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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of the :
Long-Term Gas Forecast :
Report of Vectren Energy :
Delivery of Ohio, Inc., : Case No. 05-120-GA-FOR
and Related Matters. :

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In the Matter of the :
Regulation of the Purchase:
Gas Adjustment Clauses :
Contained Within the Rate : Case Nos. 04-220-GA-GCR
Schedules of Vectren : 05-220-GA-GCR
Energy Delivery of Ohio, :
Inc., and Related Matters.:

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PROCEEDINGS

before Ms. Greta See, Attorney Examiner, at the
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad
Street, Room 11-F, Columbus, Ohio, called at 10 a.m.
on Tuesday, October 17, 2006.

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1 Tuesday Morning Session,
2 October 17, 2006.

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4 ATTORNEY EXAMINER SEE: Scheduled for
5 hearing today at this time are Case No. 05-120-GA-FOR
6 in the Matter of the Long-Term Gas Forecast Report of
7 Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc., and Related
8 Matters as well as Case Nos. 04-220-GA-GCR and
9 05-220-GA-GCR in the Matter of the Regulation of the
10 Purchase Gas Adjustment Clauses Contained Within the
11 Rate Schedules of Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio,
12 Inc., and Related Matters.

13 My name is Greta See. I am the Attorney
14 Examiner assigned by the Commission to process this
15 case.

16 At this time I would like to take
17 appearances of the parties. On behalf of the
18 Company.

19 MS. HUMMEL: Thank you, your Honor. On
20 behalf of Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, McNeese,
21 Wallace & Nurick, by Samuel C. Randazzo and Gretchen
22 J. Hummel, 21 East State Street, Columbus, Ohio
23 43215.

24 ATTORNEY EXAMINER SEE: Thank you.

1 MR. SINGH: Good morning, your Honor. On
2 behalf of Interstate Gas Supply, Inc., Bobby Singh
3 with the law firm of Chester, Willcox & Saxbe, 65
4 East State Street, Suite 1000, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

5 MR. LINDGREN: On behalf of the Staff of
6 the Commission, Attorney General Jim Petro, Senior
7 Deputy Attorney General Duane Luckey, and Thomas
8 Lindgren and Werner Margard, Assistant Attorneys
9 General, 180 East Broad Street, 9th Floor, Columbus,
10 Ohio 43215.

11 MS. HUMMEL: Thank you, your Honor, and I
12 have been authorized to enter the appearance of OCC
13 today. On behalf of the Residential Customers of
14 Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc., the Office of
15 the Ohio Consumers' Counsel, Janine L.
16 Migden-Ostrander, Consumers' Counsel, and Joseph P.
17 Serio, Assistant Consumers' Counsel, 10 West Broad
18 Street, Suite 1800, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Thank you.

19 ATTORNEY EXAMINER SEE: Okay.
20 Ms. Hummel, I understand the parties wanted to
21 request a continuance of this matter?

22 MS. HUMMEL: Yes, your Honor. As we
23 previously discussed among -- among the parties, we
24 believe that there is a significant likelihood that

1 we would reach settlement of the issues in this
2 proceeding and would request a continuance of a
3 couple of weeks plus to November 2 in order to pursue
4 that settlement in hopes of reaching -- in hopes of
5 being able to have it filed prior to that date and
6 for your consideration at that time.

7 ATTORNEY EXAMINER SEE: Okay. Then with
8 that the hearing will be continued until November 2
9 at 10 a.m. It will be posted on the hearing calendar
10 as exactly which room.

11 Are there any members of the public
12 present that wish to make a statement?

13 Let the record reflect there are no
14 members of the public present.

15 Mr. Singh?

16 MR. SINGH: Your Honor, thank you. Just
17 for the record, your Honor, the continuance -- the
18 agreement of the continuance is only for the hearing
19 date. IGS filed its testimony seven days in advance
20 of today and there is no continuance with respect to
21 filing testimony by other parties other than perhaps
22 any testimony that might be filed in support of a
23 stipulation, if that occurs.

24 ATTORNEY EXAMINER SEE: Okay. All right.

1 Is there anything else?

2 If that's the case, this hearing is
3 adjourned until November 2. Thank you.

4 (Thereupon, the hearing was concluded at
5 10:06 a.m.)

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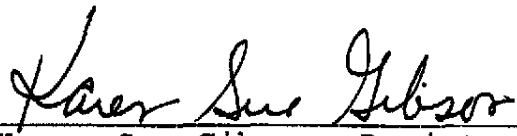
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I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of the proceedings taken by me in this matter on Tuesday, October 17, 2006, and carefully compared with my original stenographic notes.


Karen Sue Gibson, Registered
Merit Reporter.

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