



Agenda Date: 10/24/07  
Agenda Item: VIIB

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**  
**Board of Public Utilities**  
**Two Gateway Center**  
**Newark, NJ 07102**  
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CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

LAUNDRY WORLD, PETITIONER	)	ORDER ADOPTING INITIAL DECISION
	)	SETTLEMENT
V.	)	
	)	
PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS	)	
COMPANY AND NATGASCO, INC.	)	BPU DOCKET NO. GC07010065U
RESPONDENTS	)	OAL DOCKET NO. PUC 7246-06

(SERVICE LIST ATTACHED)

BY THE BOARD:

On January 31, 2007, Laundry World LLC (Petitioner) filed a petition with the Board disputing the bills of Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G) and NATGASCO, Inc. (NATGASCO) (collectively, Respondents) for natural gas services.

After the filing of Respondents' answers, the Board transmitted this matter to the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) for hearing and initial disposition as a contested case pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14-B-1 et seq. and N.J.S.A. 52:14F-1 et seq. The matter was assigned to Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Thomas E. Clancy.

While this matter was pending at the OAL, the parties engaged in negotiations and reached a settlement that was submitted to the ALJ. By Initial Decision submitted to the Board on September 12, 2007, to which the settlement was attached and made part thereof, ALJ Clancy found that the agreement was voluntary, that its terms fully disposed of all issues in controversy and that it met the requirements of N.J.A.C.1:1-19.1.

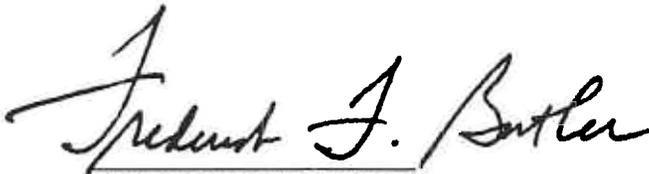
Pursuant to the terms of the agreement, Respondent PSE&G agreed to issue a credit of \$10,889.00 to the balance of Petitioner's account within 20 days of the full execution of the stipulation by all parties. In turn, within 30 days of the full execution of the stipulation by all parties, Petitioner agreed to pay the sum of \$19, 658.78 to Respondent NATGASCO. In addition,

upon the satisfaction of these payments, the parties have further agreed to release and discharge each other from all actions and claims, known or unknown, up to the date of the stipulation. After review and consideration, the Board FINDS that the terms of the settlement are fair and reasonable. Therefore, the Board HEREBY ADOPTS the Initial Decision and the Settlement Agreement in their entirety, incorporating the terms thereof into this final decision as if fully set forth at length herein.

DATED: 10/25/07

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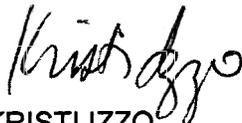
  
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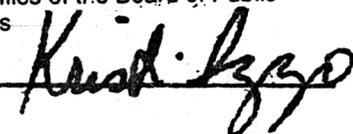
  
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COMMISSIONER

  
CHRISTINE V. BATOR  
COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

  
KRISTI IZZO  
SECRETARY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within document is a true copy of the original in the files of the Board of Public Utilities



Laundry World LLC  
v.  
BPU Docket No. GC07010065U  
OAL Docket No. PUC3796-07

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Public Service Electric and Gas Company and	X
NATGASCO, Inc.,	X
Respondents.	X
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STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT

This matter having been brought before the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities by the Petitioner, Laundry World LLC ("Petitioner"), against Respondents, Public Service Electric and Gas Company ("PSE&G" or "Respondent") and NATGASCO, Inc., in connection with utility services rendered by PSE&G and NATGASCO, Inc., to the Petitioner at 110 Chestnut Ridge Road #400, Montvale, New Jersey 07645, and the Parties having agreed to settle this matter, hereby set forth the terms and conditions of their settlement agreement as follows:

1. PSE&G agrees to credit Petitioner's account no. 11 308 449 19 in the amount of \$10,889.00 and thereafter, PSE&G will issue a refund check to Laundry World, LLC in the amount of \$10,889.00 within 20 days of execution of the within stipulation by all parties. 7/20/07
2. Petitioner agrees to pay NATGASCO, Inc., the sum of \$19,658.78 within 30 days of execution of the within stipulation by all parties.
3. In consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, by Petitioner, for itself and its legal representatives, beneficiaries, assigns and successors-in-interest, hereby releases and forever discharges PSE&G and NATGASCO, Inc., of and from any and all actions or causes of action, suits, debts, claims, complaints, contracts, controversies, agreements, promises, damages, claims for attorney's fees, punitive damages and reinstatement, judgments, and demands whatsoever, in law or in equity, it has, may have or ever had, whether known or unknown, suspected or unsuspected, anticipated or unanticipated, up to the date of this Stipulation, upon receipt of payment from PSE&G.
4. In consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, by NATGASCO, Inc., for itself and its legal representatives, beneficiaries, assigns and successors-in-interest, hereby releases and forever discharges PSE&G and, of and from any and all actions or causes of action, suits, debts, claims, complaints,

contracts, controversies, agreements, promises, damages, claims for attorney's fees, punitive damages and reinstatement, judgments, and demands whatsoever, in law or in equity, it has, may have or ever had, whether known or unknown, suspected or unsuspected, anticipated or unanticipated, up to the date of this Stipulation, upon receipt of payment by Petitioner.

5. In consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, by NATGASCO, Inc., for itself and its legal representatives, beneficiaries, assigns and successors-in-interest, hereby releases and forever discharges Laundry World, LLC., and, of and from any and all actions or causes of action, suits, debts, claims, complaints, contracts, controversies, agreements, promises, damages, claims for attorney's fees, punitive damages and reinstatement, judgments, and demands whatsoever, in law or in equity, it has, may have or ever had, whether known or unknown, suspected or unsuspected, anticipated or unanticipated, up to the date of this Stipulation, upon receipt of payment by Petitioner.

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AND  
PSE&G

Petitioner Laundry World LLC

Respondent PSE&G

By: Joseph Charles Asta  
Joseph Charles Asta  
President

By: Edward B. Sullivan  
Edward B. Sullivan  
Manager Customer

Operations

Date: 7/2/07

Date: 6/20/07

Respondent NATGASCO Inc.

By: Peter Camelotto  
Peter Camelotto  
Director Natural Gas Operations

Date: 6/22/07

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