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Orwell Natural Gas Company, Complainant

vs.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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before Mr. Scott Farkas, Hearing Examiner, at the
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad
Street, Room 11-D, Columbus, Ohio, called at
10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, March 22, 2016.

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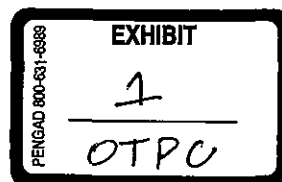
Subject: Great Plains Exploration / Orwell Natural Gas / Orwell-Trumbull Pipeline Co.

Gentlemen:

Thank you for taking my call earlier today. As I stated, I am regulatory counsel in Ohio for Orwell Trumbull Pipeline Company (OTPC), an intrastate pipeline company regulated by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio and controlled by Mr. Richard Osborne. OTPC has an interruptible service contract with a customer, Orwell Natural Gas Company (ONG), that is a subsidiary of Gas Natural Inc. ONG is a gas distribution company that is also a utility regulated by the PUCO. ONG pays OTPC for transportation service over OTPC's pipelines in order to provide service to ONG's customers. ONG purchases the natural gas which it delivers to its customers via OTPC off an interstate pipeline belonging to Dominion Natural Gas.

One of OTPC's pipelines runs beneath I-90 in Northeast Ohio. ONG serves approximately 26 customers South of I-90 via this particular pipeline, and approximately 13 customers North of I-90, via the same line. The State of Ohio, Department of Transportation (ODOT) has ordered OTPC to relocate that pipeline as part of a state construction project to widen I-90. ODOT insists that the existing line be severed and abandoned **no later than March 18, 2015**, and it has threatened to hold OTPC responsible for any delays in its construction schedule. A new (replacement) line cannot be directionally bored beneath I-90 until sometime in early April.

Because ONG "nominates" natural gas volumes to an OTPC delivery point south of I-90, the result is that service to ONG customers south of I-90 will only be disrupted for a period of approximately four hours. Service north of I-90 via OTPC's facilities, however, will be disrupted somewhere between three and six weeks. OTPC provided notice to ONG last week in order to permit ONG to provide notice to its customers and to make necessary arrangements to provide service by alternative means.



On Monday, ONG filed a complaint against OTPC with the PUCO. The next day, the PUCO issued an entry based upon the complaint directing OTPC to maintain service to all customers of ONG until such time as otherwise Ordered. I am attaching a copy of both the complaint and the entry.

Because the requirements of ODOT and the requirements of the PUCO are inconsistent with each other, I contacted both state agencies and asked them to speak directly with one another. I also asked for an immediate hearing regarding the complaint and an opportunity to seek relief from the PUCO's entry. The PUCO's Deputy Director - Legal (Christine Pirik) and Director - Service Monitoring and Enforcement Department (John Williams) convened a mediation session between the parties at 10:00 a.m. this morning in response to my request.

During our mediation, ONG acknowledged that it can provide the requisite notice to customers south of I-90, and that it can restore service to those customers the same day by no later than Monday - two days before the ODOT deadline.

ONG also acknowledged that it can provide temporary replacement gas to its customers North of I-90 by bringing in compressed natural gas via truck, and injecting that gas into OTPC's pipeline - a practice OTPC would of course permit. However, ONG believes that this is an unreasonably expensive option, and it wishes to avoid the expense of bringing in compressed gas and injecting it into the line.

It asked instead that it be permitted to use natural gas flowing from Great Plains Exploration (GPE) wells into OTPC for delivery to Dominion as a gas supply to ONG customers. It declined to enter into any contract with GPE, however, and instead proposes to simply continue nominating appropriate volumes of gas for delivery to all its customers into OTPC from Dominion (south of I-90). It then anticipates that OTPC and GPE, as companies both owned and controlled by Mr. Rick Osborne, can simply account internally for the shortfall of GPE gas flowing from OTPC pipelines into Dominion north of I-90 by the excess gas flowing from Dominion into OTPC South of I-90.

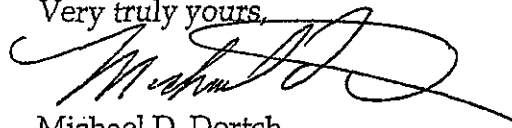
At this point, I informed the PUCO and ONG of GPE's bankruptcy proceeding, and explained that the trustee's approval would be necessary. Still, in an effort to resolve the dispute, to obtain relief from the PUCO entry and thereby permit OTPC to relocate the line as required by ODOT, I agreed to address ONG's proposal to GPE's trustee and to recommend the proposal as a practical solution that would limit the disruption of service and save ONG an expense.

When I attempted to call Mr. Fustine, however, I learned that Mr. Fustine (and Mr. Osborne) were actually in a hearing at the time, and thus unavailable. When I reported this fact to Ms. Pirik and Mr. Williams, they asked that I continue my efforts to contact the trustee, present the proposal to the trustee, and either obtain approval from the trustee, or ask the trustee to participate in a telephonic conference call with the PUCO, ONG (and myself) at 3:00 p.m. today.

Thus, I appreciate you taking my call earlier today. The call in number for the call that I am asking you to participate in is: (866) 209-2820. The conference code is: 1977360042.

Please feel free to contact me at 614.545.5361 either before or after today's call if I may answer any questions you may have.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael D. Dortch', with a stylized, flowing script.

Michael D. Dortch

cc (all via email): Mr. Richard Osborne
Ms. Jessica Carothers
William T. Wulliger, Esq.
Christine Pirik, Esq.
Gina Piacentino, Esq.

**BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

ORWELL NATURAL GAS
COMPANY,

Complainant,

vs.

ORWELL-TRUMBULL PIPELINE
COMPANY, LLC,

Respondent.

Case No.: 15-475-PL-CSS

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COMPLAINT AND REQUEST FOR RELIEF

Pursuant to §4905.26 and §4929.24 of the Ohio Revised Code, Orwell Natural Gas Company hereby files this Complaint with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (hereinafter referred to as "PUCO") asserting violations of the Ohio Revised Code ("ORC"), against Orwell-Trumbull Pipeline Company, LLC and requests the relief set forth herein.

In support of their Complaint, the Complainant states as follows:

PARTIES

1. Orwell Natural Gas Company (hereinafter referred to as "ONG") is an Ohio Corporation with facilities located at 95 E. Main St, Orwell, OH 44076.
2. Orwell-Trumbull Pipeline Company, LLC (hereinafter referred to as "OTP") is an Ohio limited liability company and intrastate pipeline company located at 8500 Station Street, Mentor, Ohio 44060.

JURISDICTION

3. OTP is engaged in the transportation of natural gas in Ohio, and, as such, is a pipe-line company under ORC §4905.03.

4. As a pipe-line company under ORC §4905.03, OTP is also a public utility as defined in ORC §4905.02.

5. ONG is a public utility pursuant to ORC §4905.02.

6. Due to the nature of these two entities, the PUCO has exclusive jurisdiction over this matter.

GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

7. The allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 6 of this Complaint are re-alleged and incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

8. The PUCO has approved Tariffs for ONG and OTP and the two parties have been acting pursuant to those Tariffs since 2008. (See Entry and Order under Case No.: 08-1244).

9. On March 5, 2015, OTP, through an employee, notified ONG that a system fed by OTP off of Vrooman Road in Lake County will be shut down *completely* (emphasis added) for an alleged need to move OTP pipe and/or maintenance.

10. In response to this information, ONG, to protect its customers and for the safety of all involved, sent correspondence to OTP requesting detailed information about the shut down as well as plans to ensure customers would be able to receive gas.

11. On March 6, 2015, OTP responded to this correspondence with a mere email stating "have an Orwell crew prepared to relight the system once OTP comes back on." No other information or answers were provided.

12. As of the filing of this Complaint, the owner of the line was presumed to be OTP, as OTP has been charging the Tariff rate since the line was in service; however, this ownership is now in dispute.

13. Further, there is no evidence or apparent need for this complete shutdown and/or maintenance.

14. If the shutdown is permitted, this would leave several customers without gas during the middle of the winter season.

15. Complainant now files this Complaint with the Commission, asserting the following violations of Ohio law and Commission regulations.

COUNT ONE

16. The allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 14 of this Complaint are re-alleged and incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

17. ORC §4929.22 establishes the minimum service requirements of a retail natural gas supplier for the protection of consumers in the state.

18. ORC §4929.22(E) specifically mandates "minimum service quality, safety and reliability."

19. OTP's obvious intent and plans to shut down the system off Vrooman road is in violation of §4929.

COUNT TWO

20. The allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 18 of this Complaint are re-alleged and incorporate as if fully set forth herein

21. The proposed complete shutdown of the system off Vrooman Road is unjust and unreasonable and violates the PUCO Entry issued in Case No. 14-1654-GA-CSS.

22. ORC §4905.26 provides that any service, measurement or practice by a public utility that is in any respect unjust, unreasonable, unjustly discriminatory, unjustly preferential, or in violation of law, the PUCO will set a hearing.

23. OTP's obvious intent and plans to shutdown the system off Vrooman road is in violation of ORC §4905.26.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated herein, Complainant respectfully requests that the Commission grant the following relief:

1. Find that the Complainant has set forth reasonable grounds for their Complaint;
2. Order an Entry be enforced as to prevent shut-off for residential and commercial customers of ONG;
3. Set a hearing and notify all parties involved;
4. Award Complainant's attorney's fees as statutorily authorized;
5. Order any other remedy permitted by ORC §4905.61;
6. Order any other relief that the Commission deems appropriate, just and reasonable.

Respectfully submitted,

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Counsel for Orwell Natural Gas Company

PRAECIPE FOR SERVICE

TO THE CLERK:

Please cause the Complaint and Request for Relief be served upon the following Defendant

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ATTN: THOMAS J SMITH
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SUITE 100
MENTOR, OH 44060

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Respondent.)	

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) Orwell Natural Gas Company (Orwell Gas or Complainant) and Orwell-Trumbull Pipeline Company, LLC (Orwell-Trumbull Pipeline or Respondent) are public utilities as defined in R.C. 4905.02 and 4905.03, and are subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.
- (2) On March 9, 2015, Orwell Gas filed the instant complaint against Orwell-Trumbull Pipeline, pursuant to R.C. 4905.26 and 4929.24. Complainant states that it received notice from Respondent that a system fed by Respondent off of Vrooman Road in Lake County will be shut down completely for an alleged need to move pipe and/or maintenance. Orwell Gas also notes that it received an electronic mail that stated "have an Orwell crew prepared to relight the system once OTP comes back on." Complainant states that no other information or answers were provided. Orwell Gas alleges that, if the shutdown is permitted, this would leave several customers without gas during the middle of the winter season. Orwell Gas asserts that this shutdown is in violation of R.C. 4929.22 that mandates minimum service quality, safety, and reliability and Respondent should be prohibited from shutting off gas for residential and commercial customers of Orwell Gas.
- (3) Ohio Adm.Code 4901-9-01(E) provides that, if a person filing a complaint against a public utility is facing termination of service by the public utility, the person may request that the

Commission provide assistance to prevent the termination of service during the pendency of the complaint. This section also provides that the person must explain why he or she believes that service is about to be terminated and why the person believes that the service should not be terminated.

- (4) The attorney examiner finds Complainant's request that Respondent be prohibited from shutting off service to Complainant's customers off of Vrooman Road in Lake County during the pendency of this proceeding is reasonable and should be approved. Accordingly, Orwell-Trumbull Pipeline is directed to maintain the provision of service to all customers of Orwell Gas during the pendency of this proceeding or until such time as the Commission orders otherwise.
- (5) R.C. 4905.56 provides that no officer, agent, or employee in an official capacity of a public utility shall willfully fail to comply with any lawful order or directive of the Commission with respect to any public utility. Each day's continuance of such failure is a separate offence.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That Orwell Gas' request that Orwell-Trumbull Pipeline be ordered to not shut off service to the residential and commercial customers served by Respondent off of Vrooman Road in Lake County is granted. It is, further,

ORDERED, That Orwell-Trumbull Pipeline is directed to maintain the provision of service to the residential and commercial customers served by Respondent off of Vrooman Road in Lake County during the pendency of this proceeding or until such time as the Commission orders otherwise. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon each party of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

s/Scott E. Farkas

By: Scott E. Farkas
Attorney Examiner

CMTP/dah

From: Michael Dortch
To: Kroto, John
Subject: RE: GPE/PCU/ODOT
Date: Thursday, March 12, 2015 1:42:00 PM
Attachments: Michael D Dortch.vcf

My full contact info is attached. I should have a brief summary to you within the hour. I will also inform the rest of the involved individuals that your office has agreed to participate in the call at 3:00, and send you the call in info.

I appreciate it, and I owe you one of choice.

Mike.

From: Kroto, John [mailto:jkroto@kmgslaw.com]
Sent: Thursday, March 12, 2015 1:38 PM
To: Michael Dortch
Subject: GPE/PCU/ODOT

Mike,

Pleasure to speak with you today. This is my email. You can direct everything to Guy C. Fustine at gfustine@kmgslaw.com and CC me as well.

Thanks,

John

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Date: Thursday, March 12, 2015 3:44:00 PM

Thanks again. Really appreciate the help.

From: Kroto, John [<mailto:jkroto@kmgslaw.com>]
Sent: Thursday, March 12, 2015 3:43 PM
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Thanks,
And my cell is 814-450-4667

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As you requested, I have attempted to summarize the material facts in writing via the attached. Please note I am providing a copy of this summary to all participants via this email, so that all are aware of what I have stated the facts to be, and so that anyone can advise you of anything they believe I may overlooked.

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Subject: RE: Info
Date: Friday, March 13, 2015 11:24:00 AM

John:

You and Guy are both scholars and gentlemen. I'll now buy a second round, as well. Thanks again.

From: Jessica Carothers [<mailto:jcarothers@cobrapipeline.com>]
Sent: Friday, March 13, 2015 10:47 AM
To: Michael Dortch
Subject: Fwd: Info

Success!

Sent from my iPhone

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From: "Kroto, John" <jkroto@kmgsllaw.com>
Date: March 13, 2015 at 10:45:52 AM EDT
To: "Jessica Carothers" <jcarothers@cobrapipeline.com>
Subject: RE: Info

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Thanks to everyone and let me know if you need anything else.

-John

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Thank for the compliment and the assistance with getting us involved and up to speed so quickly. If there is anything you need in the future please let us know. I can't speak for Guy, but I do enjoy a good 'Bleeding Buckeye' every now and again....

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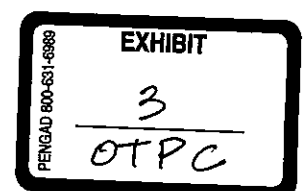
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Chris:

Just to provide you with an update. I understand that OTP's work on the south side is complete. Orwell Natural Gas is working on relighting system. OTP continues to work on the on North side. Everything seems to be going smoothly.

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Hopefully, I can report completion in a few more hours. Thanks again.

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Thanks for the update.

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From: [Michael Dortch](#)
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Date: Monday, March 16, 2015 3:41:00 PM

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From: Michael Dortch
To: Pirik, Christine
Subject: RE: Pipeline
Date: Monday, March 16, 2015 3:43:00 PM
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[image002.png](#)

Thank you for all your assistance.

From: Pirik, Christine [<mailto:christine.pirik@puc.state.oh.us>]
Sent: Monday, March 16, 2015 3:43 PM
To: Michael Dortch
Cc: Williams, John
Subject: Pipeline

That is great news!

Thank you, Chris

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From: Pirik, Christine
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Date: Monday, March 16, 2015 12:33:05 PM
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From: Pirik, Christine
To: Michael Dortch
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Subject: RE: 15-475-GA-CSS
Date: Monday, March 16, 2015 3:38:13 PM
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Mike – Do you have any further update?

Thanks Chris

Christine M.T. Pirik

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Hopefully, I can report completion in a few more hours. Thanks again.

From: Pirik, Christine [mailto:christine.pirik@puc.state.oh.us]
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