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IN REPLY PLEASE
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April 9, 2014

Ms. Shirley Surrec
525 North 8th Street
Jeannette, Pa. 15644

Re: Shirley Surrec v. Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania, Inc.
Docket No. C-2014-2408741

Dear Ms. Surrec:

This is in response to the documents faxed to me yesterday on your behalf. Enclosed are copies of the documents for your reference.

There is no indication in the documents that copies of them were served on the parties to this proceeding. I am providing copies of the documents to the parties shown on the attached parties list since the documents could be construed as *ex parte* communications, prohibited by 66 Pa. C.S. §334(c). I will cause the original of this letter and the documents to be filed with the Secretary's Bureau.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David A. Salapa".

David A. Salapa
Administrative Law Judge

Cc: Parties of Record
Secretary's Bureau, New Filing

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To RHONDA

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Please see that Judge Salapa gets this
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To
Rhonda

From

SHIRLEY SURREC

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Complaint Docket # C-2014-240871

For Judge Salapa

FAX

April 3, 2014

Dear Judge Salopa,

I am sending you this information that I received yesterday. I didn't have it when I sent you copies of Complaint Docket # C 2014-246871.

I am sending a copy of this letter because I think it may help my case. I would like if this gentleman's name not be given so he doesn't lose dairy inspections for Columbia Gas Company. I feel he is a honest man and there aren't alot out there these days. Even though it took him so long to get it to me.

Also had a Company come to my home on April 1, 2014 and he checked up in the attic where the Insulation was put into the domers. He said without going through the insulation. Didn't think Baffles were layed down so safit and folicia. They insulated clean up to the door but he felt that wasn't enow with the middle of domers. Couldn't see any day light when I'm not sure how to explain that to you.

Feels they have too much insulation in my home and it is too air tight which it can't breathe. That is why I have Condensation on my windows. He builds new homes and doesn't work on old homes. He gave me a few names to call but I feel Columbia Gas should correct this and make my home livable and pay for damages so I can have it fixed. When I called Company that do Insulation they would not come when I told them Columbia Gas had the weatherization Company do the work. So what I'm I to do.. Thank you

Sincerely
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To: Julie Wilson
Columbia Gas of PA & MD
Quality Assurance Coordinator
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From: [REDACTED]

Re: Quality Assurance inspection at Shirley Surrec homes:

Hi Julie,

Here is my report from the visit at Ms. Shirley Surrec home at 525 North 8th Street, Jeannette, Pa. on Monday October 28th:

- CFM₅₀ was 1524, Most air was coming from the basement, attic and rear bedroom. With the rear bedroom closed there was a 200 CFM reduction in the test. There is something in that room leaking need to check out.
- The attic door was leaking a lot of air due to it not closing right, the door needs planed down on the latch side and the bottom hinge need re-secured. After that the door weather-stripping may need moved.
- Worst case test was good: Max. depressurization limit was -2pa., the baseline was -1.9pa., with the bathroom exhaust fan on -2.4pa., furnace fan -2.5pa., front bedroom door closed -2.6 pa., bathroom door closed -2.7pa., rear bedroom door closed -2.7 pa., basement door closed -2.7pa., leaving a net worst case of -.8 pa.
- The problem with the moisture is with the draft hood on the water heater, the hood is a 3" hood on a 4' flue of the water heater. Along with that the draft hood is very high leaving room for the combustion gas to spill, even if the flue is drafting which is what is happening.
Recommendations for the water heater is to install a 4" draft hood and 4" pipe to chimney and lower the hood down by a ½" to make sure it collects all the combustion by-products.
- Install a 50 CFM exhaust fan in the basement on the far side by the electrical box and hard wire it into the breaker box so that it runs 24/7/365. **Do not put a switch on it!** Make sure that the water heater still drafts after installing.
- The client is pulling 4 buckets of water from the dehumidifier each day. I told her that it would take a few weeks for the problem to correct itself, it didn't happen overnight and it will not correct itself overnight.