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Via Certified Mail

Brinda Westbrook-Sedgwick
Commission Secretary
Public Service Commission of the
District of Columbia
1325 G Street, N.W., Suite 800
Washington, DC 20005

**Re: South Jersey Energy Company Natural Gas Supplier License
GA2017-02**

**South Jersey Energy Company Electric Supplier License
EA 05-5**

Dear Secretary Westbrook-Sedgwick:

I write on behalf of South Jersey Energy Company ("SJE") in response to the questions raised by the Office of General Counsel of the Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia ("Commission") in an email dated February 15, 2019, a copy of which is attached hereto for reference. In response to each numbered question, SJE states as follows:

1. SJE has never provided natural gas or electricity services to customers in the District of Columbia.
2. SJE is not aware of any outstanding fees or assessments that it owes to the Commission, the Office of the People's Counsel ("OPC") or to the government of the District of Columbia ("District Government").
3. SJE is not aware of any amounts owed to the Commission, the OPC or the District Government.
4. There is no payment plan in place because SJE is not aware of any amounts owed to the Commission, the OPC or the District Government.
5. SJE is not aware of any outstanding consumer complaints filed against it with the Commission, OPC or the District Government.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any additional questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact me at laurenlong@sjindustries.com or (609) 568-9028 ext. 6877.

Respectfully Submitted,



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On behalf of South Jersey Energy Company

cc: Noel Antonio, Esq. (via email NAntonio@psc.dc.gov)
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From: Antonio, Noel (PSC) <NAntonio@psc.dc.gov>
Sent: Friday, February 15, 2019 1:24 PM
To: Long, Lauren
Subject: EXTERNAL: EA 05-5 and GA 2017-02, South Jersey Energy Company License Surrender

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Ms. Long—

I am in receipt of South Jersey Energy Company's ("SJE" or "Applicant") notice to the Commission, filed on February 14, 2019, of its intent to surrender its electricity supplier license and natural gas supplier license in the District of Columbia ("District"). The notice states that SJE does not serve any electric or natural gas customers and no longer intends to market electric or natural gas supply services in the District. Prior to the issuance of a Commission order granting SJE's request to cancel its license, the Commission requires responses to the following questions and for the Applicant to submit any documentation, if necessary, to clarify and resolve any outstanding issues regarding the Applicant's operating status in the District.

1. 15 DCMR § 4602.10 and § 4702.10 require licensed suppliers wishing to cease providing services in the District to provide at least 60-days written notice of that intent to the Commission and to its customers. SJE also represents that it does not serve customers in the District. The notice is unclear, however, whether SJE has ever provided services to customers in the District. If SJE has provided services to customers in the District in the past, please respond to questions (a) through (f). If SJE has not ever provided any services to any customers at any time in the past in the District, then please ignore questions (a) through (f).
 - (a) What were the beginning and end dates SJE provided services to District customers.
 - (b) How many total customers did it serve for each year it provided services.
 - (c) What was the nature of the services it provided to its District customers.
 - (d) When did SJE cease providing services for the final time.
 - (e) Did SJE provide notice to its customers that it would cease providing services.
 - (f) Did SJE return its former customers to the SOS or other provider, or provide to its former customers information and options in choosing or selecting another supplier? If yes, please provide such documentation.
2. 15 DCMR § 1300 *et seq.*, requires competitive suppliers to pay annual assessments. Does SJE owe any outstanding fees or assessments to the Commission, the Office of the People's Counsel ("OPC"), or to the government of the District of Columbia?
3. If yes, what are the amounts owed and are the amounts owed to the Commission, OPC, the District Government, or all? List the amounts separately.
4. If any amounts are owed, either to the Commission, OPC, the District Government, or all, does SJE have a payment plan in place? Describe the plan.
5. Are there any outstanding consumer complaints filed against SJE with the Commission, OPC, or the District Government? If yes, describe the nature of the complaint and what, if any, resolution of the complaint is forthcoming.

Please submit responses to the questions above in a filing with the Office of the Commission Secretary by March 4, 2019. If you have any further questions, I may be contacted at (202) 626-9189 or by email at nantonio@psc.dc.gov.

Thank you,

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