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October 6, 1999

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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 990002-EG

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and ten copies of the Amendatory Petition of City Gas Company of Florida For Approval of Conservation Cost Recovery Factors, supported by the Amended Direct Testimony and Exhibits of Carl Smith.

We are filing this Amendatory Petition in order to change the actual/estimated period in Schedule C-3 (we have dropped the months of January through March, 1999), as requested by The Commission's Bureau of Natural Gas Regulation. This change has resulted in a slight increase in the conservation cost recovery factors being requested by City Gas Company of Florida.

Should you have any questions with respect to this filing, please contact me at (850) 877-5282.

Sincerely.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

99 OCT - 6 AM ID: 17

In re: Conservation Cost Recovery Clause

DOCKET NO. 990002-EG Filed: October 6, 1999 AND BEPORTING

AMENDATORY PETITION OF CITY GAS COMPANY OF FLORIDA FOR APPROVAL OF CONSERVATION COST RECOVERY FACTORS

City Gas Company of Florida, a division of NUI Corporation ("NUI/City Gas" or "the Company") hereby petitions the Commission for Approval of the Company's conservation cost recovery factor for the period January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2000. This Amendatory Petition deletes the months of January through March 1999, from the actual/estimated period in Schedule C-3, as requested by Commission Staff. It shall supersede the Company's petition, filed September 28, 1999, in all respects. In support thereof the Company says:

1. For the period January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2000, NUI/City Gas projects its total incremental conservation costs to be \$2,274,063, (Schedule C-2). NUI/City Gas' true-up for the period April1, 1999 through December 31, 1999, is an underrecovery of \$76,851 resulting in a total of \$2,350,914 of conservation costs to be recovered during the January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2000 period.

2. When the required true-up and projected expenditures are spread over the projected therm sales and expanded for taxes, the required conservation cost recovery factors for the period for the period January 1,2000 through December 31, 2000, are:

Residential (RS, ED & GL)

Commercial (CS, ED, CTS & SCTS)

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3. The Company's calculation of the Conservation Cost Recovery Factors are consistent with the Commission's methodology, and supported by the Direct Testimony of Carl Smith, and Schedules C-1 through C-3, and C-5.

WHEREFORE, City Gas Company of Florida requests that its Conservation Cost Recovery Factor for the period January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2000, be approved.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the Amendatory Petition of City

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