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VIA E-PORTAL

Ms. Carlotta S. Stauffer Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 20180004-GU – Natural Gas Conservation Cost Recovery

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

Attached for filing, please find Florida Division of Chesapeake Utilities Corporation, Florida Public Utilities Company, Florida Public Utilities Company-Fort Meade, and Florida Public Utilities Company-Indiantown Division's Notice of Joinder in the Petition for Waiver of Rule 25-17.015(1)(b), F.A.C., filed by Peoples Gas System on June 28, 2018.

Should you have any questions whatsoever, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Natural Gas Conservation)	Docket No. 20180004-GU
Cost Recovery Clause.)	
		Filed: July 2, 2018

JOINT NOTICE OF JOINDER BY FLORIDA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY, FLORIDA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY-INDIANTOWN DIVISION, FLORIDA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY-FORT MEADE AND FLORIDA DIVISION OF CHESAPEAKE UTILITIES CORPORATION IN PETITION FOR WAIVER OF RULE 25-17.015(1)(b), FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

Florida Public Utilities Company, Florida Public Utilities Company-Indiantown Division, and Florida Public Utilities Company-Fort Meade (herein, "FPUC"), as well as the Florida Division of Chesapeake Utilities Corporation ("CHPK")(jointly, "the Companies"), by and through undersigned counsel, hereby file this Joint Notice of Joinder, stating the Companies' joinder in and adoption of, the Petition for Waiver of Rule 25-17.015(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code, filed on June 28, 2018, by Peoples Gas System ("PGS"). In support of this Joint Notice, the Companies state:

- 1. The Companies are natural gas utilities subject to the Commission's jurisdiction under Chapter 366, Florida Statutes, existing parties to this proceeding, and, like PGS, subject to Rule 25-17.015(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code.
- 2. The Companies are likewise required to make their actual/estimated filings by August 10, 2018; thus, the Companies are also unable to prepare their filings based upon eight months of actual data and four months of projected data.
- 3. The Companies are, however, able to provide data based upon six months of actual data and six months of projected data and agree with PGS that such data provides a reasonable means of achieving the purpose of the underlying statutes.

4. Likewise, given the Companies' understanding that the Commission may entertain changes to the Rule, the Companies agree with and adopt PGS's request that a waiver be granted for a period of two years.

WHEREFORE, Florida Public Utilities Company, Florida Public Utilities Company-Fort Meade, Florida Public Utilities Company-Indiantown Division, and the Florida Division of Chesapeake Utilities Corporation respectfully give notice of their joinder in the Petition for Waiver of Rule 25-17.015(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code, filed by Peoples Gas System on June 28, 2018.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 2nd day of July, 2018.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by Electronic Mail to the following parties of record this 2nd day of July, 2018:

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