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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF PUBLIC	)	ORDER FURTHER SUSPENDING
SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY FOR	)	INCREASES, CHANGES OR
APPROVAL OF AN INCREASE IN ELECTRIC AND	)	ALTERATIONS IN RATES FOR
GAS RATES AND FOR CHANGES IN THE	)	ELECTRIC AND GAS SERVICE
TARIFFS FOR ELECTRIC AND GAS SERVICE,	)	
B.P.U.N.J. NO. 14 ELECTRIC AND B.P.U.N.J. NO.	)	
14 GAS PURSUANT TO <u>N.J.S.A. 48:2-21</u> AND	)	
<u>N.J.S.A. 48:2-21.1</u> AND FOR APPROVAL OF GAS	)	
A WEATHER NORMALIZATION CLAUSE; A	)	
PENSION EXPENSE TRACKER AND FOR OTHER	)	
APPROPRIATE RELIEF	)	DOCKET NO. GR09050422

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**BY THE BOARD:**

On May 29, 2009, Public Service Electric and Gas Company ("Petitioner" or "PSE&G"), a public utility of the State of New Jersey subject to the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Utilities ("Board"), filed a petition for approval of an increase in its gas base rates of approximately 2.95% to be effective for service rendered on and after July 1, 2009, and an increase in its electric base rates of approximately 1.93% to be effective for service rendered on and after July 2, 2009, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-21, N.J.S.A. 48:2-21.1, and N.J.A.C. 14:1-5.12.

This matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law on June 17, 2009.

By Order dated July 1, 2009, the Board suspended the Company's proposed rates until November 15, 2009. Since this matter will not be completed by November 15, 2009, an Order further suspending the rates until March 15, 2010 is warranted.

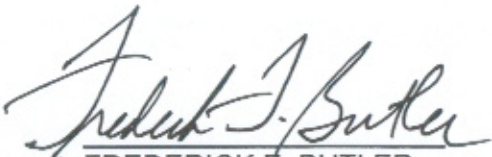
Pursuant to N.J.S.A., 48:2-21(d), the Board HEREBY ORDERS that the proposed revisions be, and are further suspended until March 15, 2010, unless the Board prior to that date makes a determination disposing of the petition.

DATED: 11/10/09

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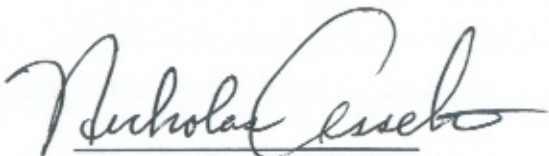
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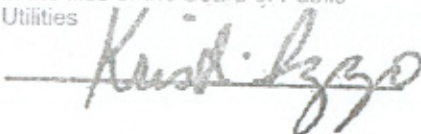
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KRISTI IZZO  
SECRETARY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within  
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APPROVAL OF GAS WEATHER NORMALIZATION CLAUSE; A PENSION EXPENSE  
TRACKER AND FOR OTHER APPROPRIATE RELIEF  
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