BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Regulation of the)		
Purchased Gas Adjustment Clauses,)		
Uncollectible Expense Rider, or Long-Term)		
Forecast Report of:)		
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Suburban Natural Gas Company,)	Case No.	11-116-GA-FOR
Northeast Ohio Natural Gas Corporation,)	Case No.	11-1376-GA-FOR
)	Case No.	12-109-GA-FOR
)	Case No.	13-209-GA-GCR
Ohio Cumberland Gas Company,)	Case No.	13-211-GA-GCR
Orwell Natural Gas Company,)	Case No.	13-212-GA-GCR
Piedmont Gas Company, and)	Case No.	13-213-GA-GCR
Suburban Natural Gas Company)	Case No.	13-216-GA-GCR
- ,)	Case No.	13-1700-GA-FOR
And Related Matters.)		

<u>ENTRY</u>

The Commission finds:

- (1) Suburban Natural Gas Company, Northeast Ohio Natural Gas Corporation, Ohio Cumberland Gas Company, and Orwell Natural Gas Company are natural gas companies and public utilities under R.C. 4905.02 and 4905.03 and, as such, are subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission.
- (2) R.C. 4905.302(C) and Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-14-07 and 4901:1-14-08 require that the Commission periodically conduct audits and hold hearings related to the gas cost recovery (GCR) rates utilized by the regulated natural gas companies. The Commission opened GCR dockets in Case Nos. 13-209-GA-GCR, 13-211-GA-GCR, 13-212-GA-GCR, 13-213-GA-GCR, and 13-216-GA-GCR in order to receive the involved companies' respective GCR reports.
- (3) The Commission finds that the sole purpose of the cases listed in Finding (2) was for the filing of the involved companies' 2013 GCR reports. Therefore, at this time, we find that the cases listed in Finding (2) should be closed of

record and the audits for those companies' 2013 GCRs should be conducted in subsequent cases.

(4) R.C. 4935.04(C) and Ohio Adm.Code 4901:5-1-02 require the filing of a long-term forecast report (LTFR) by each entity furnishing gas or natural gas directly to more than 15,000 customers within Ohio. Case Nos. 11-116-GA-FOR, 11-1376-GA-FOR, 12-109-GA-FOR, and 13-1700-GA-FOR were initiated so that the involved companies could file their LTFRs. In that the companies filed their LTFRs, we now find that these cases should be closed of record.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That Case Nos. 11-116-GA-FOR, 11-1376-GA-FOR, 12-109-GA-FOR, 13-209-GA-GCR, 13-211-GA-GCR, 13-212-GA-GCR, 13-213-GA-GCR, 13-216-GA-GCR, and 13-1700-GA-FOR be closed as a matter of record. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties of record in these cases.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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