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VIA E-MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

Honorable Mark A. Hoyer
Administrative Law Judge
Piatt Place, Suite 220
301 5th Avenue
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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 to 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; A-2013-2353651

Dear Judge Hoyer:

Please be advised that United States Steel Corporation ("U. S. Steel") will not be submitting Direct Testimony in the above-referenced matter. U. S. Steel reserves the right, however, to submit Rebuttal Testimony in response to issues raised by other parties' Direct Testimony.

This document was filed electronically with the Commission on this date. All parties are being served a copy of this document in accordance with the enclosed Certificate of Service.

Please contact me if you have any questions concerning this filing.

Sincerely,

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By 

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Enclosures

c: Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary (via E-filing)
Certificate of Service

**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

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 in Equitable Gas Company, LLC to PNG	:	
Companies, LLC; (2) to Merge Equitable Gas Company,	:	
LLC with Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC; (3) to	:	Docket Nos. A-2013-2353647
Transfer Certain Storage and Transmission Assets of	:	A-2013-2353649
Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC to Affiliates of EQT	:	A-2013-2353651
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	:	

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document upon the following parties to this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by participant).

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