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PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
400 NORTH STREET, HARRISBURG, PA 17120

IN REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO OUR FILE
C-2015-2477998

July 22, 2016

Wanda Howell
5115 North 13th Street, Apartment A
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19141

Re: **Wanda Howell v. Philadelphia Gas Works**
Docket No. C-2015-2477998

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JUN 27 2016

PA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
SECRETARY'S BUREAU

Dear Ms. Howell:

By Secretarial Letter dated May 20, 2016, the Commission issued the Initial Decision of Administrative Law Judge Darlene D. Heep in this matter. Exceptions were due within twenty (20) days of that letter (i.e., June 9, 2016). Reply Exceptions were due within ten days after the date that Exceptions were due (i.e., June 20, 2016). No Exceptions were filed, and the Commission entered a Final Order on June 24, 2016.

On June 27, 2016, my office received the enclosed request from you for an extension of time to file Exceptions. I am returning it unfiled because it does not comply with the Commission's Regulations (e.g., the filing is not signed). You may file again, however, following the instructions below.

You may file a Petition for Rescission or Amendment, giving specific reasons why you believe the Administrative Law Judge's decision is incorrect in accordance with 52 Pa. Code § 5.572(d). It is recommended that you identify each finding of fact or conclusion of law that you dispute, and give supporting reasons why the decision should be changed. Make sure to include the docket number at the top of your filing.

In addition, you should:

- Include a verification (a form is enclosed);
- Mail a copy to the attorney for Philadelphia Gas Works (PGW) at:

Laureto Farinas, Esq.
Philadelphia Gas Works
800 West Montgomery Avenue, Fourth Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19122

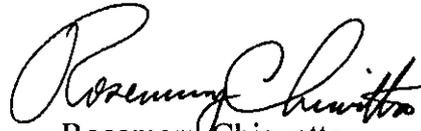
- Include a certificate of service proving that a copy of your filing was sent to PGW (a form in enclosed).

PGW will then have an opportunity to respond to your filing before the Commission takes any further action in this proceeding.

Should you have any questions, you may contact the Office of Special Assistants. Please direct your inquiry to Jonathan Nase, Deputy Director – Legal, at (717) 787-3490 or jnase@pa.gov.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Rosemary Chiavetta".

Rosemary Chiavetta
Secretary

Enclosures

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Initial Decision before Darlene D. Heep, Administrative Law Judge

Exceptions Order

Extension Ltr

I, Wanda Howell, was not able to respond to the Exception s order dated May 20, 2016 to the Initial Decision of the Office of Administrative Law Judge, Darlene D. Heep.

Due to a death in the family, I am asking for an Extension to this Exceptions order.

Also, when going to the library in my neighborhood, the library was closed for two years due to renovations.

I also tempted to go to a community center and their computers were down. I did not get the notice of the certified letter until May 26, 2016, and there was another week before I was able to I got to pick the letter from the post office, therefore, I am asking for an extension to respond to the Exceptions letter.

Thank you,

Wanda Howell

June 27, 2016

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Exception Order

I, Wanda Howell, I am appalled that no one has even addressed what Ms. Dalton, a representative of the Philadelphia Gas Works Company stated to me over the phone. She stated that the meter reading has continued to be read at my formal address which is 1129 E. Upsal Street 2nd floor, Philadelphia, PA 19150. She stated that PGW thought that when I called to change my address that this address, 5115 N. 13th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19141 was my mailing address to 1129 E. Upsal Street, and not where I reside. Ms. Dolton also stated that I the gas at 5115 N. 13th Street was on in PGW's name not my name.

I state that this is not a fair trial, because these issues were not even addressed by the commissioner, the administrative Law Judge, or the secretary, not the brokers, or the officer, or the attorney who were involved in this case.

My Fourth Amendment right were violated in this matter which states, that, "the right of the people to be secure in their persons, house, papers and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizure, shall not be violated, and not warrants shall issue, but upon probable cause, supported by oath or affirmation and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the person or things to be seized

I'm not a criminal, and I did not use the usage that is on those invoiced. My attorney had a person to come in to sort through my receipts and calculate my usage. He stated that it was only \$900.00 of gas that was used in my account not \$5,000.00 +.

Where is Justus here? I stated and presented my Invoices. I also states, that 5115 N. 13th Street did not indicate an AMR notice on it, but records indicated that 1129 E. Upsal Street, Philadelphia, PA 19150, the AMR reading was indicated.

This contract should be annulled, and not hold me binding to it, so that my family could have a peaceful life style.

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The attorney is very rude in waving his paper work though out the courts as though human lives does not mean anything to him, only the creed of money and his position mean anything to him.

The officer P. Barnes slipped another document to the attorney so that the Judge would think that I had tried to double payments; to put doubt in the law judges' mind that I was dishonesty. I saw her do it. I need Justice here.

The officer of PGW P. Barnes also stated that even though the meter was read at 1129 E. Upsal Street, that the bill was still paid. Usage is the issue here, and I did not use \$5,000.00 usage.

The Officer Barnes also stated that first document that released to attorney and her "she could not match any document to those the payments that I turned over to PGW.

I, Wanda Howell, state that PGW violates its due process rights, because they failed to change my address.

My rights are clearly has been clearly unconstitutionally compromised. PGW's method of not transferring my address to my present address does not meet the fundamental requirements of due process of not transferring of service in a timely manner.

Since Public Utility corporation managing city gas works was not a "public utility as defined by the utility service tenants rights act, corporation was without standing to challenge constitutionality of the act on the basis that it was violation of the uniformity provisions of the state constitution and the equal protection clause of the Federal constitution by discrimination against municipally owned public utility not being a public utility it as no within the class allegedly discriminated against me.

Constitutional Law 42.1(2)

PGW has caused my family and I moral duress. I feel as through this CRP program take advantage of the poor. That's it's an unlawful coercion to perform by unduly influencing or taking advantage of the weak financial position of another.

There are so many people whose gas has been turned with a \$5,000.00+ bill. There are people who have three bedrooms, two bedrooms and whole house that has \$5,000.00+ or more gas bill.

How are all these people using the same amount of gas?

PGW gloat over turning peoples gas off because of their greed, and position is why the gas is turned off.

Because PGW does not have an identifiable name, I'm asking that you drop this case.

Laureto Farines is not Mr. PGW; Patricia Barnes is not Mrs. PGW.

No one who examined this case has rights to turn this gas off.

This is God's naturally gas from the earth, and does not have the right to turn my gas off. PGW is not a name.

It's was turned off because of creed.

\$21,305.40 was paid to PGW which was my hard cash money. And \$3,044.11 was paid from grant money.

I, Wand Howell, have represented this case to the best of my ability and pray that my family and I could have the quality of life that's due to any human being. This is in human to have someone in the cold and also notified the fire department of shut-off in case we die in the cold.

I asked this case to be dropped secretary Rosemary Chiavetta.

Thank you,

Wanda Howell

June 27, 2016

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Billing Dispute/other
Order

This document is in response to Ms. Howell review of the transcript and record reveal that addition and clarifying information payment made to PGW. Copies of bank records, receipts, checks, money orders were not credited to her account.

Dear Judge Darlene D. Heep, Administrative Law Judge

I, Wanda Howell, I'm asking you to rescind (17c) case that PGW has against me the complainant , because I have never received any document from PGW that I can compare to my records.

PGW has stated that they have spread out payments, but how would anyone from without their circle be able to interpret their language.

Real bookkeeping specify all monies, and shows, all monies, and how it was spent. It reflects all payment.

How can PGW have actual account of all payments when on their statement of account when their dates only date back from 4.21.2005? PGW exhibit 4 pages 1 of 4 does not February 26, 2001, there's not year 2002, there's not year 2003, and there not year 2004, it starts at year 2005. There are four years missing on PGW statement of account.

I received a letter from municipal Services Bureau, Austin TX 78761-6755 dated July 14, 2014 stating that I have a total amount due to PGW of \$5,678.50.

I have a legal document from Blanche Lyles stating that there was a -0- balance owed to that property dated Feb. 23, 2009.

Dear fact-finder Judge Heep, I have hot documents that directly support my payments to PGW.

PGW Exhibit 1 page 6 of 8 date 6.16.2009 L&J owner Blanche Lyles cldd regarding active lien case # 020430339 filled 12.9.04 for \$1,066.31... Ms Lyles trying to obtain a loan & she was made aware that lien existed in the system...satisfied. Filed date 2.23.2009 -0- balance via Blanche Lyles

PGW Exhibit 1 page 8 of 8 date 9.25.2002

MISC Cor Wanda Howell signed contact assuming final bill for her landlord Blanche Lyles of \$400.00 by Mrs. Howell agr will be made when usa is linked call cor 215.247.1210. this statement is a direct quote from PGW S/A.

I, Wanda Howell, never made that agreement with PGW because I was already paying the gas bill at that property. This 215-247-1210 was my work number. However, one September 23, 2002 \$400.00 was paid to PGW because I was already paying the bills anyway.

File date 2.23.2009 Blanche Lyles stated -0- balance for utilities. I, Wanda Howell, paid Feb 10. 2009 \$391.65 Ck# 3837 & PGW receipt.

March 24, 2009 cash PGW receipt \$159.31. There's no record of payment to PGW on S/ACCT ex 1 page 7 of 9 Exhibit 1 page 7 of 8 dated 3-2-2009 states that cor came into stn office today for copy of bill cor was satisfied. I repeat, I went into the office to pay the amount of \$159.31, not to get a copy of the bill.

PGW Exhibit 1 page 8 of 8 starts at 9.25.2002

PGW exhibit 4 page 1 of 4 starts at 4.21.2005

PGW Exhibit 5 page 1 of 4 starts at 7.12.2010

PGW Exhibit 5 page 1 of 4 starts at 7.12.2010 But I don't see payment of \$16.45 dated July 27, 2012 on PGW S/A

PGW Exhibit 1 page 4 of 8 From 7.19.2012, 7.23.2012, 7.23.2012, 7.23.2012, 7.24.2012, 10.05.2012

PGW statement of Accts for 1129 E. Upsal St., 2nd floor Phila, PA 19150-2601 PGW Exhibit 4 page 4 of 4 states I, Wanda Howell, owes \$3,409.87 to PGW

PGW S/A for 5115 N. 13th St., Apt 1st Floor states on PGW Exhibit 5 page 4 Of 4 that I, Wanda Howell owes \$1,766.04 to PGW.

I, Wanda Howell, went into the PGW office at West Chelten AV on Nov 4, 2014. The Representative initial AW states that \$1,686.68 is owed to turn on service.

I state that these same numbers that are floating around is the amount or close to the amount I've paid to PGW for 5115 N. 13th Str, 1st Phila, PA 19141 which is \$1,520.45.

There, PGW states that they have a debt that I owe. I, Wanda Howell, state that I have a credit of \$1,520.45. Therefore, I ask that this case to be rescinded.

PGW Exhibit 4 page 4 of 4 1129 E. Upsal street 2n floor, Phila., PA 19150 states that \$3,409.87 is owed to PGW I, Wanda Howell paid a total amount to PGW of \$10,432.11.

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PGW Exhibit 4 page 1 of date June 21, 2005 doesn't state that \$500.00 was paid to PGW.

PGW Exhibit 4 page 1 of 4 8.22.2005 doesn't state the \$171.00 was paid to PGW.

PGW Exhibit 4 page 1 of 4 date 10.21.2005 doesn't state that \$90.00 was paid to PGW.

PGW Exhibit 4 page 3 of 4 states a current balance of \$391.45. And an actual balance is \$391.45. This \$391.45 is the only amount that I can recognize on this PGW Exhibit 4 page 3 of 4. But the attorney and the PGW officer stated at the hearing that they did not have record of payment of \$391.45. I also would like to add that Ms. P. Barns states at the conference the She and the attorney could not connect any payments that I released to them. The attorney kept waving the paper he was holding saying no connection, no connection. They both were very edgy before they received my documents. At the next hearing they both were now upbeat, and smiling. Attorney and the officer had a connection from the documents that I gave them.

The attorney was very edgy and was rubbing his head in distress.

I, Wanda Howell, do not see the amount paid to PGW June 21, 2005 of \$500.00 on PGW Exhibit 4 page 1 of 4 as in PGW Exhibit 4 page 3 of 4 of \$391.45 as a current balance and actual balance, but the attorney stated at the hearing the he and Pat Barns did not have the payment calculated into the S/A.

I, Wanda Howell, do not see the payment dated October 21, 2005 in amount of \$90.00 just as the \$391.45 as a current balance, but the attorney and the PGW officer stated that they did not have a payment at the hearing.

None of these payments are added to the statement of acct and I'll take a lie detective test to verify payment:

January 2002 paid PGW \$50.00

February 2002 \$233.00

May 2002 Paid PGW \$200.00

June 2002 paid PGW \$200.00

September 2002 paid PGW \$50.00

October 2002 paid PGW \$822.06 = \$1,555.06

These documents were giving to the superior courts. But I wrote the year down but not the dates. I ask to Judge them according to merit.

September 1, 2004 the amount paid \$158.00 Ck# 83278 PGW Exhibit 1 page 8 of 8

July 20 2005 \$171.21 ck Id #158193 Exhibit 1 page 8 of 8

June 21, 2005 Paid PGW \$500.00

August 22, 2005 paid PGW \$172.00

October 2005 paid \$90.00 = \$815.00 p 3 or 4

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PGW doesn't have any 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004 payment on The PGW Exhibit 4 page 1 of 4. PGW starts at Year 2005 leaving out four years of payments. There's no way that the could have an accurate record when four years does not show up on PGW S/A.

I as that this debt be rescinded, and removed from my record. The total amount paid to PGW is $\$10,432.11 + \$1,520.45 = \$11,952.56$

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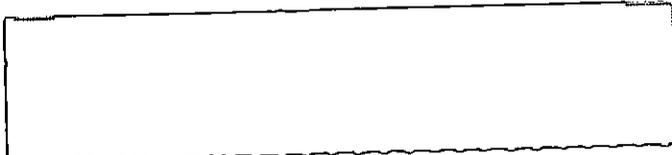
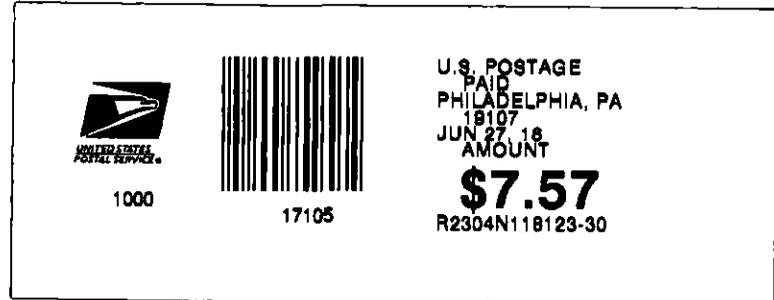
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**RETURN RECEIPT
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TO:

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