and December 31, 2012.

Issue 6: What changes, if any, should be made to improve the reporting mechanism related to monthly PGA reporting as established in Order No. 24463?

FPUC: Preliminarily, FPUC agrees with Commission Staff's preliminary position that invoices need not be submitted, but merely retained for audit purposes. FPUC also agrees that elimination of the monthly flex down notice would be appropriate. FPUC continues to review this issue and may revise its position with its Prehearing Statement.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 3rd day of October, 2011.



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