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VIA E-FILE

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Re: Pa. PUC v. Philadelphia Gas Works, Docket No. R-2020-3017206

CAUSE-PA Letter of Non-Opposition to Settlement, No Main Brief

Dear Judges Heep and Guhl,

The purpose of this letter is to notify Your Honors and the Commission that the Coalition for Affordable Utility Service and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvania (CAUSE-PA) does not oppose the Joint Petition for Partial Settlement.

CAUSE-PA was actively involved in settlement negotiations in this proceeding and is supportive of many of the provisions incorporated into the Joint Petition for Partial Settlement agreed to by the parties to help mitigate the impact of the agreed to rate increase on low-income consumers and to help address the COVID-19 pandemic. While we were ultimately unable to join the Settlement in support thereof, we nevertheless stand in non-opposition thereto. Our position of non-opposition to this Settlement is conditioned on the approval of the Commission to the terms and conditions contained therein, and we note that disruption to the delicate balance of the parties' many and varied interest in this proceeding may impact our position of non-opposition.

Finally, we write to advise Your Honors and the Commission that CAUSE-PA will not be filing a Main Brief in this proceeding, though it reserves the right to file a Reply Brief to the extent necessary to respond to the Main Briefs of other parties to this proceeding.

Respectfully.

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Secretary Rosemary Chiavetta

BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, et al.

Docket No. R-2020-3017206 v.

Philadelphia Gas Works

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that I have this day served copies of the foregoing Letter of Non-**Opposition to Joint Settlement / No Main Brief** upon the parties of record in the above captioned proceeding in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 in the manner and upon the persons listed below.

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