BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Act 13 of 2012 – Implementation of Unconventional Gas Well Impact Fee Act M-2012-2288561

ANSWER OF PENNSYLVANIA INDEPENDENT OIL & GAS ASSOCIATION IN SUPPORT OF PETITION FOR AMENDMENT AND CLARIFICATION OF ANADARKO E&P COMPANY LP

The Pennsylvania Independent Oil and Gas Association (PIOGA) hereby submits this answer in support of the request of Anadarko E&P Company LP (Anadarko) for amendment and clarification of certain issues arising from the implementation of Chapter 23 of Act 13.

PIOGA has been actively involved in the PUC's implementation of Act 13, including the impact fee provisions of Chapter 23. PIOGA respectfully suggests that Anadarko's requests are properly raised at this point as the impact fee provisions of Act 13 have begun to be implemented. PIOGA also respectfully asserts that Anadarko's requests have legal merit and should be adopted by the Commission.

Accordingly, PIOGA requests that the Commission grant the relief requested by Anadarko for the reasons set forth in its petition.

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I hereby certify that this day I served a copy of PIOGA's Answer in Support in Docket No. M-2012-2288561 on the persons listed below in the manner indicated in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54.

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