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DATE: September 4, 2020

TO: Kurt Schrader, Senior Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

FROM: Orlando Wooten, Engineering Specialist II, Division of Engineering

RE: CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION
DOCKET NO(s): 20200051-EI DOCUMENT NO(s): 04572-2020
DESCRIPTION: PGS (Brown) - (CONFIDENTIAL) Thumb drive containing excel file containing project charters in regard to response to staff's 1st [set of interrogatories (No. 1)]
SOURCE: Peoples Gas System

Pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes (F.S.), and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Peoples Gas System (PGS or Company) requests confidential classification of certain information filed to supplement a response to staff discovery dated August 18, 2020. This recommendation specifically addresses PGS's supplemental response to Staff's 1st Set of Interrogatories (ROG), No. 1.

The Company is claiming confidentiality of its supplemental response to Staff's 1st ROG, No. 1 under Section 366.093(3)(d), F.S. Per the Statute, proprietary confidential business information includes, but is not limited to; Subsection (d) "[i]nformation concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the public utility or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms." The information was provided as a supplement response to Staff's 1st ROG for which confidentiality has already been approved. The supplemental response to No. 1 contains details of project charters used in the evaluation of capital projects.

Staff has reviewed the supplemental response information PGS filed in response to Staff's 1st ROG, No. 1 as well as the Company's confidentiality request. It is staff's opinion that the information that is the subject of this request meets the criteria for confidentiality contained in Section 366.093(3)(d), F.S.



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DATE: September 8, 2020

TO: Division of Economics, Office of Primary Responsibility

FROM: OFFICE OF COMMISSION CLERK

RE: CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION

DOCKET NO: 20200051-GU, 20200166-GU DOCUMENT NO: **04572-2020**

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The above confidential material was filed along with a **request for confidential classification**. Please complete the following form by checking all applicable information and forward it to the attorney assigned to the docket, along with a brief memorandum supporting your recommendation.

- The document(s) is (are), in fact, what the utility asserts it (them) to be.
- The utility has provided enough details to perform a reasoned analysis of its request.
- The material has been received incident to an inquiry.
- The material is confidential business information because it includes:
 - (a) Trade secrets;
 - (b) Internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors;
 - (c) Security measures, systems, or procedures;
 - (d) Information concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the public utility or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms;
 - (e) Information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of information;
 - (f) Employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities;
- The material appears to be confidential in nature and harm to the company or its ratepayers will result from public disclosure.
- The material appears not to be confidential in nature.
- The material is a periodic or recurring filing and each filing contains confidential information.

This response was prepared by Orlando Wooten on 09/04/2020, a copy of which has been sent to the Office of Commission Clerk and the Office of General Counsel.