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| Recovery Rates Effective March 3, 2011 |) | Case No. 89-8002-GA-TRF |
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Enclosed for purposes of updating the Company's gas tariff, are ten (10) copies each of the following tariffs to become effective March 3, 2011:

Sheet No. 10.138 – Index to Applicable Gas Schedules and Communities Served
Sheet No. 71.171 – Rider GCRR, Gas Cost Recovery Rate
Sheet No. 76.55 - Rider CCCR, Contract Commitment Cost Recovery Rider

Sheet No. 71.171 specifies the gas cost recovery rate of 54.82 cents per 100 cubic feet, which is to be applied to bills rendered during the revenue month of March 2011.

The revised "Index" is filed to reflect the revised sheet numbers and effective date of these tariff changes.

One copy of the enclosed filed tariffs is to be designated for the above referenced TRF docket number.

Please time-stamp the enclosed extra copies and return for our file. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Dana Patten

Enclosure

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RIDER GCRR
GAS COST RECOVERY RATE

The Gas Cost Recovery Rate (GCRR) shall be determined in accordance with Chapter 4901:1-14 of the Ohio Administrative Code, which is substantially cited in its entirety on Sheet No. 70 of this Tariff, P.U.C.O. Gas No. 18.

The GCRR to be charged during the revenue month of March 2011 is \$0.5482 per 100 cubic feet.

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RIDER CCCR

CONTRACT COMMITMENT COST RECOVERY RIDER

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all firm sales and firm transportation customers.

CONTRACT COMMITMENT COST RECOVERY RIDER

All firm customers served pursuant to Rates RS, Rate RS – Low Income, Rate GS – Small, Rate GS – Large, Rate RFT, Rate RFT – Low Income, Rate FT – Small and Rate FT – Large shall be assessed a surcharge to enable the Company to fully recover all costs of upstream pipeline contract commitments, propane costs, GSF contract costs, and Rate X-4 and X-5 costs which were incurred to supply gas to firm sales service customers who have elected to switch to gas transportation service.

The rate shall be in effect during the months of March 2011 through May 2011 and shall be updated quarterly, concurrent with the Company's Gas Cost Recovery filings, to reflect the cost of unneeded capacity, net of any costs that the Company is able to recover via its mitigation efforts, including, but not limited to, capacity release transactions. The charge for all CCF delivered for the respective gas schedules is as follows:

| <u>Tariff Sheet</u> | <u>CCR Charge</u> (per CCF) |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Rate RS, Residential Service | \$0.00000 |
| Rate GS, General Service | \$0.00000 |
| Rate RFT, Residential Firm Transportation Service | (\$0.00190) |
| Rate FT, Firm Transportation Service | (\$0.00190) |

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