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Public Service Commission

February 24, 1999

Ms. Angela L. Llewellyn Peoples Gas System, Inc. P. O. Box 2562 Tampa, FL 33601-2562

Re:

Docket No. 990003-GU; Peoples Gas System, Inc.

Audit Request; PGA - Period Ended December 31, 1998

Dear Ms. Llewellyn:

The Florida Public Service Commission will conduct a PGA audit for the period ended December 31, 1998 in accordance with Commission audit procedures. Access will be requested to documents and records of the utility and, if necessary, supporting records for affiliate company transactions that affect regulated operations. Staff auditors may also request to review the utility's external audit working papers for the most recent independent audit. Jim McPherson, (813) 744-6093, the district office supervisor, will coordinate this audit. Questions regarding the audit or audit staff should be directed to the district supervisor or myself. My phone number is (850) 413-6487.

ACK	The Audit Access to Records rule for each industry states:
AFA APP CAF	In those instances where the utility disagrees with the auditor's assessment of a reasonable response time to the audit request, the utility shall first attempt to discuss the disagreement with the auditor and reach an acceptable revised date. If agreement cannot be reached, the utility shall discuss the issue with successive levels of supervisors at the Commission until an agreement is reached.
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A formal report is expected to be issued for internal Commission use in June 1999. A copy of the final report will be mailed to the company liaison listed in the Commission Mailing Directory.

Sincerely,

Denise N. Vandiver Bureau Chief - Auditing

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cc: District Office Supervisor

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