



November 4, 2008

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
P.O. Box 3265  
Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

RE: Revision of Guidelines for Maintaining Customer Services  
Establishment of Interim Standards for Purchase of Receivables (POR) Programs  
Docket No. M-2008-2068982

To Whom It May Concern:

U.S. Gas & Electric, Inc., ("USG&E"), is a retail energy supplier currently serving customers in New York, Michigan, and Indiana. In response to the Secretarial Letter soliciting comments regarding implementation of Purchase of Receivables Programs ("PORs") in the State of Pennsylvania, USG&E respectfully submits the following comments:

USG&E views the Pennsylvania market as presenting multiple opportunities to serve gas and electric customers at competitive prices. Pennsylvania is especially attractive to USG&E since we own natural gas production in the state and are considering drilling more wells in the future.

Our captive natural gas supply and proprietary natural gas purchasing model would allow USG&E to offer several products for Pennsylvania consumers. Nevertheless, USG&E will not be entering the Pennsylvania market until POR is implemented, since although our core business is energy supply, we do not do billing and collection.

We strongly encourage the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to implement mandatory PORs to open the market to enable a successful competitive environment as demonstrated in other states.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kathryn Tozzini".

Kathryn Tozzini,  
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U.S. Gas & Electric, Inc.