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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
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**Re: Joint Petition for Generic Investigation or Rulemaking Regarding "Gas-On-Gas" Competition
Between Jurisdictional Natural Gas Distribution Companies
Docket Number: P-2011-2277868**

**Generic Investigation Regarding Gas-On-Gas Competition Between Jurisdictional Natural
Gas Distribution Companies
Docket Number: I-2012-2320323**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

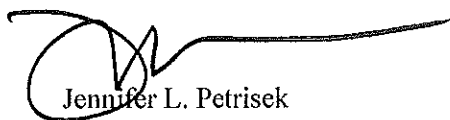
On January 23, 2013 Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC ("Peoples") filed a Motion to Hold Proceeding in Abeyance Pending Commission Final Action in Proposed Acquisition of Equitable Gas Company, LLC by Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC (the "Motion"). The Motion requested that the above-captioned proceeding be held in abeyance pending a final action by the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (the "Commission") on the application for the approval of the announced acquisition of Equitable Gas Company, LLC by Peoples. The Motions further requested that the above-captioned proceeding be automatically restarted via the scheduling of a further prehearing conference to be held within 45 days of the Commission final action in the announced acquisition.

On January 24, 2013, Administrative Law Judge Elizabeth Barnes presided over a second prehearing conference in this proceeding. At such time, ALJ Barnes determined that parties would have until February 1, 2013 to provide comment on the Motion.

By way of this letter, Peoples TWP LLC ("PTWP") desires to formally indicate its support of the Motion made by Peoples. PTWP agrees that the announced acquisition is highly relevant to the investigation and proceeding with the case, at this time, is not prudent.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (412) 208-6834.

Very truly yours,



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cc: Certificate of Service

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing Notice of Substitution of Counsel upon the parties, listed below, in accordance with the requirements of § 1.54 (relating to service by a party).

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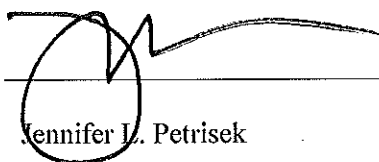
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