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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Conservation Cost)
Recovery Clause)
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Docket No. 990002-EG
Submitted for Filing
October 11, 1999

ST. JOE NATURAL GAS COMPANY'S
PREHEARING STATEMENT

St. Joe Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("SJNG") by and through its undersigned officer, hereby submits its Prehearing Statements for the hearing scheduled to commence in the proceeding November 4, 1999.

A. Witness that may be called:

None, Debbie Stitt has substituted prepared testimony which should be inserted into the record as if read.

B. Additional Exhibits:

Schedules C1 through C4.

C. Statement of Basic Position:

The Commission should approve the final adjusted net true-up amount for the twelve month period ending December 31, 2000 including interest, the projected conservation program expenses for the twelve month period ending Dec 31, 2000 and the Conservation Cost Recovery Factors to be applied to customer bills rendered for the twelve month period ending December 31, 2000 as filed by SJNG.

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D. Statements of fact, law and policy and a statement of SJNG's position on each issue :

1. What is the appropriate projected end to period total net true-up amount for the period beginning January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2000?

SJNG: An underrecovery of \$27,657.00

2. What is the appropriate Conservation Cost Recovery Factor to be applied to customer bills during the twelve month period ending December 31, 2000?

SJNG: \$0.02326 per therm for residential, \$0.02883 for commercial and \$0.00872 for large commercial.

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