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April 21, 2026

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Matthew L. Homsher, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
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**Re: Application for UGI Utilities, Inc.
Confidential Exhibit A to BKV's Verified Reply to UGI's New Matter
PA PUC - Docket Numbers: A-2026-3060375, G-2026-3060435 and G-2026-3060551**

Dear Secretary Homsher:

This office represents BKV Operating, LLC (“BKV”), in the above-referenced action. Yesterday, BKV electronically filed a Verified Reply to UGI’s New Matter (“Reply”) in the above-captioned proceeding.

Confidential Exhibit A to the Reply contained a true and accurate copy of the Amended and Restated Gas Gathering Agreement (“Gathering Agreement”), which contains proprietary information within the definition of 52 Pa. Code § 5.365(a) and 66 Pa. C.S. § 335(d). Disclosure of the proprietary information contained in the Gathering Agreement would cause BKV unfair economic or competitive disadvantage because the information that BKV seeks to protect is not generally known, is valuable to BKV, derives value in part due to BKV’s efforts to maintain the confidentiality of the information, could be valuable to competitors (and, in turn, harmful to BKV) if disclosed publicly.

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Counsel for BKV submitted Confidential Exhibit A for filing under seal via overnight FedEx and separately served a copy of Confidential Exhibit A on the presiding Administrative Law Judge Alphonso Arnold III as evidenced by the correspondence attached as **Exhibit A**.

BKV has withdrawn the filing of Confidential Exhibit A to allow additional time for a protective order to be entered so that this exhibit can be shared among the other parties to the proceeding. BKV will consult with counsel for the other parties to the case and intends to file a Motion for Protective Order to allow Confidential Exhibit A to be filed under seal and shared among the parties subject to the terms of the protective order.

If you have any questions with regard to this filing, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Respectfully,

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EXHIBIT “A”

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Attachments: 2026-04-20-BKV-Letter to PUC - filing BKV's Under Seal - Confidential Exhibit A to Verified Reply to New Matter(184643418.1)-C.pdf

Judge Arnold,

On behalf of Samuel W. Cortez, please find the attached Confidential Exhibit "A" to BKV Operating, LLC's Verified Reply to UGI's New Matter, which has been submitted for filing under seal with the Commission in the above-captioned proceedings.

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Dear Secretary Homsher:

Please be advised that this office represents BKV Operating, LLC (“BKV”), in the above-referenced action. Enclosed for filing is Confidential Exhibit “A” to BKV’s Verified Reply to UGI’s New Matter, which is being submitted under seal to the Pennsylvania Public Service Commission. BKV’s Verified Reply to UGI’s New Matter has been submitted separately for electronic filing.

Please be advised that Exhibit A contains confidential information and should be handled accordingly.

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Respectfully,

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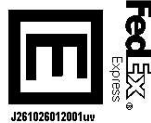
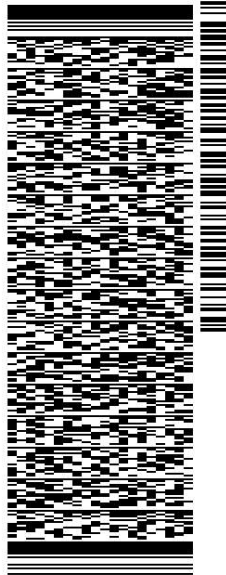
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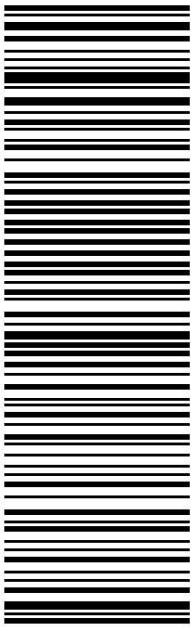
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