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July 13, 2012

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
P.O. Box 3265  
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**RE: Mario Devito v. Philadelphia Gas Works, Docket No. C-2012-2300430**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

On July 12, 2012, by regular mail, PGW received your letter dated July 11, 2012, in the above referenced matter, which is attached hereto. Your letter states that the Complainant filed exceptions to the Initial Decision in this matter, but failed to serve PGW with them for a response. Your letter states that PGW's Reply Exceptions are due on or before July 21, 2012.

As counsel for the Respondent, PGW, I will draft the reply exceptions as I have familiarity with the case. Unfortunately, I have a scheduled vacation out of the U.S. beginning tomorrow, July 13, 2012. I will return to work on July 24, 2012 three days after the reply exceptions are due for filing.

Therefore, I respectfully request an extension in the filing of reply exceptions until August 3, 2012 (10 days after my return). I have attempted to contact the Complainant and left him a voicemail.

If you need additional information about this matter, please contact me at my direct-dial number above. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,



Laureto Farinas

cc: Mario DeVito (Regular Mail)  
Raquel Guzman (PGW Mail)  
Linda Pereira  
Anne Marie Cromley



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July 11, 2012

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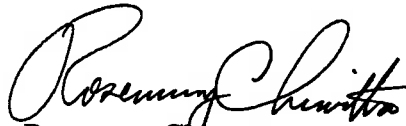
Re: C-2012-2200430, Mario Devito v. Philadelphia Gas Works

Dear Ms. Farinas:

On July 5, 2012, Mario Devito filed Exceptions to the (Recommended or Initial) Decision of Administrative Law Judge Eranda Vero in the above captioned matter. Our review of the filing revealed that no certificate of service or other indication that the parties of record to the case were served with the Exceptions. Therefore, we have enclosed a copy of the Exceptions for your review. This shall constitute service of the Exceptions for purposes of 52 Pa. Code §5.533.

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code §5.535, you shall have (10) days from the above date served to file Reply Exceptions. Although the Exceptions were timely filed, due to the failure of Mario Devito to provide service on all the parties of record to the case, and in order to avoid prejudice to any party, we shall deem the filing date of the Exceptions to be the above date served for purposes of Section 332(h) of the Public Utility Code, 66 Pa. C.S. §332(h), relating to the time for the Commission to consider the Exceptions.

Sincerely,

  
Rosemary Chiavetta  
Secretary

Enclosure

cc: All Parties of Record  
Office of Special Assistants  
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Dear ~~NAME~~ SECRETARY,

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I must state here, that I do not understand just why there is a hearing date set, and then, it is dismissed.

I absolutely do not agree with this decision, and I hereby request a hearing. (exceptions). Judge Vero has dismissed this case. I suppose that being able to cite certain cases in past years, makes it so.

I have proof positive that TYRA Jacks and V.P. Steven Hershey, have indicated to me, that P.G.W. had dropped the ball... as it were! I would like the chance to be heard.

I can not afford to lose this much money. I work much too hard for that amount. All P.G.W. has to do is just sit back and wait till the properties are sold. The owners in many cases like me, are victims of this (shake down).

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