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**VIA E-MAIL AND
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RE: Joint Application of Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC, Peoples TWP LLC, and Equitable Gas Company, LLC for All of the Authority and the Necessary Certificates of Public Convenience (1) To Transfer All of the Issued and Outstanding Limited Liability Company Membership Interest of Equitable Gas Company, LLC and PNG Companies LLC, (2) To Merge Equitable Gas Company, LLC with Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC, (3) To Transfer Certain Storage and Transmission Assets of Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC to Affiliates of EQT Corporation, (4) To Transfer Certain Assets Between Equitable Gas Company, LLC and Affiliates of EQT Corporation, (5) for Approval of Certain Ownership Changes Associated with the Transaction, (6) for Approval of Certain Associated Gas Capacity and Supply Agreements, and (7) for Approval of Certain Changes in the Tariff of Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC; Docket Nos. A-2013-2353647, A-2013-2353649, and A-2013-2353651

Dear Messrs. Gang, Wright, Povilaitis, and Seltzer:

Enclosed please find two (2) copies of the Peoples-Equitable Merger Intervenors ("PEMI") Interrogatories – Set I to Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC, Peoples TWP LLC, and Equitable Gas Company, LLC, (collectively, "Applicants") in the above-referenced proceeding.

Please endeavor to provide responses in an organized manner as they are completed; it is not necessary to await completion of all responses prior to forwarding those completed more quickly. Any objections that you may have to these interrogatories should be communicated as soon as possible. PEMI acknowledges that the enclosed PEMI Interrogatories – Set I request copies of interrogatory responses that may be of a proprietary or confidential nature. However, the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission's regulations require that "[p]rior to the issuance of a protective order, a party may not refuse to provide information which the party reasonably believes to be proprietary to a party who agrees to treat the information as if it were covered by a protective order until the presiding officer or the Commission issues the order or determines that issuance of the order would not be appropriate." 52 Pa. Code § 5.423(c). Accordingly, PEMI Interrogatories – Set I does not request copies of interrogatory responses designated as "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION." PEMI and the Applicants are continuing their efforts to reach agreement

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regarding a Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement in this proceeding, and until such time as a protective order is issued pursuant to 52 Pa. Code § 5.362, all responses to PEMI Interrogatories – Set I will be kept confidential and viewed exclusively by PEMI counsel.

As evidenced by the attached Certificate of Service, a copy of PEMI Interrogatories – Set I has been served on all parties of record in this proceeding.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

c: Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary (Transmittal Letter and Certificate of Service only)
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I am this day serving a true copy of the foregoing document upon the participants listed below in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code Section 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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