ST. JOE NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC.

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April 28, 1999

Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Record and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Fl. 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 980003-GU Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) Final True-Up for Period April 1998 through December 1998

Dear Ms. Bayo,

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Enclosed for filing in the above referenced docket are an original and ten (10) copies of St. Joe Natural Gas Company's:

- 1. Petition for Approval of St. Joe Natural Gas Company's Purchased Gas Cost Recovery True-Up Amount;
- 2. Direct Testimony of Stuart L. Shoaf
- 3. Schedule A-7 for period April 1998 through December 1998

Please acknowledge receipt of these documents by stamping the extra copy of this letter which is also enclosed.

Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Purchased Gas Recovery)

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Docket No. 980003-GU Submitted for filing April 28, 1999

PETITION OF ST. JOE NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF THE PURCHASED GAS COST RECOVERY TRUE-UP AMOUNT FOR THE PERIOD APRIL 1998 THROUGH DECEMBER 1998

St. Joe Natural Gas Company, Inc. (SJNG), pursuant to the requirements of this docket, hereby petitions the Commission to approve its purchased gas cost recovery true-up amount for the period April 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998. In support hereof the Company states:

 The name of the petitioner and the mailing address of its principal office is:

> St. Joe Natural Gas Company, Inc. Post Office Box 549 Port St. Joe, Florida 32457-0549

2. The name and mailing address to the person authorized to receive notices and communications to this petition is:

Stuart L. Shoaf, President St. Joe Natural Gas Company, Inc. Post Office Box 549 Port St. Joe, Florida 32457-0549

3. Pursuant to the requirements of this Docket, SJNG has prepared a testimony and the Schedule A-7 true-up form supplied by the Commission Staff in a manner consistent with the Commission Staff's instructions.

4. As indicated on the true-up form which is filed herewith, the company has an over-recovery of \$56,074.48 for the period of April 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998.

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WHEREFORE, St. Joe Natural Gas Company, Inc. prays the Commission will enter an order approving the Company's true-up amount for the period April 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998.

DATED this 28th day of April, 1999.

Respectfully submitted,

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Stuart L. Shoaf, President St. Joe Natural Gas Company, Inc. Post Office Box 549 Port St. Joe, Florida 32457-0549 (850) 229-8216

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE _____

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing petition, together with the attached Schedule A-7 has been served upon all known parties of record in this docket, by U.S. mail dated this 28th day of April, 1999.

Stuart L. Shoaf, President