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August 17, 2018

Peoples Gas Company Andrew Brown & Ansley Watson Jr. Macfarlane Law Firm P.O. Box 1531 Tampa, FL 33601

STAFF'S FIRST DATA REQUEST VIA EMAIL ab@macfar.com aw@mcfar.com

RE: Docket No. 20180044-GU - Consideration of the tax impacts associated with Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 for Peoples Gas System.

Dear: Mr. Brown and Ms. Watson

By this letter, the Commission staff requests that Peoples Gas Company (PGC) provide responses to the following data requests.

- 1) In paragraph E., titled *New Base Rates Effective for 2019*, in the Settlement Agreement, it states that the parties have agreed to a base rate reduction across all customer classes amounting to \$11,599,038 that is attributable to the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017. Please provide work papers to show the calculation of the revised base rates that implement the \$11,599,038 reduction.
- 2) In paragraph G., it states that the new base will be effective with the first billing cycle of January 2019. Please state when and how PGS will inform the customers of the new rates.

Please file all responses electronically no later than August 24, 2018 from Commission's website at <a href="https://www.floridapsc.com">www.floridapsc.com</a>, by selecting the Clerk's Office tab and Electronic Filing Web Form. Please feel free to call me at (850) 413-6584 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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