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Ms. Kristi Izzo, Secretary New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, Suite 801 Two Gateway Center Newark, NJ 07102

IN THE MATTER OF NEW JERSEY Re: NATURAL GAS COMPANY'S ANNUAL REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) AND REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) FACTORS FOR F/Y 2012 BPU DOCKET NO. GR1106

Dear Secretary Izzo:

Enclosed herewith for filing please find an original and ten (10) copies of the petition of New Jersey Natural Gas Company (NJNG) for the Annual Review and Revision of its Basic Gas Supply Service (BGSS) and Review and Revision of its Conservation Incentive Program (CIP) for F/Y 2012. Included in this filing are the testimonies of Jayana S. Shah, Tina M. Sinks, and Anne-Marie Peracchio in support of this petition.

Copies of the petition, including the supporting exhibits and testimony, are also being served upon the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this filing by date stamping the enclosed copy of this letter and returning same in the self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Very truly yours,

Tracey Thayer

Director, Regulatory Affairs Counsel

Enclosures

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#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY ANNUAL REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) AND REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) FOR F/Y 2012 DOCKET NO. GR1106\_\_\_\_

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Tina M. Sinks Manager - Regulatory Affairs

Anne-Marie Peracchio Director - Conservation and Clean Energy Policy

<sup>1</sup> For ease of presentation, the filing contains BGSS schedules for fiscal year (FY) 2011 and FY2012. Actual BGSS schedules for FY2009 and FY2010 and projected BGSS schedules for FY2013 will be included in Workpapers to be filed under separate cover.

#### CASE SUMMARY

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#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY ANNUAL REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) AND REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) FACTORS FOR F/Y 2012

FILING DATE:	June 1, 2011
EFFECTIVE DATE:	October 1, 2011

#### BASIS FOR REQUEST:

#### BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE ("BGSS")

1. New Jersey Natural Gas Company (the "Company") proposes to decrease its pre-tax periodic Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS") billing factor for sales customers from its current pre-tax level of \$0.7800 per therm to \$0.6650 per therm. This factor results in an effective pre-tax adjustment clause decrease of \$0.1150 per therm of gas sales effective October 1, 2011 (an after-tax adjustment clause decrease of \$0.1230 per therm), representing a 9.1 percent price decrease for a residential heating customer using 100 therms per month. The projected change in after-tax gas cost recoveries is as follows:

#### BGSS Decrease

(\$55.2 Million)

- 2. While the Company has not yet made any determination of the need for additional BGSS price adjustments, the Company may also seek to increase the price for BGSS service up to a maximum of 5 percent of the total residential bill on December 1, 2011 and/or February 1, 2012 pursuant to the Order in BPU Docket No. GX01050304 ("Generic BGSS Order"). If such an increase is required, the Company will provide notice to the Board and Rate Counsel of its election to adjust its BGSS rates upward as is required by the Generic BGSS Order. Additionally, pursuant to the Generic BGSS Order, the Company may decrease its BGSS rate, provide refunds or rate credits at any time upon five days notice and the filing of supporting documentation to the Board and to Rate Counsel.
- 3. The Company proposes to decrease its pre-tax Balancing Charge from its current pre-tax level of \$0.0828 per therm to \$0.0789 per therm. This factor results in an effective pre-tax decrease of \$0.0039 per therm of gas sales effective October 1, 2011 (an after-tax decrease of \$0.0042 per therm). All Balancing Charge revenues from transportation customers are credited to BGSS recoveries. For BGSS customers, the balancing charge is included as a component of the delivery charge and deducted from the BGSS charge in order to provide a BGSS "Price-to-Compare."

#### CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM ("CIP")

With this filing and pursuant to the December 12, 2006 and January 21, 2010 Orders in BPU Docket No. GR05121020 ("CIP Order"), the Company proposes to modify its after-tax CIP recovery rates as a component of delivery rates effective October 1, 2011. The existing rates, proposed rates and projected change in after-tax CIP recoveries for each CIP Group are:

		Existing	Proposed	Change in
		Charge/ (Credit)	Charge	Recovery
<u>Group</u>	Group Description	per therm	per therm	<u>\$ million</u>
Group I	Residential Non-Heat	(\$0.0033)	\$0.0255	\$0.09
Group II	Residential Heat	\$0.0179	\$0.0066	(\$5.06)
Group III	General Service - Small	\$0.0339	\$0.0464	\$0.41
Group IV	General Service - Large	\$0.0278	\$0.0391	<u>\$1.54</u>
Total				(\$3.02)

#### IMPACT TO CUSTOMERS

The combination of the proposed October 1, 2011 BGSS and CIP changes results in a 9.9 percent decrease to the total bill of an average residential heating sales customer (Group II), a 6.0 percent decrease for an average residential non-heat sales customer (Group I) and a 7.4 percent decrease for an average sales customer in Group III. The CIP change results in a 0.9 percent increase for an average Group IV customer. Group IV sales customers are not affected by the BGSS request because they are subject to monthly market pricing for their natural gas supply.

#### **PETITION OF**

#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY FOR THE ANNUAL REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) AND REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) FACTORS FOR F/Y 2012

#### STATE OF NEW JERSEY BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY FOR THE ANNUAL REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) AND REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) FACTORS FOR F/Y 2012

BPU DOCKET NO. GR1106\_\_\_\_

PETITION

#### TO: THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS OF THE NEW JERSEY BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

Pursuant to the "Order Approving BGSS Price Structure" ("Generic BGSS Order") issued on January 17, 2002 by the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("BPU" or the "Board") in BPU Docket No. GX01050304<sup>1</sup>, and the applicable provisions of <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 48:2-21, New Jersey Natural Gas Company ("NJNG" or the "Company") hereby requests the Board to accept the Company's annual reconciliation filing for its Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS"), and approve the Company's related request to decrease the BGSS price applicable to residential and certain small commercial customers. NJNG also hereby requests that the Board approve, pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 48:2-21 and the authority granted the Company in a BPU Order in Docket No. GR07110889 dated October 3, 2008 ("Base Case Order"), a decrease to its balancing charge to reflect updated costs. Additionally, pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 48:2-21 and the authority granted the Company in BPU Orders in Docket No. GR05121020 dated December 12, 2006 and January 21, 2010 ("CIP Orders"), NJNG hereby requests that the Board accept the Company's filing related to the Conservation Incentive Program ("CIP") for the period from October 1, 2010 through September 30, 2011 and approve the Company's related request to decrease its CIP recovery rate

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The referenced BGSS Order contemplates that annual BGSS reconciliation filings are made by natural gas companies by June 1 of each year, with proposed BGSS price adjustments to be effective October 1 of each year, and authorizes two additional self-implementing rates adjustments (subject to limits) upon notice to the Board on

for Group II Residential Heat customers and to increase its CIP recovery rates for Group I Residential Non-Heat customers, Group III General Service – Small customers, and Group IV General Service – Large customers.

1. NJNG is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Jersey and is a public utility engaged in the distribution and transportation of natural gas subject to the jurisdiction of the Board. The Company's principal business office is located at 1415 Wyckoff Road, Wall Township, New Jersey 07719.

2. Communications and correspondence relating to this filing should be sent to:

Mark R. Sperduto, Vice President, Regulatory & External Affairs Tracey Thayer, Esq., Director, Regulatory Affairs Counsel New Jersey Natural Gas Company 1415 Wyckoff Road, P.O. Box 1464 Wall, N.J. 07719 (732) 938-1214 (Sperduto) (732) 919-8025 (Thayer) (732) 938-2620 (fax)

3. As required by the referenced Generic BGSS Order, the instant filing includes a reconciliation of actual versus estimated costs and revenues from the last Board approved rate change for commodity, storage and interstate transportation costs, including the costs and results of natural gas supplies set by hedges; projected rates supported by projected volumes, revenues, and commodity, transportation, storage and transaction costs, including the cost of natural gas supplies set by hedges; deferred balances and the timeframe over which such balances and related rates are to be collected or returned; a written explanation of the circumstances that caused any deferred balances to be accrued; and a written explanation of any significant activities or trends which may affect costs for the prospective period. This filing also includes testimony, schedules, and data that, in addition to the materials required by the Generic BGSS Order, are responsive to and consistent with the recommended minimum filing requirements (MFRs) for annual BGSS filings. Additional information related to the MFRs will be provided within Workpapers to be filed shortly.

November 1 and January 1 each year to take effect on December 1 and February 1 respectively. Pursuant to the same order, BGSS service for large commercial and industrial customers is priced on a monthly basis.

4. Based on the information provided herein, the Company proposes an overall decrease to the BGSS price applicable to residential and small commercial customers, effective October 1, 2011, of \$0.1230 per therm, after tax, which would reflect a decrease of \$12.30 or approximately 9.1 percent for a residential heating customer using 100 therms per month.

5. The costs and recoveries associated with the BGSS price will have no net impact on NJNG's base revenues or return on investment, and will not change NJNG's income or rate of return.

6. NJNG is providing thirty-one (31) months of actual BGSS data for the period October 1, 2008 through April 30, 2011, and projected data for the twenty-nine (29) month period May 1, 2011 through September 30, 2013.

7. As approved by the Board in the Base Case Order, NJNG is authorized to adjust its balancing charge in the annual BGSS filing to reflect updated costs. The Company is proposing to decrease its after-tax balancing charge by \$0.0042 per therm. All Balancing Charge revenues from transportation customers are credited to BGSS. For BGSS customers, the balancing charge is included as a component of the delivery charge and deducted from the BGSS charge in order to provide a BGSS "Price-to-Compare."

8. Pursuant to the CIP Order, the CIP provides for a rate adjustment related to changes in average use per customer when compared to a pre-established benchmark. Additionally, any recoveries sought by the Company must meet the Basic Gas Supply Service Savings Test and Earnings Test ("Tests") established in the CIP Order.

9. Based on actual data for the period October 1, 2010 through April 30, 2011, and projected data for the period May 1, 2011 through September 30, 2011, the CIP calculations for fiscal year 2011, including projected prior fiscal period over or underrecovery balances result in the following recovery amounts: 1) a margin deficiency of approximately \$0.076 million for Group I Residential Non-Heat customers; 2) a margin deficiency of approximately \$2.8 million for Group II Residential Heat customers; 3) a margin deficiency of approximately \$1.4 million for Group III General Service – Small customers; and, 4) a margin deficiency of approximately \$5.0 million for Group IV General Service – Large customers.

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10. The testimony of Tina M. Sinks and Exhibit C within this filing demonstrate that NJNG is entitled to full recovery of such balances based on the Tests established in the CIP Order. Pursuant to the terms of the CIP Order, the Company is proposing an effective date of October 1, 2011 for the following after-tax CIP rates which, as compared to existing charges, result in the following increase or (decrease) per therm:

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		Existing	
	Proposed	Charge	Increase/
	Charge/	(Credit)	(Decrease)
Group Description	per therm	per therm	per therm
Residential Non-Heat	\$0.0255	(\$0.0033)	\$0.0288
Residential Heat	\$0.0066	\$0.0179	(\$0.0113)
General Service - Small	\$0.0464	\$0.0339	\$0.0125
General Service - Large	\$0.0391	\$0.0278	\$0.0113
	Residential Non-Heat Residential Heat General Service - Small	Group DescriptionCharge/ per thermResidential Non-Heat\$0.0255Residential Heat\$0.0066General Service - Small\$0.0464	Proposed Charge/ (Credit)Charge (Credit)Group Description 

11. The combination of the proposed October 1, 2011 BGSS and CIP changes results in a \$13.43 or 9.9 percent decrease to the total bill of a residential heating sales customer (Group II) using 100 therms per month, a 6.0 percent decrease for an average residential non-heat sales customer (Group I) and a 7.4 percent decrease for an average sales customer in Group III. The CIP change results in a 0.9 percent increase for an average Group IV customer. Group IV sales customers are not affected by this BGSS request because they are subject to monthly market pricing for their natural gas supply.

12. This filing is supported by and includes the testimonies of Jayana S. Shah-Manager, Gas Supply; Tina M. Sinks-Manager, Regulatory Affairs; and Anne-Marie Peracchio-Director, Conservation and Clean Energy Policy. Additionally, annexed hereto and made a part of this Petition are the following exhibits and schedules:

Exhibit A BGSS schedules for the twelve (12) month period ending September 30, 2011, using actual data for the period from October 1, 2010 through April 30, 2011 and projected data for the period from May 1, 2011 through September 30, 2011. Actual BGSS schedules for fiscal year (FY) 2009

and FY2010 will be included in Workpapers to be filed shortly under separate cover.

- **Exhibit B** BGSS schedules for the twelve (12) month period from October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012, using projected data for the entire period. Projected BGSS schedules for FY2013 will be included in Workpapers to be filed shortly under separate cover.
- **Exhibit C** CIP Schedules
- **Exhibit D** Calculation of Balancing Charge
- **Exhibit E** Impact of Proposed Rate Changes along with a summary of all the adjustments and appropriate balances contained in Exhibits A and B as necessary to compute the proposed BGSS price.
- **Exhibit F** Proposed tariff pages for Petitioner's Tariff Gas Service, BPU No. 8-Gas
- **Exhibit G** Proposed Form of Notice of Public Hearing,

14. NJNG has served notice and a copy of this filing, together with a copy of the annexed exhibits and schedules and NJNG's supporting testimonies being filed herewith, upon the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel, 31 Clinton Street, Newark, New Jersey.

WHEREFORE, NJNG requests that the Board issue an Order:

- Accepting for filing the Company's annual BGSS reconciliation filing;
- Approving the Company's request to decrease the Periodic BGSS price applicable to residential and small commercial customers effective October 1, 2011;
- Approving the Company's request to decrease its Balancing Charge effective October 1, 2011;
- 4. Approving the requested CIP rate changes effective October 1, 2011; and
- Granting such other relief as the Board deems just, reasonable and necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY

By:

Sheren Tracey Thayer. Esa.

Attorney for New Jersey Natural Gas Company

Dated: June 1, 2011

#### **EXHIBIT A** Seven Months Actual through April 2011 and Five Months Projected through September 2011<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For ease of presentation, the filing contains BGSS schedules for fiscal year (FY) 2011 and FY2012. Actual BGSS schedules for FY2009 and FY2010 and projected BGSS schedules for FY2013 will be included in Workpapers to be filed under separate cover.

NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERED GAS COSTS BGSS YEAR 2011 \$(000)

SCHEDULE 1

						A	ACTUAL ESTIMATE	STIMATE					
	Oct-10	Nov-10	Dec-10	Jan-11	Feb-11	Mar-11	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	Sep-11	TOTAL
1. Under/(Over) Recovered Gas Costs Beg. of Period <sup>1</sup>	36,485	34,888	31,179	24,751	17,565	11,424	8,176	4,106	1,823	183	(1,477)	(3,075)	36,485
2. Net Cost Appl. To BGSS Sales (Sch 2a)	16,629	34,660	74,695	85,398	62,304	49,783	23,559	13,133	9,430	9,614	9,473	9,452	398,130
3. BGSS Recoveries (Sch 2b)	(16,036)	(34,564)	(73,779)	(81,882)	(60,209)	(48,459)	(25,557)	(13,634)	(9,390)	(9,536)	(9,335)	(9,305)	(391,688)
<ol> <li>Under/(Over) Rec. Gas Costs - Current Period (L.2 - L.3)</li> </ol>	593	96	916	3,516	2,094	1,323	(1,999)	(501)	40	79	138	147	6,442
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8. Transportation(Sch.4d)	(146)	(138)	(158)	(119)	(140)	(138)	(140)	(132)	(128)	(132)	(132)	(128)	(1.632)
<ol><li>FRM Program (Sch 4i)</li></ol>	145	19	28	0	0	0	0	0	ò	ò	ò	ò	192
10. Storage Incentive (Sch.4k)	0	681	0	31	0	53	212	0	0	0	0	0	977
11. Off-System Sales (Sch.4e)	(853)	(2,252)	(4,247)	(8,018)	(5,931)	(2,315)	(446)	(85)	(113)	(113)	(113)	(28)	(24,516)
12. Capacity Rel. (Sch.4f)	(194)	(1,143)	(1,206)	(926)	(840)	(026)	(1,015)	(1,112)	(1,082)	(1,112)	(1,112)	(1,082)	(12,355)
13. Supplier Ref. and Misc. Adj. (Sch.5)	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	- -
<ol><li>Balancing and Penalty (Sch.4g)</li></ol>	(473)	(875)	(1,671)	(1,604)	(1,258)	(1,174)	(620)	(360)	(253)	(261)	(260)	(253)	(9,061)
<ol><li>Ocean Peaking Power (Sch.4h)</li></ol>	(67)	(83)	(86)	(99)	(99)	(65)	(64)	(74)	(85)	(100)	(66)	(77)	(832)
<ol> <li>Total Debits and Credits</li> <li>(L.5 through L. 15)</li> </ol>	(2,190)	(3,805)	(7,344)	(10,701)	(8,236)	(4,570)	(2,072)	(1,783)	(1,680)	(1,738)	(1,736)	(1,587)	(47,443)
17. Under/(Over) Recov.Gas Costs. End of Period (L's.1,4,&16)	34,888	31,179	24,751	17,565	11,424	8,176	4,106	1,823	183	(1,477)	(3,075)	(4,515)	(4,515)

<sup>1</sup> Adjustments to opening balance are captured on Schedule 5.

Exhibit A Schedule 1 Page 1 of 1 NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED GAS COSTS AND RECOVERIES BGSS YEAR 2011 \$(000) & (000)THERMS

		SCI	SCHEDULE 2a	-		2							
						4	ACTUAL ESTIMATE	STIMATE					
COST OF GAS-CURRENT PERIOD	Oct-10	Nov-10	Dec-10	Jan-11	Nov-10 Dec-10 Jan-11 Feb-11 Mar-11 Apr-11 May-11 Jun-11	Mar-11	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Jul-11 Aug-11	Sep-11	TOTAL
Totai Gas Costs <sup>1</sup>	35,163	47,752	90,418	109,794	86,388	66,744	33,981	15,100	14,903	14,260	13,082	9,634	537,219
REDUCTIONS TO COST OF GAS													
Interruptible (Sch.4a)	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
Sayreville (Sch. 4b)	0	48	0	0	0	0	0	88	82	86	87	85	476
Forked Rv. (Sch. 4c)	0	75	203	0	-	4	0	98	92	97	98	95	763
Off System Sales (Sch.4e)	19,433	14,303	16,927	25,461	25,051	18,037	11,605	3,089	6,572	5,771	4,733	1,275	152,256
Capacity Release (Sch. 4f)	(834)	(1,344)	(1,419)	(1,090)	(686)	(1,094)	(1,194)	(1,308)	(1,273)	(1,308)	(1,308)	(1,273)	(14,535)
Company Use Gas	10	10	12	25	21	16	1						104
Total Reductions	18,534	13,092	15,723	24,396	24,084	16,962	10,422	1,967	5,473	4,646	3,609	182	139,089
Net Cost Appl.To BGSS Sales	16,629	34,660	74,695	85,398	62,304	49,783	23,559	13,133	9,430	9,614	9,473	9,452	398,130
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## GAS COST RECOVERIES

GAS CUST RECOVERIES													
	ł	SC	SCHEDULE 2b	~									
BGSS Sales	21,196	45,938	96,235	106,748	78,401	63,672	33,374	17,895	12,383	12,563	12,292	12,241	512,935
A/C Sales								32	35	32	28	37	164
Monthly BGSS Sales	3,026	5,731	10,983	11,289	8,393	7,185	3,838	2,885	2,106	2,173	2,173	2,107	61,888
BGSS Sales less Monthly and A/C	18,170	40,207	85,252	95,458	70,008	56,487	29,536	14,978	10,241	10,357	10,091	10,097	450,883
Recovery Rate \$ per Therm:													
Periodic BGSS Rate	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	
A/C Rate	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.7800	0.5041	0.5041	0.5041	0.5041	0.5041	
Monthly BGSS Rate	0.6160	0.5589	0.6631	0.6577	0.6676	0.6123	0.6564	0.6707	0.6570	0.6630	0.6674	0.6696	
Recoveries: Deriodio BCSS	11 170	31 367	66 407	74 458	EA EDE	11 060	<b>33 038</b>	11 683	7 088	8 070	7 874	7 876	351 680
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Monthly BGSS	1.864	3.203	7.283	7.425	5.603	4.399	2.519	1.935	1,384	1,441	1,451	1,411	39,916
Total BGSS Recovery (Sch. 1, L. 3)	16.036	34.564	73.779	81.882	60.209	48.459	25.557	13,634	9,390	9,536	9,335	9,305	391,688

<sup>1</sup> Total Gas Costs equals the sum of Total Allocated Costs on Schedule 2c and the non-production Company Use Gas. The non-production Company Use Gas is included in Total Gas Costs and removed in the Reduction to Gas Costs on Schedule 2a for no impact to the BGSS.

NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY TOTAL GAS COSTS BGSS YEAR 2011

			SC	SCHEDULE 2c									
							Ā	ACTUAL ES	ESTIMATE				
M dth		Oct-10	Nov-10	Dec-10	Jan-11	Feb-11	Mar-11	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	Sep-11
Beginning of Month Storage Balance		24,681	25,481 8 4 2 2	24,477	17,996	11,256	7,527	4,266	7,504	10,994	14,469	17,959	21,449
Sub-total of Available Supplies	A	32,900	0, 132 33,613	31,126	26,406	9,008 20,264	15,327	9,246 13,512	5,985 13,488	6,187 17,181	6,030 20,499	5,773 23,731	4,897 26,346
Less volumes with assigned cost allocations Off System Sales, Electric Gen, Interr.Sales, Other		5,210	4,476	3,358	4,269	4,902	4,717	2.662	689	1.462	1.274	1.042	306
A/C Sales		0	0	0	0	0	•	0	n	4	e e	i e	4
Monthly BGSS Sales Sub-total of Assigned Cost Allocations	α	303	573 5 049	1,098	1,129 5 308	839 5 741	719 E 43E	384	288	211	217	217	211
	1	100	255	000-t-'-	000'0	t	0240	0+0'0	006	110'1	t0.4	707'1	170
Ailocation WACOG Volume C = A - B volume available for allocation	C = A - B le for allocation	27,387	28,564	26,670	21,008	14,522	9,892	10,467	12,508	15,504	19,005	22,469	25,825
\$000													
Beginning of Month Storage Balance		145,878	153,429	147,606	109,781	69,574	46,790	20,045	36,269	53,793	71,371	89,262	107,335
Commodity Durchases		727,055	38,792 28 020	34,119 38.061	28,736 53 333	21,083	11,862 31,027	12,354	13,333 20,265	17,887 20,705	23,114	28,328	33,620 24,620
Demand Charges		8,303	8,317	30,331 8,247	8,576	43,730 8,624	31,327 8,548	8,010	7,913	c0//87 8.003	7,978	28,469 7.978	24,839 8.003
Sub-total of Available Supplies	۵	227,375	229,467	228,923	200,426	145,019	99,127	83,551	86,780	109,388	131,851	154,037	173,857
Less volumes with assigned cost allocations Off System Sales, Electric Gen, Interr. Sales, Other		19.458	14.427	17,129	25.461	25.052	18 040	11 605	3 275	6 746	5 954	4 917	1 455
A/C Sales		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	18	16	14	19
Monthly BGSS Sales	L	1,864	3,203	7,283	7,425	5,603	4,399	2,519	1,935	1,384	1,441	1,451	1,411
oub-total of Assigned cost allocations	IJ	21,322	11,629	24,412	32,886	30,655	22,440	14,124	5,226	8,148	7,411	6,382	2,884
Allocation WACOG Costs	F=D-E	206,052	211,838	204,511	167,540	114,364	76,687	69,427	81,554	101,240	124,439	147,655	170,973
\$ availabi	\$ available for allocation												
\$/dth WACOG	G = F / C	7.5236	7.4163	7.6683	7.9750	7.8751	7.7525	6.6332	6.5201	6.5300	6.5478	6.5716	6.6204
<u>Mdth</u> Periodic BGSS Sales		1,817	4,021	8,525	9,546	7,001	5,649	2,954	1,498	1,024	1,036	1,009	1,010
CoUse & UFG Periodic BGSS Sales & Col Lee & I IFG	E	1 828	40	81 8 606	95 0 644	74	64	38	17	101	1010	11	1000
	volume to be allocated	anal.	2001L	20010	100	101	21.12	2,004	±10'1	too'-	20	070'1	020'1
<pre>youu Periodic BGSS (\$/dth WACOG * Periodic BGSS volume I = G * H</pre>	ume[l=G * H	13,831	30,113	65,994	76,883	55,712	44,289	19,846	9,874	6,755	6,849	6,700	6,750
Plus assigned cost allocations	allocated cost												
Off System Sales, Electric Gen, Interr Sales, Other Δ/C Sales		19,458 0	14,427 0	17,129	25,461	25,052 2	18,040	11,605	3,275	6,746	5,954	4,917	1,455
Monthly BGSS Sales		1,864	3,203	7,283	7,425	5,603	4,399	0 2,519	1,935	1,384	15 1,441	1451 1,451	1,411
Sub-total of Assigned cost allocations	P	21,322	17,629	24,412	32,886	30,655	22,440	14,124	5,226	8,148	7,411	6,382	2,884
Total Allocated Costs (Sch 2a Total Gas Costs)	K=I+J	35,154	47,742	90,406	109,769	86,367	66,729	33,970	15,100	14,903	14,260	13,082	9,634
End of Month Storage Balance Total Allocated Costs & Storage Balances	с М = К+L	153,429 188,583	147,606 195,348	109,781 200,187	69,574 179,343	46,790 133,157	20,045 86,773	36,249 70,219	53,793 68,893	71,371 86,273	89,262 103,522	107,335 120,417	125,205 134,839
Current Month WACOG Inventory Activity	M - Q = N	38,792	34,119	28,736	21,083	11,862	12,354	13,333	17,887	23,114	28,328	33,620	39,018

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NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY ESTIMATED THERM SALES BGSS YEAR 2011 (000)THERMS

98,372 25,774 33,319 12,429 169,894 61,888 23,815 145 85,848 42 1,019 1,289 341,319 TOTAL 427,068 20 856,603 1,026,497 512,935 427,088 343,668 0 178 196 2,690 Sep-11 9,690 3 9,694 2,107 407 33 2,547 3,399 593 2,605 842 7,438 22,744 15,305 065 12,241 3,507 605 2,692 3,469 Aug-11 2,173 420 184 203 10,030 9,671 ŝ 9,674 25 2,618 12,292 0 0 10,417 22,709 32,982 Jul-11 0 184 203 12,350 3,620 610 2,692 3,592 10,514 25,300 2,173 420 29 2,622 12,737 35,814 9,937 9,941 12,563 Jun-11 0 178 196 14,250 3,715 597 2,605 2,105 9,022 9,839 2,106 407 36,029 9,834 2,544 12,383 14,625 27,007 4 С 3 ACTUAL ESTIMATE Apr-11 May-11 14,276 2,885 702 26 3,613 184 203 6,500 4,735 951 2,692 689 9,067 33,849 17,895 0 24,782 14,282 6,887 3,838 1,476 28,060 0 0 26,620 0 6,526 2,038 2,868 113 28,060 5,314 33,374 26,620 59,994 1,545 71,539 Mar-11 53,300 47,159 11,768 3,738 2,832 60 18,399 53,300 7,185 3,187 00 110,839 10,372 63,672 47,166 129,237 12,402 4,142 2,869 Feb-11 65,852 8,393 4,156 12,549 49,019 0 65,852 00 49,020 63 19,477 146,898 127,421 78,401 Jan-11 42,694 0 15,886 5,227 2,443 56 23,612 89,766 89,766 11,289 5,693 000 42,694 173,053 16,982 748 149,441 106, SCHEDULE Dec-10 80,659 80,659 10,983 4,593 15,576 109 33,472 0 17,347 4,447 3,227 455 25,476 96,235 0 0 155,292 129,816 33,581 Nov-10 38,519 5,731 1,688 0 109 170 44,479 9,736 2,007 2,814 814 38,519 90,696 45,938 44,758 ,419 106,067 15,37 Oct-10 52,055 0 5,729 819 21,196 52,098 2,981 170 82,992 17,503 17,503 3,026 667 3,693 42 0 73,294 9,699

Total Commercial & Industrial Sales

Air Conditioning

C&I Monthly BGSS Sales C&I Periodic BGSS Sales

Residential BGSS Sales Residential Air Conditioning Total Residential Sales Sayreville (Sch. 4b) Forked River(Sch. 4c) Off System Sales(Sch. 4e) Natural Gas Vehicles

**Fotal Non-Firm Sales** 

Residential Transportation Interruptible Transportation Ocean Peaking Power

Total Transportation

Total Mtherms

Firm Transportation

Total Sales

Interruptible IGS (Sch. 4a)

Total Firm Sales

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		SCF	SCHEDULE 4a			2							
						Ā	ACTUAL ESTIMATE	STIMATE					
INTERRUPTIBLE SALES	Oct-10	Nov-10	Dec-10	Jan-11	Feb-11	Mar-11	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	Sep-11	TOTAL
Interruptible & IGS Revenues	33	0	o	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33
Less Tefa-Sis tax	(3)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(3)
Less BPU/RC Assessment	0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Net Revenue	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	٥	0	0	0	30
Interr. Sales (Sch.3)	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	o	42
Loss Factor (2%) Rate per therm	1.020 0.57587	1.020	1.020	1.020	1.020	1.020	1.020	1.020	1.020	1.020	1.020	1.020	1.020 п/а
Cost of Gas (Sch. 2a)	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	o	24
Total Credit (Sch.1, L.5)	2	0	0	0	٥	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
SAYREVILLE		sch	SCHEDULE 4b										
Revenue Less BPU/RC Assessment	00	54 (0)	0 0	00	00	00	00	97 (0)	91 (0)	95 (0)	96 (0)	94 (0)	527 (1)
Net Revenue	0	54	0	0	0	0	0	67	91	95	96	93	526
Therm Sales (Sch. 3) Rate per therm	0	109 0.44324	0	O	ο	0	0	184 0.47529	178 0.46118	184 0.46732	184 0.47184	178 0.47411	1,019 n/a
Cost of Gas (Sch. 2a)	o	48	0	0	0	0	0	88	82	86	87	85	476
Total Credit (Sch.1, L.6)	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	თ	თ	თ	თ	თ	50

Exhibit A Schedule 4 Page 1 of 3 NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED INCOME SHARING DERIVED FROM SALES TO FORKED RIVER ELECTRIC GENERATION, & TRANSPORT FOR OTHERS BGSS YEAR 2011 \$(000) & (000) THERMS

		sci	SCHEDULE 4c										
						4	ACTUAL E	ESTIMATE					
FORKED RIVER	Oct-10	Nov-10	Dec-10	Jan-11	Feb-11	Mar-11	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	Sep-11	TOTAL
Revenue	0	84	208	0	<del></del>	4	0	109	102	107	108	105	829
Less BPU/RC Assessment	(0)	0)	(0)	0	(0)	(0)	0	(0)	(0)	(0)	0)	(o)	(1)
Net Revenue	0	84	208	0	-	4	0	108	102	107	108	105	827
Therm Sales (Sch. 3)	~	170	109	0	~	7	0	203	196	203	203	196	1,289
Loss Factor (2%) Rate per therm	1.02 0.41176	1.02 0.43559	1.02 1.82180	1.02	1.02 0.98039	1.02 0.53378	1.02	1.02 0.47529	1.02 0.46118	1.02 0.46732	1.02 0.47184	1.02 0.47411	1.02 n/a
Cost of Gas (Sch.2a)	0	75	203	0	~	4	0	98	62	67	98	95	763
Total Credit (Sch.1, L.7)	0	ø	5	0	0	0	0	10	10	10	10	10	64
Interruptible Transportation & IT switch to Firm		ŝ	SCHEDULE 4d										
Revenue	437	415	473	363	423	417	423	373	361	373	373	361	4,794
Less brunc Assessment and KA Less NJ Clean Energy, USF & EE	(112) (147)	(109) (139)	(122) (159)	(98) (120)	(111) (141)	(109) (139)	(111) (141)	(82) (132)	(80) (128)	(82) (132)	(82) (132)	(80) (128)	(1,177) (1,637)
Less IT Cogen/Tefa & Sis tax	(32)	(30)	(35)	(27)	(31)	(30)	(31)	(27)	(26)	(27)	(27)	(26)	(349)
Gross Margin	146	138	158	119	140	138	140	132	128	132	132	128	1,632
Total Credit (Sch.1, L.8)	146	138	158	119	140	138	140	132	128	132	132	128	1,632
FRM Program		sci	SCHEDULE 4										
FRM Program - Gain (Loss) NJNG Sharing @ 15% (Sch.1, L.9)	966 145	125 19	187 28	00	0 0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	1,278 192
Storage Incentive		sci	SCHEDULE 4k										
Storage Gain (Loss) NJNG Sharing @ 20% (Sch.1, L.10)	00	3,404 681	00	154 31	00	267 53	1,062 212	0 0	00	0 0	00	00	4,887 977

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l		SC	SCHEDULE 4e		\$(000) & (000)THERMS								
]						- 1	ACTUAL E	ESTIMATE					-
OFF-SYSTEM SALES	Oct-10	Nov-10	Dec-10	Jan-11	Feb-11	Mar-11	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	Sep-11	TOTAL
Revenues	20,437	16,952	21,923	34,894	32,028	20,760	12,130	3,189	6,705	5,905	4,866	1,309	181,099
Net Revenue	20,437	16,952	21,923	34,894	32,028	20,760	12,130	3,189	6,705	5,905	4,866	1,309	181,099
Therm sales Rate per therm COG	52,055 0.373	44,479 0.322	33,472 0.506	42,694 0.596	49,019 0.511	47,159 0.382	26,620 0.436	6,500 0.475	14,250 0.461	12,350 0.467	10,030 0.472	2,690 0.474	341,319
Cost of Gas (Sch. 2a)	19,433	14,303	16,927	25,461	25,051	18,037	11,605	3,089	6,572	5,771	4,733	1,275	152,256
Net Margin Customer sharing @ 85%	1,004 853	2,650 2,252	4,996 4,247	9,434 8,018	6,978 5,931	2,724 2,315	525 446	100 85	133 113	133 113	133 113	33 28	28,843 24,516
(Scn.1,L 11) NJNG Sharing @ 15%	151	397	749	1,415	1,047	409	62	15	20	20	20	S	4,326
Total Credit = Cost of Gas plus sharings	20,287	16,555	21,173	33,479	30,982	20,352	12,051	3,174	6,685	5,885	4,846	1,304	176,773
CAPACITY RELEASE		sc	SCHEDULE 4	L									
Revenue Customer Sharing @ 85% (Sch.1.,L 12)	934 794	1,344 1,143	1,419 1,206	1,090 926	989 840	1,094 930	1,194 1,015	1,308 1,112	1,273 1,082	1,308 1,112	1,308 1,112	1,273 1,082	14,535 12,355
BALANCING CREDITS & PENALTY CHARGES		SCI	SCHEDULE 49	73									
Current Month MBR Penalty Charges Current Month Balancing Charges	0 473	0 875	0 1,671	0 1,604	13 1,245	0 1,174	0 620	0 360	0 253	0 261	0 260	0 253	13 9,048
Total Credit (Sch.1.,L 14)	473	875	1,671	1,604	1,258	1,174	620	360	253	261	260	253	9,061
OCEAN PEAKING POWER		SCI	SCHEDULE 4h	۶									
Therm Sales (Sch. 3)	170	814	455	56	63	60	113	689	2,105	3,592	3,469	842	12,429
Revenue Less Sales Tax Less BPU/RC Assessment Less LISF	86 (0) (6)	158 (10) (15)	131 (9) (8)	3 (0 (2 2	70 (5) (0)	70 (5) (0)	8 († 0) c	80 (5) (0)	9 (0) 0) 0)	108 (	106 (7) (0)	83 (2) (2) (3)	1,126 (74) (2)
Less RA, NJ Clean Energy, EE Less Balancing Charges Sharing Margin	(0) 0 67	(50) (50) 83	86 0 (28) 86 0 (28)	66 o (3 <del>(</del>	0000	65 0 0 0	0004	0004	85000	0 0 0 0	0006	0 0 0	(21) (92) 932
Customer Sharing @ 100% Balancing Charges Total Credit (Sch 1, L.15)	67 0 67	83 0 83	80 0 80 0 80 0 80 0 80 0 80 0 80 0 80 0	80 0 8 90 0 8	90 09 09	65 65	64 64 64	74 0 74	85 85 85	100 100	6 0 6 6 0 6	77 0 77	932 0 932

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# NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED SUPPLIER REFUNDS AND MISCELLANEOUS ADJUSTMENTS BGSS YEAR 2011 \$(000)

SCHEDULE 5

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.INE 13)	Opening balance BGSS Interest Sch 6 Adiustments to BCSS onanion balance are contined on Schedula 1		0	0	WNC balance transfer per 9/16/10 Order in GR10060382 (1)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	TOTALS (1)
(Sch 1. LINE 13)	Opening balance B	OCT 2010	NOV 2010	DEC 2010	JAN 2011 WNG	FEB 2011	MAR 2011	APR 2011	MAY 2011	JUN 2011	JUL 2011	AUG 2011	SEP 2011	

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	<b>BALANCES</b>	SCHEDULE 6	ANNUAL	RATE	7.76%		231	214	181	137	94	63	40	61	9	(4)	(15)	(25)	941	0
GAS COMPANY 011	OVER) RECOVERED I		ANNUAL	RATE			0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647		
NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY BGSS YFAR 2011	COMPUTATION OF INTEREST ON UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERED BALANCES	\$(000)	AVERAGE	BALANCE			35,687	33,034	27,965	21,158	14,494	9,800	6,141	2,964	1,003	(647)	(2,276)	(3,795)		INTEREST TO BE CREDITED TO CUSTOMER
	OMPUTATIO	COMBINED	BALANCE		201.20	20,403	34,888	31,179	24,751	17,565	11,424	8,176	4,106	1,823	183	(1,477)	(3,075)	(4,515)		INTEREST TO
	U		DATE		0100 010	3EF 2010	OCT 2010	NOV 2010	DEC 2010	JAN 2011	FEB 2011	MAR 2011	APR 2011	MAY 2011	JUN 2011	JUL 2011	AUG 2011	SEP 2011		TOTAL

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#### **EXHIBIT B Projected October 2011 - September 2012<sup>1</sup>**

#### **INDEX OF SCHEDULES:**

- 1. Under/(Over) Recovered Gas Costs
- 2a. Gas Costs
- 2b. Gas Cost Recoveries
- 2c. Total Gas Costs
- 3. Total Therm Sales
- 4a. Interruptible Sales
- 4b. Sales at Sayreville
- 4c. Sales at Forked River
- 4d. Interruptible Transportation
- 4e. Income Sharing Derived from Off System Sales
- 4f. Income Sharing Derived from Capacity Release
- 4g. Balancing Credits and Penalty Charges
- 4h. Ocean Peaking Power
- 4i. Financial Risk Management (FRM) Program
- 4k. Storage Incentive
- 5. Supplier Refunds and Miscellaneous Adjustments
- 6. Computation of Interest

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For ease of presentation, the filing contains BGSS schedules for fiscal year (FY) 2011 and FY2012. Actual BGSS schedules for FY2009 and FY2010 and projected BGSS schedules for FY2013 will be included in Workpapers to be filed under separate cover.

NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERED GAS COSTS BGSS YEAR 2012

		Ű			\$(000)	1							
	ESTIMATE	8											
	Oct-11	Nov-11	Dec-11	Jan-12	Feb-12	Mar-12	Apr-12	May-12	Jun-12	Jul-12	Aug-12	Sep-12	TOTAL
													-
1. Under/(Over) Recovered Gas Costs Beg. of Period <sup>1</sup>	(4,515)	(4,646)	(5,507)	(5,018)	(2,295)	3,050	8,831	7,209	6,582	6,267	6,005	5,789	(4,515)
2 Net Cost Anni To BGSS Sales (Sch 2a)	17 476	345 26	60 522	74 791	67 612	55 A17	74 675	13 577	0 016	10 OR	10.076	10.026	388 676
				ř.								000	0.000
3. BGSS Recoveries (Sch 2b)	(15,812)	(31,751)	(55,636)	(67,316)	(58,037)	(45,870)	(24,076)	(12,181)	(8,429)	(8,565)	(8,390)	(8,350)	(344,413)
4. Under/(Over) Rec. Gas Costs - Current Period (L.2 - L.3)	1,663	2,597	4,887	7,475	9,576	9,547	549	1,346	1,517	1,642	1,686	1,676	44,162
Adjustments													
<ol><li>Interruptible (Sch.4a)</li></ol>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0
6. Sayreville (Sch.4b)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(6)	(6)	(6)	(6)	(6)		(68)
7. Forked River (Sch.4c)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4	(4)	(4)	(10)	(10)	(10)	(10)	(10)		(84)
8. Transportation(Sch.4d)	(134)	(130)	(134)	(134)	(121)	(134)	(128)	(132)	(128)	(132)	(132)		(1,568)
9. FRM Program (Sch 4i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0
10. Storage Incentive (Sch.4k)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0
11. Off-System Sales (Sch.4e)	(57)	(1,121)	(1,495)	(1,637)	(1,426)	(1,155)	(22)	(57)	(27)	(21)	(57)	(27)	(7,232)
12. Capacity Rel. (Sch.4f )	(1,060)	(1,304)	(1,347)	(1,347)	(1,260) î	(1,347)	(1,304)	(1,347)	(1,304) 2	(1,347)	(1,347)		(15,620)
13. Supplier Ref. and Misc. Adj.(Sch.5)	0 10,	0	0 000 23					D ĝ	- - -	0			
14. Balancing and Penalty (Sch.4g)	(465)	(822)	(1,328)	(1,559)	(1,351)	(1,056)	(287)	(342)	(241)	(248)	(248)	(241)	(8,497)
15. Ucean Peaking Power (Sch.4h)	(1/)	(76)	(86)	(68)	(67)	(67)	(67)	(74)	(85)	(100)	(66)	(1)	(938)
to: Total peorls and Creats (L.5 through L.15)	(1,794)	(3,458)	(4,398)	(4,752)	(4,231)	(3,766)	(2,171)	(1,972)	(1,833)	(1,904)	(1,903)	(1,825)	(34,007)
17. Under/(Over) Recov.Gas Costs. End of Period (L's 14 &16)	(4 646)	(5.507)	(5.018)	(2.295)	3 050	8 831	P0C 7	6 582	6 267	6 005	5 789	5 630	5 630 7
			1							22212	2212	2225	22212

<sup>1</sup> Adjustments to opening balance are captured on Schedule 5.

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NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED GAS COSTS AND RECOVERIES BGSS YEAR 2012 \$(000) & (000)THERMS

		SCI	SCHEDULE 2a	-									
	ESTIMATE												
COST OF GAS-CURRENT PERIOD	Oct-11	Nov-11	Dec-11	Jan-12	Dec-11 Jan-12 Feb-12 Mar-12	Mar-12		Apr-12 May-12 Jun-12	Jun-12	Jul-12	Jul-12 Aug-12 Sep-12	Sep-12	TOTAL
Total Gas Costs <sup>1</sup>	24,090	51,249	81,227	98,361	92,612	79,295	31,330	20,497	16,759	17,328	17,242	16,976	546,964
REDUCTIONS TO COST OF GAS	ŀ												
Interruptible (Sch.4a)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sayreville (Sch. 4b)	24	24	26	27	24	27	91	95	92	96	97	94	717
Forked Rv. (Sch. 4c)	39	39	43	44	40	43	102	106	104	108	109	105	881
Off System Sales (Sch.4e)	7,798	18,372	22,220	25,084	26,418	25,392	8,046	8,354	8,151	8,501	8,545	8,285	175,168
Capacity Release (Sch. 4f)	(1,248)	(1,534)	(1,585)	(1,585)	(1,483)	(1,585)	(1,534)	(1,585)	(1,534)	(1,585)	(1,585)	(1,534)	(18,377)
Total Reductions	6,614	16,902	20,704	23,570	24,999	23,877	6,705	6,970	6,813	7,120	7,165	6,950	158,389
Net Cost Appl.To BGSS Sales (Sch.1.L.2)	17,476	34,348	60,522	74,791	67,612	55,417	24,625	13,527	9,946	10,208	10,076	10,026	388,575

## GAS COST RECOVERIES

		SCI	SCHEDULE 2b	٩									
BGSS Sales	23,688	47,440	82,830	100,076	86,278	68,235	35,876	18,108	12,512	12,695	12,422	12,367	512,526
A/C Sales								32	35	32	28	37	164
Monthly BGSS Sales	3,826	6,174	9,367	10,715	9,433	7,727	4,693	2,927	2,133	2,202	2,202	2,135	63,536
BGSS Sales less Monthly and A/C	19,862	41,266	73,463	89,361	76,844	60,508	31,183	15,149	10,343	10,461	10,191	10,196	448,826
Recovery Rate \$ per Therm:													
Periodic BGSS Rate	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	
A/C Rate	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.6650	0.5350	0.5350	0.5350	0.5350	0.5350	
Monthly BGSS Rate	0.6807	0.6979	0.7241	0.7364	0.7352	0.7289	0.7116	0.7140	0.7181	0.7228	0.7254	0.7264	
Decoveries:													
Periodic BGSS	13,208	27,442	48,853	59,425	51,101	40,238	20,736	10,074	6,878	6,957	6,777	6,780	298,469
A/C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	19	17	15	20	88
Monthly BGSS	2,604	4,309	6,783	7,891	6,935	5,632	3,340	2,090	1,532	1,591	1,598	1,551	45,856
Total BGSS Recovery (Sch. 1, L. 3)	15,812	31,751	55,636	67,316	58,037	45,870	24,076	12,181	8,429	8,565	8,390	8,350	344,413

<sup>1</sup> Total Gas Costs equals the sum of Total Allocated Costs on Schedule 2c and the non-production Company Use Gas. The non-production Company Use Gas is included in Total Gas Costs and removed in the Reduction to Gas Costs on Schedule 2a for no impact to the BGSS.

NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY TOTAL GAS COSTS BGSS YEAR 2012

		FSTIMATE	sc	SCHEDULE 2c									
		Oct-11	Nov-11	Dec-11	Jan-12	Feb-12	Mar-12	Apr-12	May-12	Jun-12	Jul-12	Aug-12	Sep-12
<u>Mdth</u> Beginning of Month Storage Balance Commodity Purchases		24,806 4.892	25,666 6 733	23,904 6.511	17,822 7.879	10,938 7.366	4,673 7 496	488 8.439	3,695 7 253	7,454 6.514	11,094 6 706	14,853 6.678	18,612 6.499
Sub-total of Available Supplies	۲	29,697	32,399	30,414	25,701	18,303	12,168	8,926	10,948	13,968	17,800	21,531	25,111
Less volumes with assigned cost allocations Off System Sales, Electric Gen, Interr.Sales, Other		1,641	3,710	4,241	4,674	4,932	4,800	1,612	1,666	1,612	1,666	1,666	1,612
A/C Sales Monthly BGSS Sales		383	0 617	0.27	0 1 N72	0 690	0 677	0 946	303	4 213	3	33	4 610
Sub-total of Assigned Cost Allocations	8	2,023	4,328	5,178	5,746	5,875	5,573	2,082	1,962	1,829	1,890	1,889	1,830
Allocation WACOG Volume C = A - B volume available for allocation	C = A - B	27,674	28,071	25,236	19,955	12,428	6,595	6,845	8,986	12,139	15,910	19,642	23,281
<u>\$000</u> Berinning of Month Storage Balance		106 JOE	121 672	122 072	00 360	E7 010	95 95	090 7	300 70	640.44	00 200	200	007 044
Beginning of Month WACOG Inventory		39,018	42,396	40,624	32,974	22.177	10,009	4,000 (1.012)	1,935	6.847	ou,339 12.486	cic,uo 18.020	23,572
Commodity Purchases Demand Charges		25,896 8 039	32,839 7 838	35,295 7 790	44,474 7 757	41,232 7 818	39,752 7 776	43,267	37,850 7 337	34,358 7 385	35,681	35,714	34,825
Sub-total of Available Supplies	۵	198,158	214,746	206,582	177,587	128,276	83,143	54,500	68,357	89,604	115,863	141,587	166,556
Less volumes with assigned cost allocations Off System Sales, Electric Gen, Interr.Sales, Other		7,862	18.436	22.290	25.155	26.482	25.462	8.239	8,555	8.347	8.706	8.750	8,484
A/C Sales		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	19	17	15	20
Monthly BGSS Sales Sub-total of Assigned cost allocations	ш	2,604 10,466	4,309 22.745	6,783 29,072	7,891 33,046	6,935 33,417	5,632 31,095	3,340 11,579	2,090 10.662	1,532 9.898	1,591 10.314	1,598 10.363	1,551 10.054
		107 000	100 001	177 100		01010		100.01	100 11		101	100 101	122 221
	s available for allocation	CE0' / 01	192,001	R0C'//1	144,041	800' <del>1</del> 8	25,048	42,321	C60'/C	19,700	105,549	131,224	106,901
\$/dth WACOG	G=F/C	6.7822	6.8398	7.0338	7.2434	7.6326	7.8918	6.2708	6.4206	6.5663	6.6341	6.6809	6.7222
Mdth Periodic BGSS Sales		1,986	4,127	7,346	8,936	7,684	6,051	3,118	1,515	1,034	1,046	1,019	1,020
couse & und Periodic BGSS Sales & CoUse & UFG	Ŧ	2,009	414,167	69 7,415	81 9,017	7,755	57 6,108	31 3,150	1/ 1,532	11 1,045	11 1,057	1,030	10 1,030
volume to be allocate \$000 Periodic BGSS (\$/dth WACOG * Periodic BGSS volume I = G * H	volume to be allocated SS volume I = G * H	13,624	28,505	52,155	65,315	59,194	48,200	19,751	9,835	6,862	7,014	6,879	6,922
Plus assigned cost allocations Off System Sales, Electric Gen, Interr.Sales, Other	allocated cost	7,862	18,436	22,290	25,155	26,482	25,462	8,239	8,555	8,347	8.706	8.750	8,484
A/C Sales Monthly BGSS Sales		0 0	0	0	0 0	0 5 025	0 E 231	0	17	19	17	15	20
Sub-total of Assigned cost allocations	7	10,466	22,745	29,072	33,046	33,417	31,095	11,579	10,662	9,898	10,314	10,363	10,054
Total Allocated Costs (Sch 2a Total Gas Costs)	K= +J	24,090	51,249	81,227	98,361	92,612	79,295	31,330	20,497	16,759	17,328	17,242	16,976
End of Month Storage Balance Total Allocated Costs & Storage Balances	г М = К+L	131,673 155,762	122,872 174,122	92,380 173,607	57,048 155,409	25,656 118,267	4,860 84,155	21,235 52,565	41,013 61,510	60,359 77,118	80,515 97,843	100,773 118,015	<b>120,424</b> 137,400
Current Month WACOG Inventory Activity	N = D - M	42,396	40,624	32,974	22,177	10,009	(1,012)	1,935	6,847	12,486	18,020	23,572	29,155

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NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY ESTIMATED THERM SALES BGSS YEAR 2012 (000)THERMS

ŝ	SCHEDULE	~									
Dec	Dec-11	Jan-12	Feb-12	Mar-12	Apr-12	May-12	Jun-12	Jul-12	Aug-12	Sep-12	TOTAL
68,882	382	83,799	72,051	56,864	29,653	14,432 5	9,928 4	10,033 4	9,764 3	9,781 3	422,786
68	68,882	83,799	72,051	56,864	29,653	14,438	9,932	10,037	9,767	9,785	422,805
6	367	10,715	9,433	7,727	4,693	2,927	2,133	2,202	2,202	2.135	63,536
ч	4,581	5,562	4,794	3,644	1,529	716	415	428	427	415	26,040
						26	31	29	25	33	145
÷	13,948	16,277	14,227	11,371	6,223	3,670	2,580	2,658	2,655	2,583	89,720
80	82,830	100,076	86,278	68,235	35,876	18,108	12,512	12,695	12,422	12,367	512,526
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	50	50	45	50	178	184	178	184	184	178	1,383
	80	80	72	80	196	203	196	203	203	196	1,666
	42,283	46,613	49,201	47,873	15,750	16,275	15,750	16,275	16,275	15,750	335,300
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
~	42,413	46,743	49,319	48,004	16,125	16,662	16,125	16,662	16,662	16,125	338,349
	125,243	146,819	135,596	116,239	52,001	34,770	28,636	29,357	29,084	28,492	850,875
	13,200	15,363	13,743	11,207	7,128	4,796	3,782	3,677	3,563	3,455	94,079
	4,696	5,647	4,832	3,684	1,994	951	597	610	605	593	28,256
	2,727	2,727	2,463	2,727	2,605	2,692	2,605	2,692	2,692	2,605	31,899
	454	104	81	173	177	689	2,105	3,592	3,469	842	12,568
2	21,076	23,841	21,119	17,791	11,904	9,129	9,089	10,571	10,329	7,495	166,802
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4	146,320	170,660	156,715	134,029	63,905	43,899	37,725	39,927	39,413	35,987	1,017,677

C&I Monthly BGSS Sales C&I Periodic BGSS Sales Air Conditioning Total Commercial & Industrial Sales

Total Firm Sales

Residential BGSS Sales Residential Air Conditioning Total Residential Sales Interruptible IGS (Sch. 4a) Sayreville (Sch. 4b) Forked River(Sch. 4c) Off System Sales(Sch. 4e) Natural Gas Vehicles Total Non-Firm Sales

Firm Transportation Residential Transportation Interruptible Transportation Ocean Peaking Power Total Transportation

Total Sales

Total Mtherms

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		sch	SCHEDULE 4a			2							
	ESTIMATE												
INTERRUPTIBLE SALES	Oct-11	Nov-11	Dec-11	Jan-12	Feb-12	Mar-12	Apr-12	May-12	Jun-12	Jul-12	Aug-12	Sep-12	TOTAL
Internintible & IGS Revenues	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c
Less Tefa-Sis tax		- c	• c	• c	• c	• c	• c		) C		• c		
Less BPU/RC Assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	. 0	0
Net Revenue	0	0	o	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Interr. Sales (Sch.3) Loss Factor (2%) Rate per therm	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020	0 1.020 n/a
Cost of Gas (Sch. 2a)	0	0	0	0	0	0	o	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Credit (Sch.1, L.5)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SAYREVILLE		sci	SCHEDULE 4b	_									
Revenue Less BPU/RC Assessment	27 (0)	27 (0)	29 (0)	30 30	27 (0)	29 (0)	100 (0)	104 (0)	101 (0)	106 (0)	106 (0)	103 (0)	787 (1)
Net Revenue	27	27	29	30	27	29	100	104	101	105	106	103	786
Therm Sales (Sch. 3) Rate per therm	50 0.47917	49 0.49683	50 0.52551	50 0.53814	45 0.53694	50 0.53041	178 0.51083	184 0.51331	178 0.51751	184 0.52235	184 0.52505	178 0.52602	1,383 n/a
Cost of Gas (Sch. 2a)	24	24	26	27	24	27	91	95	92	96	97	94	717
Total Credit (Sch.1, L.6)	2	2	2	2	2	2	6	6	6	6	6	σ	68

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ESTIMATE

196 1.02 0.52602 Sep-12 115 Aug-12 (0) (0) 203 1.02 0.52505 119 Jul-12 203 1.02 118 (0) 0.52235 118 Jun-12 41 0 196 1.02 0.51751 113 117 (0) 203 1.02 May-12 0.51331 116 Apr-12 196 1.02 112 (0) 0.51083 112 Mar-12 64 80 1.02 0.53041 47 72 1.02 0.53694 Feb-12 <del>د</del> 8 43 80 1.02 0.53814 Jan-12 8<sup>4</sup>0 48 80 1.02 0.52551 Dec-11 6 4 47 Nov-11 t 2 2 77 0.49683 43 80 1.02 0.47917 Oct-11 t 10 10 43 Revenue Less BPU/RC Assessment Therm Sales (Sch. 3) Loss Factor (2%) Rate per therm FORKED RIVER Net Revenue

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TOTAL

Cost of Gas (Sch.2a)	39	39	43	44	40	43	102	106	104	108	109	105	881
Total Credit (Sch.1, L.7)	4	4	4	4	4	4	9	10	10	10	10	10	84
Interruptible Transportation & IT switch to Firm		SCH	SCHEDULE 4d										
Revenue Less BPU/RC Assessment and RA Less NI Clean Energy LISE & EE	374 (83) (120)	362 (81) (125)	374 (83) (120)	374 (83) (120)	338 (75)	374 (83) (120)	357 (80) (123)	369 (82)	357 (80)	369 (82)	369 (82)	357 (80) (123)	4,371 (974) (1 600)
Less IT Cogen/Tefa & Sis tax	(28)	(27)	(28)	(28)	(25)	(28)	(26)	(21)	(26)	(21)	(27)	(26)	(320) (320)
Gross Margin	134	130	134	134	121	134	128	132	128	132	132	128	1,568
Total Credit (Sch.1, L.8)	134	130	134	134	121	134	128	132	128	132	132	128	1,568
FRM Program		sch	SCHEDULE 4										
FRM Program - Gain (Loss) NJNG Sharing @ 15% (Sch.1, L.9)	00	0 0	00	• •	0 0	0 0	0 0	00	00	00	00	00	0 0
Storage Incentive		SCH	SCHEDULE 4k										
Storage Gain (Loss) NJNG Sharing @ 20% (Sch.1, L.10)	00	00	00	00	0 0	0 0	0 0	00	00	00	00	00	0 0

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NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED INCOME SHARING DERIVED FROM OFF-SYSTEM SALES, CAPACITY RELEASE, BALANCING CHARGES, & OCEAN PEAKING POWER BGSS YEAR 2012 \$(000) & (000)THERMS

		SC	SCHEDULE 46	•									
OFF-SYSTEM SALES	ESTIMATE Oct-11	Nov-11	Dec-11	Jan-12	Feb-12	Mar-12	Apr-12	Mav-12	Jun-12	11-11	Aug-12	Sen-12	TOTAI
							-				1	1	
Kevenues	7,865	19,691	23,980	27,010	28,096	26,752	8,112	8,421	8,217	8,568	8,612	8,351	183,676
Net Revenue	7,865	19,691	23,980	27,010	28,096	26,752	8,112	8,421	8,217	8,568	8,612	8,351	183,676
Therm sales Rate per therm COG	16,275 0.479	36,979 0.497	42,283 0.526	46,613 0.538	49,201 0.537	47,873 0.530	15,750 0.511	16,275 0.513	15,750 0.518	16,275 0.522	16,275 0.525	15,750 0.526	335,300
Cost of Gas (Sch. 2a)	7,798	18,372	22,220	25,084	26,418	25,392	8,046	8,354	8,151	8,501	8,545	8,285	175,168
Net Margin Customer sharing @ 85%	67 57	1,319 1,121	1,759 1,495	1,926 1,637	1,678 1,426	1,359 1,155	67 57	67 57	67 57	67 57	67 57	67 57	8,508 7,232
(Scn.1,L 11) NJNG Sharing @ 15%	10	198	264	289	252	204	10	10	10	10	6	10	1,276
Total Credit = Cost of Gas plus sharings	7,855	19,493	23,716	26,721	27,845	26,548	8,102	8,411	8,207	8,558	8,602	8,341	182,400
CAPACITY RELEASE		sc	SCHEDULE 4	¥-									
Revenue Customer Sharing @ 85% (Sch.1.1.L 12)	1,248 1,060	1,534 1,304	1,585 1,347	1,585 1,347	1,483 1,260	1,585 1,347	1,534 1,304	1,585 1,347	1,534 1,304	1,585 1,347	1,585 1,347	1,534 1,304	18,377 15,620
BALANCING CREDITS & PENALTY CHARGES		sc	SCHEDULE 49	5									
Current Month MBR Penalty Charges Current Month Balancing Charges	0 465	0 822	0 1,328	0 1,559	0 1,351	0 1,056	0 597	0 342	0 241	0 248	0 248	0 241	0 8,497
Total Credit (Sch.1.,L 14)	465	822	1,328	1,559	1,351	1,056	597	342	241	248	248	241	8,497
OCEAN PEAKING POWER		sc	SCHEDULE 4h	£									
Therm Sales (Sch. 3)	340	541	454	104	81	173	177	689	2,105	3,592	3,469	842	12,568
Revenue Less Sales Tax	76 (5)	82 (5)	93 (6)	73 (5)	72 (5)	72 (5)	72 (5)	80 (5)	91 (6)	108 (7)	106 (7)	83 (5)	1,005 (66)
Less BPU/RC Assessment Less USF	<u>(</u> ) 0	<u></u> 000	<u></u> 000	<u>(</u> ) 0	<u>(</u> ) 0	<u>(</u> ) 0	<u>(</u> ) 0	() o	<u>(</u> ) 0	<u>(</u> ) 0	<u>(</u> ) 0	() o	0 (2)
Less RA, NJ Clean Energy, EE Less Balancing Charges Sharing Marrin	005	004	000	000	001	000	001	00	000	000	000	000	000
			8	8	10	10	10	4	ro o	8	n n	2	900
Customer Sharing @ 100% Balancing Charges	17	76 0	8 0 8	89 0	67 0	67 0	67 0	74 0	85 0	100 0	66 6	77 0	938 0
Total Credit (Sch.1, L.15)	71	76	86	68	67	67	67	74	85	100	66	22	938

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SCHEDULE 5

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(Sch 1. LINE 13)		
Opening balance BGSS Interest Sch 6 Adiintrrante in BCSC covaring holonoo and on Schodulo 1	0	o
oct 2011	o	o
NOV 2011	0	0
DEC 2011	0	0
JAN 2012	0	0
FEB 2012	٥	0
MAR 2012	o	0
APR 2012	o	0
MAY 2012	o	0
JUN 2012	o	0
JUL 2012	0	0
AUG 2012	o	0
SEP 2012	o	0
TOTALS		

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		ANNUAL	RATE	7.76%	(08)	(33)	(34)	(24)	2	38	52	45	42	40	38	37	173	0
AS COMPANY 12	VER) RECOVERED B	ANNUAL	RATE		0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647	0.00647		
NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY BGSS YEAR 2012	COMPUTATION OF INTEREST ON UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERED BALANCES COMMINED STOOD	AVERAGE	BALANCE		(4,580)	(5,076)	(5,262)	(3,656)	378	5,940	8,020	6,896	6,425	6,136	5,897	5,714		INTEREST TO BE CREDITED TO CUSTOMER
	COMBINED COMBINED	BALANCE		(4,515)	(4,646)	(5,507)	(5,018)	(2,295)	3,050	8,831	7,209	6,582	6,267	6,005	5,789	5,639		INTEREST TO
	υ	DATE		SEP 2011	OCT 2011	NOV 2011	DEC 2011	JAN 2012	FEB 2012	MAR 2012	APR 2012	MAY 2012	JUN 2012	JUL 2012	AUG 2012	SEP 2012		TOTAL

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# EXHIBIT C CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) SCHEDULES

# **INDEX OF SCHEDULES**:

- 1. Results and Calculation of Rate for Group I Residential Non-Heat
- 2. Results and Calculation of Rate for Group II Residential Heat
- 3. Results and Calculation of Rate for Group III General Service Small
- 4. Results and Calculation of Rate for Group IV General Service Large
- 5. Weather Related Margin Deficiency
- 6. BGSS Savings Test
- 7. ROE Test

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# New Jersey Natural Gas Company Conservation Incentive Program Group I: Residential Non-Heat FY2011

		Actual per	Books <sup>1</sup>				
	Actual/	Total Class	Number of	Actual Avg.	Baseline		Aggregate
Customer Class	Estimate	Therms	Customers	Use / Cust.	Use / Cust. <sup>2</sup>	Difference	Therm Impact
(a)		(b)	(c)	(d) = (b) / (c)	(e)	(f) = (d) - (e)	(g) = (f) * (c)
Residential Non-Heati	ng						
Ostahan	_	262 207	19 202	10.9	10.6	0.2	2 477
October	a	362,207	18,302	19.8	19.6 24.4	0.2	3,477
November	a	331,298	17,853	18.6	24.4 21.1	(5.8) 4.0	(104,261)
December	a	443,420	17,681	25.1	21.1 22.0		70,371
January	a	419,859	17,629	23.8	22.0 17.5	1.8	32,085
February	a	307,580	17,601	17.5	17.3	(0.0)	(528)
March	a	275,681	17,551	15.7	7.6	(1.6)	(27,907)
April	а	170,152	17,572	9.7		2.1	36,549
May	e	196,045	17,914	10.9	8.3	2.6	47,294
June	e	303,234	18,565	16.3	12.7	3.6	67,393
July	e	336,422	18,606	18.1	19.4	(1.3)	(24,561)
August	e	304,464	18,546	16.4	17.6	(1.2)	(21,885)
September	e	350,533	18,390	19.1	19.4	(0.3)	(6,253)
Total		3,800,895		210.9	206.9		71,774
Margin Revenue Facto	or / Therm Per	Tariff Sheet No. 17	9				<u>\$ 0.2981</u>
Margin Deficiency/ (C	Credit)						\$ (21,396)
Prior Period (Over) / U	Jnder Recover	ry <sup>3</sup>					\$ 96,936
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Total Deficiency/(Cre	dit)						\$ 75,541
Projected Residential	Non-Heating	Throughput for Reco	very Period				3,169,526
Pre-tax CIP Charge/(C	,						\$ 0.0238
BPU/RC Assessment	Factor						1.001827
CIP Charge/(Credit) in	cluding asses	sments					\$ 0.0238
7% Sales Tax							<u>\$ 0.0017</u>
Proposed After-tax (	CIP Charge/(	Credit) per Therm					\$ 0.0255
Current After-tax CIP	Charge/(Cred	it) per Therm					<u>\$ (0.0033)</u>
Increase/ (Decrease) in	n After-tax CI	P Charge/(Credit) pe	r Therm				\$ 0.0288
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<sup>1</sup> Per Exhibit C, Schedule 1, Page 2 <sup>2</sup> Per Tariff Sheet No. 180

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### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Customers and Therms

#### Group I: RS non-heat

	Actual Oct-10	Actual <u>Nov-10</u>	Actual Dec-10	Actual Jan-11	Actual Feb-11	Actual <u>Mar-11</u>	Actual <u>Apr-11</u>	Estimate <u>May-11</u>	Estimate Jun-11	Estimate Jul-11	Estimate <u>Aug-11</u>	Estimate <u>Sep-11</u>	
Customers													
RS non-heat sales	17,713	17,220	17,038	16,965	16,916	16,854	16,876	17,217	17,868	17,909	17,849	17,693	
RS non-heat transport	590	633	644	664	685	698	696	698	698	698	698	698	
Total Customers	18,302	17,853	17,681	17,629	17,601	17,551	17,572	17,914	18,565	18,606	18,546	18,390	
Volumes													
RS non-heat sales	350,948	314,744	418,766	399,214	291,661	258,535	159,820	186,210	293,524	326,098	294,096	340,629	3,634,245
RS non-heat transport	11,259	16,554	24,654	20,645	15,919	17,146	10,332	9,835	9,710	10,324	10,367	9,904	166,649
Total Volumes	362,207	331,298	443,420	419,859	307,580	275,681	170,152	196,045	303,234	336,422	304,464	350,533	3,800,895

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#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERED CIP BALANCE GROUP I - RS NON-HEAT FY2011

	Actual Oct-10	Actual <u>Nov-10</u>	Actual Dec-10	Actual Jan-11	Actual Feb-11	Actual <u>Mar-11</u>	Actual <u>Apr-11</u>	Estimate <u>May-11</u>	Estimate Jun-11	Estimate Jul-11	Estimate <u>Aug-11</u>	Estimate <u>Sep-11</u>	TOTAL
Beginning Under/(Over) Recovery \$	85,154	86,276	87,304	88,678	89,980	90,933	91,788	92,315	92,923	93,863	94,906	95,850	85,154
Therm Sales Pre-tax Recovery Rate per Therm	362,207 (0.0031)	331,298 (0.0031)	443,420 (0.0031)	419,859 (0.0031)	307,580 (0.0031)	275,681 (0.0031)	170,152 (0.0031)	196,045 (0.0031)	303,234 (0.0031)	336,422 (0.0031)	304,464 (0.0031)	350,533 (0.0031)	3,800,895
Recovery \$	(1,123)	(1,027)	(1,375)	(1,302)	(953)	(855)	(527)	(608)	(940)	(1,043)	(944)	(1,087)	(11,783)
Ending Under/(Over) Recovery \$	86,276	87,304	88,678	89,980	90,933	91,788	92,315	92,923	93,863	94,906	95,850	96,936	96,936

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# New Jersey Natural Gas Company Conservation Incentive Program Group II: Residential Heat FY2011

		Actual per	Books <sup>1</sup>				
	Actual/	Total Class	Number of	Actual Avg.	Baseline		Aggregate
Customer Class	Estimate	Therms	Customers	Use / Cust.	Use / Cust. <sup>2</sup>	Difference	Therm Impact
(a)		(b)	(c)	(d) = (b) / (c)	(e)	(f) = (d) - (e)	(g) = (f) * (c)
Residential Heating							
October	а	17,959,225	438,058	41.0	51.0	(10.0)	(4,380,578)
November	а	40,194,543	439,052	91.6	97.4	(5.9)	(2,568,456)
December	а	84,662,684	440,065	192.4	168.3	24.1	10,601,173
January	а	94,572,780	440,652	214.6	190.4	24.2	10,672,595
February	а	69,686,780	440,974	158.0	166.3	(8.3)	(3,646,857)
March	а	56,763,165	441,245	128.6	136.9	(8.3)	(3,644,687)
April	а	29,928,332	441,514	67.8	77.6	(9.8)	(4,331,248)
May	e	15,036,996	441,582	34.1	41.2	(7.2)	(3,157,314)
June	e	10,132,035	441,779	22.9	25.4	(2.5)	(1,091,195)
July	e	10,214,584	442,031	23.1	24.1	(1.0)	(437,611)
August	e	9,973,833	442,395	22.6	23.6	(1.1)	(464,515)
September	e	9,935,771	442,830	22.4	26.1	(3.7)	(1,620,759)
Total		449,060,729		1,019.1	1,028.3		(4,069,451)
Margin Revenue Facto	or / Therm Per	Tariff Sheet No. 179	)				<u>\$ 0.2981</u>
Margin Deficiency/ (C	(redit)						\$ 1,213,103
Prior Period (Over) / U		ry <sup>3</sup>					\$ 1,579,034
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Total Deficiency/(Cree	dit)						\$ 2,792,137
Projected Residential	Heating Throu	ighput for Recovery	Period				447,891,632
Pre-tax CIP Charge/(C	Credit)						\$ 0.0062
BPU/RC Assessment I	Factor						1.001827
CIP Charge/(Credit) ir	cluding asses	sments					\$ 0.0062
7% Sales Tax	e						<u>\$ 0.0004</u>
Proposed After-tax C	CIP Charge/(	Credit) per Therm					\$ 0.0066
Current After-tax CIP	Charge/(Cred	it) per Therm					\$ 0.0179
Increase/ (Decrease) in	n After-tax CI	P Charge/(Credit) pe	r Therm				<u>\$ (0.0113)</u>

<sup>1</sup> Per Exhibit C, Schedule 2, Page 2

<sup>2</sup> Per Tariff Sheet No. 180

<sup>3</sup> Per Exhibit C, Schedule 2, Page 3

### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Customers and Therms

#### Group II: RS heat

Customers	Actual Oct-10	Actual <u>Nov-10</u>	Actual Dec-10	Actual Jan-11	Actual <u>Feb-11</u>	Actual <u>Mar-11</u>	Actual <u>Apr-11</u>	Estimate <u>May-11</u>	Estimate Jun-11	Estimate Jul-11	Estimate <u>Aug-11</u>	Estimate <u>Sep-11</u>	
RS heat sales	419,722	418,852	417,930	416,834	414,952	413,583	413,100	413,920	414,117	414,369	414,733	415,168	
RS heat transport	18,336	20,200	22,136	23,818	26,023	27,663	28,413	27,663	27,663	27,663	27,663	27,663	
Total Customers	438,058	439,052	440,065	440,652	440,974	441,245	441,514	441,582	441,779	442,031	442,395	442,830	
<u>Volumes</u> RS heat sales	17,151,923	38,204,237	80,240,363	89,366,607	65,560,431	53,041,879	27,900,268	14,095,453	9,545,128	9,614,746	9,379,411	9,352,898	423,453,344
RS heat transport	807,302	1,990,306	4,422,321	5,206,173	4,126,349	3,721,286	2,028,064	941,543	586,906	599,839	594,422	582,873	25,607,385
Total Volumes	17,959,225	40,194,543	84,662,684	94,572,780	69,686,780	56,763,165	29,928,332	15,036,996	10,132,035	10,214,584	9,973,833	9,935,771	449,060,729

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#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERED CIP BALANCE GROUP II - RS HEAT FY2011

	Actual Oct-10	Actual Nov-10	Actual Dec-10	Actual Jan-11	Actual Feb-11	Actual Mar-11	Actual <u>Apr-11</u>	Estimate <u>May-11</u>	Estimate Jun-11	Estimate Jul-11	Estimate Aug-11	Estimate Sep-11	TOTAL
Beginning Under/(Over) Recovery \$	9,078,348	8,778,429	8,107,180	6,693,313	5,113,948	3,950,179	3,002,234	2,502,431	2,251,313	2,082,108	1,911,524	1,744,961	9,078,348
Therm Sales Pre-tax Recovery Rate per Therm	17,959,225 0.0167	40,194,543 0.0167	84,662,684 0.0167	94,572,780 0.0167	69,686,780 0.0167	56,763,165 0.0167	29,928,332 0.0167	15,036,996 0.0167	10,132,035 0.0167	10,214,584 0.0167	9,973,833 0.0167	9,935,771 0.0167	449,060,729
Recovery \$	299,919	671,249	1,413,867	1,579,365	1,163,769	947,945	499,803	251,118	169,205	170,584	166,563	165,927	7,499,314
Ending Under/(Over) Recovery \$	8,778,429	8,107,180	6,693,313	5,113,948	3,950,179	3,002,234	2,502,431	2,251,313	2,082,108	1,911,524	1,744,961	1,579,034	1,579,034

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# New Jersey Natural Gas Company Conservation Incentive Program Group III: General Service Small FY2011

	_	Actual per l	Books <sup>1</sup>					
	Actual/	Total Class	Number of	Actual Avg.	Baseline		Ag	gregate
Customer Class	Estimate	Therms	Customers	Use / Cust.	Use / Cust. <sup>2</sup>	<b>Difference</b>	Ther	m Impact
(a)		(b)	(c)	(d) = (b) / (c)	(e)	(f) = (d) - (e)	(g) =	(f) * (c)
General Service	<u>Small</u>							
October	а	906,292	25,562	35.5	79.6	(44.2)		(1,128,580)
November	a	2,193,144	26,181	83.8	99.9	(16.1)		(422,292)
December	a	5,771,491	26,641	216.6	214.1	2.5		67,668
January	a	7,147,331	26,869	266.0	254.6	11.4		306,311
February	a	5,264,097	26,965	195.2	235.2	(40.0)		(1,078,064)
March	a	4,066,239	26,904	151.1	187.6	(36.5)		(980,920)
April	a	1,927,047	26,718	72.1	96.8	(24.7)		(659,130)
May	e	927,451	26,344	35.2	47.2	(12.0)		(316,132)
June	e	555,331	26,044	21.3	24.9	(3.6)		(93,239)
July	e	573,231	25,893	22.1	27.4	(5.3)		(136,199)
August	e	572,874	25,776	22.2	38.0	(15.8)		(406,751)
September	e	555,152	25,808	21.5	14.7	6.8		175,755
Total		30,459,680		1,142.7	1,320.0			(4,671,573)
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Margin Revenue	Factor / The	rm Per Tariff Shee	t No. 179				\$	0.2555
Margin Deficiend							\$	1,193,587
Prior Period (Ove	er) / Under R	ecovery <sup>3</sup>					\$	237,498
Total Deficiency	/(Credit)						\$	1,431,085
Projected Comm	ercial Throug	ghput for Recovery	Period					33,047,277
Pre-tax CIP Char BPU/RC Assessr	U (						\$	0.0433 1.001827
BFU/KC Assessi	nent ractor							1.001827
CIP Charge/(Cre	dit) including	g assessments					\$	0.0434
7% Sales Tax							\$	0.0030
Proposed After-	tax CIP Cha	arge/(Credit) per	Therm				\$	0.0464
Current After-tax	CIP Charge	/(Credit) per Theri	n				\$	0.0339
Increase/ (Decrea	ase) in After-	tax CIP Charge/(C	redit) per Theri	m			\$	0.0125

<sup>1</sup> Per Exhibit C, Schedule 3, Page 2 <sup>2</sup> Per Tariff Sheet No. 180 <sup>3</sup> Per Exhibit C, Schedule 3, Page 3

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#### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Customers and Therms

#### Group III: GSS

	Actual Oct-10	Actual Nov-10	Actual Dec-10	Actual Jan-11	Actual Feb-11	Actual Mar-11	Actual <u>Apr-11</u>	Estimate May-11	Estimate Jun-11	Estimate Jul-11	Estimate Aug-11	Estimate Sep-11	
<u>Customers</u>													
GSS Sales	21,506	21,953	22,325	22,260	22,245	22,150	22,010	21,624	21,324	21,173	21,056	21,088	
GSS A/C	42	37	36	35	34	34	36						
GSS Transport	4,015	4,190	4,280	4,574	4,687	4,720	4,672	4,720	4,720	4,720	4,720	4,720	
Total Customers	25,562	26,181	26,641	26,869	26,965	26,904	26,718	26,344	26,044	25,893	25,776	25,808	
Volumes													
GSS Sales	652,984	1,685,581	4,586,221	5,684,012	4,150,967	3,182,055	1,477,243	701,798	406,849	419,800	419,443	406,669	23,773,622
GSS A/C	13,503	2,040	6,773	8,267	4,753	4,471	(1,868)						37,939
GSS Transport	239,805	505,523	1,178,497	1,455,052	1,108,377	879,713	451,672	225,652	148,482	153,432	153,432	148,482	6,648,119
Total Volumes	906,292	2,193,144	5,771,491	7,147,331	5,264,097	4,066,239	1,927,047	927,451	555,331	573,231	572,874	555,152	30,459,680

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#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERED CIP BALANCE GROUP III - GENERAL SERVICE SMALL FY2011

	Actual Oct-10	Actual Nov-10	Actual Dec-10	Actual Jan-11	Actual Feb-11	Actual Mar-11	Actual <u>Apr-11</u>	Estimate <u>May-11</u>	Estimate Jun-11	Estimate Jul-11	Estimate Aug-11	Estimate Sep-11	TOTAL
Beginning Under/(Over) Recovery \$	1,203,070	1,174,341	1,104,818	921,862	695,291	528,420	399,520	338,432	309,032	291,428	273,257	255,097	1,203,070
Therm Sales Pre-tax Recovery Rate per Therm	906,292 0.0317	2,193,144 0.0317	5,771,491 0.0317	7,147,331 0.0317	5,264,097 0.0317	4,066,239 0.0317	1,927,047 0.0317	927,451 0.0317	555,331 0.0317	573,231 0.0317	572,874 0.0317	555,152 0.0317	30,459,680
Recovery \$	28,729	69,523	182,956	226,570	166,872	128,900	61,087	29,400	17,604	18,171	18,160	17,598	965,572
Ending Under/(Over) Recovery \$	1,174,341	1,104,818	921,862	695,291	528,420	399,520	338,432	309,032	291,428	273,257	255,097	237,498	237,498

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### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Conservation Incentive Program Group IV: General Service Large FY2011

	_	Actual per	Books <sup>1</sup>	Large	Adjusted					
	Actual/	Total Class	Number of	Customer	Number of	Actual Avg.	Baseline		I	Aggregate
Customer Class	Estimate	Therms	Customers	Adjustment	Customers	Use / Cust.2	Use / Cust.	Difference	Th	erm Impact
(a)		(b)	(c1)	(c2)	(c) = (c1) + (c2)	(d) = (b) / (c)	(e)	(f) = (d) - (e)	(g)	=(f) * (c)
General Service	Large									
October	а	7,674,356	8,749	76	8,825	869.7	1,059.1	(189.5)		(1,671,826)
November	а	13,790,002	8,818	76	8,894	1,550.4	2,026.2	(475.8)		(4,231,651)
December	а	25,535,227	8,867	69	8,936	2,857.6	2,591.6	266.0		2,377,191
January	а	23,977,038	8,894	70	8,964	2,675.0	3,012.6	(337.6)		(3,026,440)
February	а	18,178,030	8,903	70	8,973	2,025.9	2,687.9	(662.0)		(5,940,349)
March	а	16,750,637	8,899	70	8,969	1,867.6	2,090.8	(223.2)		(2,001,699)
April	а	8,761,469	8,883	70	8,953	978.7	1,251.1	(272.5)		(2,439,128)
May	e	6,051,927	8,808	70	8,878	681.7	803.7	(122.0)		(1,083,292)
June	e	4,415,184	8,782	70	8,852	498.8	564.1	(65.3)		(578,212)
July	e	4,559,484	8,773	70	8,843	515.6	541.0	(25.4)		(224,612)
August	e	4,559,797	8,774	79	8,853	515.1	485.2	29.9		264,350
September	e	4,416,101	8,785	89	8,874	497.7	631.3	(133.7)		(1,186,009)
Total		138,669,253				15,533.6	17,744.6			(19,741,676)
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Margin Revenue	Factor / The	erm Per Tariff She	et No. 179						\$	0.2009
Margin Deficien		2							\$	3,966,103
Prior Period (Ov	er) / Under F	Recovery							\$	986,642
Total Deficiency	/(Credit)								\$	4,952,745
Projected Comm	ercial Throu	ghput for Recove	ry Period							135,960,429
Pre-tax CIP Cha	rge/(Credit)								\$	0.0364
BPU/RC Assess	ment Factor									1.001827
CIP Charge/(Cre	dit) includin	g assessments							\$	0.0365
7% Sales Tax									\$	0.0026
Proposed After	-tax CIP Ch	arge/(Credit) pe	r Therm						\$	0.0391
Current After-tax	x CIP Charge	e/(Credit) per The	rm						\$	0.0278
Increase/ (Decre	ase) in After	-tax CIP Charge/(	Credit) per Therm	l					\$	0.0113

<sup>1</sup> Per Exhibit C, Schedule 4, Page 2 <sup>2</sup> Per Tariff Sheet No. 180 <sup>3</sup> Per Exhibit C, Schedule 4, Page 3

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#### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Customers and Therms

#### Group IV: GSL

	Actual Oct-10	Actual Nov-10	Actual Dec-10	Actual Jan-11	Actual Feb-11	Actual Mar-11	Actual Apr-11	Estimate <u>May-11</u>	Estimate Jun-11	Estimate Jul-11	Estimate Aug-11	Estimate Sep-11	
Customers													
GSL Sales	5,031	5,073	5,146	5,082	5,026	5,035	5,048	4,970	4,944	4,935	4,936	4,947	
GSL A/C	26	26	27	27	26	26	26						
GSL Transport	3,692	3,719	3,693	3,785	3,851	3,838	3,808	3,838	3,838	3,838	3,838	3,838	
Total Customers	8,749	8,818	8,867	8,894	8,903	8,899	8,883	8,808	8,782	8,773	8,774	8,785	
Volumes													
GSL Sales	2,997,533	5,671,813	10,888,780	11,229,417	8,355,154	7,150,758	3,751,848	2,884,548	2,105,819	2,173,139	2,173,453	2,106,735	61,488,997
GSL A/C	28,337	58,770	93,957	59,819	37,635	34,319	17,282						330,119
GSL Transport	4,648,486	8,059,419	14,552,490	12,687,802	9,785,241	9,565,560	4,992,339	3,167,379	2,309,366	2,386,345	2,386,345	2,309,366	76,850,137
Total Volumes	7,674,356	13,790,002	25,535,227	23,977,038	18,178,030	16,750,637	8,761,469	6,051,927	4,415,184	4,559,484	4,559,797	4,416,101	138,669,253

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#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERED CIP BALANCE GROUP IV - GENERAL SERVICE LARGE FY2011

	Actual Oct-10	Actual Nov-10	Actual Dec-10	Actual Jan-11	Actual Feb-11	Actual Mar-11	Actual Apr-11	Estimate <u>May-11</u>	Estimate Jun-11	Estimate Jul-11	Estimate Aug-11	Estimate Sep-11	TOTAL
Beginning Under/(Over) Recovery \$	4,593,837	4,394,304	4,035,764	3,371,848	2,748,445	2,275,816	1,840,300	1,610,707	1,453,357	1,338,562	1,220,015	1,101,460	4,593,837
Therm Sales Pre-tax Recovery Rate per Therm	7,674,356	13,790,002 0.0260	25,535,227 0.0260	23,977,038 0.0260	18,178,030 0.0260	16,750,637 0.0260	8,830,494 0.0260	6,051,927 0.0260	4,415,184 0.0260	4,559,484 0.0260	4,559,797 0.0260	4,416,101 0.0260	138,738,278
Recovery \$	199,533	358,540	663,916	623,403	472,629	435,517	229,593	157,350	114,795	118,547	118,555	114,819	3,607,195
Ending Under/(Over) Recovery \$	4,394,304	4,035,764	3,371,848	2,748,445	2,275,816	1,840,300	1,610,707	1,453,357	1,338,562	1,220,015	1,101,460	986,642	986,642

#### Exhibit C Schedule 5

### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Conservation Incentive Program Weather Normalization Calculation for the 2010-11 Winter Period

		DEGREE DAYS	DEGREE DAYS ACTUAL	VARIANCE	Group II RS/RT Heat CONSUMPTION FACTOR <sup>1</sup>	TOTAL THERMS	Group III GSS CONSUMPTION FACTOR <sup>1</sup>	TOTAL THERMS	Group IV GSL CONSUMPTION FACTOR <sup>1</sup>	TOTAL THERMS	TOTAL WNC Margin
Oct-10	а	291	226	(65)	47,501	(3,087,565)	4,405	(286,325)	13,070	(849,550)	
Nov-10	а	534	522	(12)	62,849	(754,188)	4,224	(50,688)	16,930	(203,160)	
Dec-10	а	857	1,015	158	72,822	11,505,876	6,086	961,588	18,299	2,891,242	
Jan-11	а	963	1,082	119	77,499	9,222,381	6,879	818,601	19,152	2,279,088	
Feb-11	а	854	763	(91)	71,612	(6,516,692)	6,918	(629,538)	17,801	(1,619,891)	
Mar-11	а	702	665	(37)	69,254	(2,562,398)	6,235	(230,695)	17,305	(640,285)	
Apr-11	а	393	307	(86)	66,260	(5,698,360)	4,667	(401,362)	14,840	(1,276,240)	
May-11	е	150	153	3	53,528	160,584	4,010	12,030	13,831	41,493	
		4,744	4,733	(11)		2,269,638		193,611		622,697	
				N	MARGIN FACTOR <sup>2</sup>	\$0.2981		\$0.2555		\$0.2009	
			Margin Ir	mpact due to W	Veather Variances	\$676,579		\$49,468		\$125,100	\$851,147

<sup>1</sup> Degree Days and Consumption factors are per Tariff Sheet No. 169 approved in BPU Docket No. GR07110889.

<sup>2</sup> Per Tariff Sheet No. 179

NOTE: The Weather Normalization Clause is currently suspended. This schedule is only provided for the purpose of calculating the weather related component of the usage variance of the CIP clause.

Exhibit C Schedule 6 Page 1 of 4

### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Conservation Incentive Program Filing Year ended September 30, 2011

### GR1106\_\_\_\_\_

### Calculation of BGSS Savings for October 2011 through September 2012 Recovery Period

Recurring initial savings identified <sup>1</sup>	\$5,531,561
Additional Savings <sup>2</sup>	\$217,305
Additional Savings <sup>3</sup>	<u>\$7,336,500</u>
Total BGSS Savings Available for CIP comparison	<u>\$13,085,366</u>

NOTE: Pursuant of the CIP Stipulation, if BGSS savings are greater than the CIP value subject to the BGSS test, there is no BGSS Carryover.

- <sup>1</sup> Refer to Exhibit E of the January 14, 2010 stipulation in BPU Docket No. GR05121020 approved by the BPU on January 20, 2010.
- <sup>2</sup> As agreed to by the Parties in the Final Stipulation in BPU Docket No. GR10060382 and approved by the BPU on April 27, 2011, NJNG has generated additional BGSS savings of \$217,305 for CIP purposes beginning in fiscal year 2012 by not renewing a contract for 10,000 dekatherms per day of winter-season-only firm transportation capacity on Dominion Transmission, Inc., that expired on March 31, 2011.
- <sup>3</sup> Per NJNG's March 22, 2011 notification letter of its reduction to fixed capacity costs by not renewing 30,000 dth per day of TETCO capacity at the maximum daily demand rate of \$0.73 per dth.

		Page 2 of 4	
Conservation Inco Year ended Se GR11	tural Gas Company entive Program Filing eptember 30, 2011 I06 mmary		
Group I Group II Group III Group IV	Per Exhibit C, Schedule 1 Per Exhibit C, Schedule 2 Per Exhibit C, Schedule 3 Per Exhibit C, Schedule 4	(\$21,396) \$1,213,103 \$1,193,587 <u>\$3,966,103</u>	b c
CIP Calculation for current period		\$6,351,397	e=a+b+c+d
Weather Related Value of CIP	Per Exhibit C, Schedule 5	<u>(\$851,147)</u>	f
CIP Value subject to BGSS test-current year		\$7,202,544	g=e-f
Prior Year Carry-over CIP Value	Per Exhibit C, Schedule 6, Page 4 of 4	<u>\$1,369,125</u>	h
Total CIP Value subject to BGSS savings comparison		\$8,571,668	i=g-h
BGSS Savings	Per Exhibit C, Schedule 6, Page 1 of 4	\$13,085,366	j
Non-weather CIP Value to be recovered in current year		\$8,571,668	k= full value of i if j>i
Total CIP value subject to recovery for current year		\$7,720,522	k=j, if j <i l=f+k</i 
CIP Carry-over value to next year		\$0	m=i-j, if i>j m=0, if i <j< td=""></j<>

Exhibit C Schedule 6

NOTE: Pursuant to the CIP Stipulation, if BGSS savings (j) are greater than the CIP value subject to the BGSS test (i), there is no BGSS Carryover.

Exhibit C Schedule 6 Page 3 of 4

# New Jersey Natural Gas Company Conservation Incentive Program Filing Year ended September 30, 2010 GR1106\_\_\_\_

Calculation of BGSS Savings for October 2010 through September 2011 Recovery Period

Recurring initial savings identified<sup>1</sup>

\$5,516,447

 Total BGSS Savings Available for CIP comparison
 \$5,516,447

NOTE: Pursuant of the CIP Stipulation, if BGSS savings are greater than the CIP value subject to the BGSS test, there is no BGSS Carryover.

<sup>1</sup> Refer to Exhibit E of the January 14, 2010 stipulation in BPU Docket No. GR05121020 approved by the BPU on January 20, 2010.

Conservation Inco Year ended Se Final	ural Gas Company entive Program Filing eptember 30, 2010 Results nmary	Exhibit C Schedule 6 Page 4 of 4	
Group I	Per Exhibit C, Schedule 1	\$79,253	
Group II	Per Exhibit C, Schedule 2	\$9,846,927	
Group III Group IV	Per Exhibit C, Schedule 3 Per Exhibit C, Schedule 4	\$1,186,532 \$4,804,901	
CIP Calculation for current period			e=a+b+c+d
Weather Related Value of CIP	Per Exhibit C, Schedule 5	<u>\$9,032,041</u>	f
CIP Value subject to BGSS test-current year		\$6,885,572	g=e-f
<b>Prior Year Carry-over CIP Value</b> Note: This will only exist if the conservation experienced was greater than the BGSS value available for compariso		<u>\$0</u>	h
Total CIP Value subject to BGSS savings comparison		\$6,885,572	i=g-h
BGSS Savings	Per Exhibit C, Schedule 6, Page 1 of 4	\$5,516,447	j
Non-weather CIP Value to be recovered in current year		\$5,516,447	k= full value of i if j>i k=j, if j <i< td=""></i<>
Total CIP value subject to recovery for current year		\$14,548,488	
CIP Carry-over value to next year		\$1,369,125	m=i-j, if i>j m=0, if i <j< td=""></j<>

NOTE: Pursuant to the CIP Stipulation, if BGSS savings (j) are greater than the CIP value subject to the BGSS test (i), there is no BGSS Carryover.

### Exhibit C Schedule 7

# NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM EARNINGS TEST OCTOBER 1, 2010 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2011 SIX MONTH ACTUAL, SIX MONTH ESTIMATE

BPU DOCKET No. GR1106\_\_\_\_\_

	(000's)
Net Income	\$71,185
Less:	
Net earnings from margin sharing, net of tax	4,820
Other income, net of tax	1,942
Net Income - Earnings Test	\$64,423
Average Thirteen Month Common Equity Actual Rate of Return on Common Equity	645,865 <b>9.97%</b>

**EXHIBIT D** 

# CALCULATION OF REVISED BALANCING RATE

FOR F/Y 2012

### Exhibit D

### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Calculation of Balancing Charge

	\$000
Balancing Charge related to Inventory <sup>1</sup> 12 month Average inventory balance (TETCO storages and LNG) Rate of Return	\$42,359 <u>11.44%</u>
Storage Carrying Costs % of Peak Related to Balancing	\$4,846 <u>55%</u>
Balancing Annual Firm Therms (excluding FT) (000)	\$2,661 <u>624,513</u>
Pre-tax Balancing Rate	\$0.0043
Balancing Charge related to Demand Charges <sup>2</sup> Pipeline Demand Charges Adjustments (BGSS Incentive Credits)	\$109,512 <u>(\$22,853)</u>
Total % of Peak Related to Balancing	\$86,659 <u>53.4%</u>
Balancing Annual Firm Therms (000)	\$46,278 <u>620,217</u>
Pre-tax Balancing Rate	\$0.0746
Total Balancing Charge Pre-tax Balancing Charge related to Inventory Pre-tax Balancing Charge related to Demand Charges	\$0.0043 <u>\$0.0746</u>
Total Pre-tax Balancing Rate	\$0.0789
Total After-tax Balancing Rate	\$0.0844
Current After-tax Balancing Rate	<u>\$0.0886</u>
Increase/(Decrease) to After-tax Balancing Rate	(\$0.0042)
Calculation of % of Peak Related to Balancing	000 //
Peak Day Therms Average Therms on a January Day Balancing Therms % of Peak	000 therms 8,382 3,906 4,476 53.4%

<sup>1</sup> In accordance with the Board's October 3, 2008 Order in BPU Docket no. GR07110889, the Balancing Charge related to Inventory is not updated on an annual basis.

<sup>2</sup> The Balancing Charge related to Demand Charges has been updated to reflect costs included this filing.

**EXHIBIT E** 

# IMPACT OF RATE CHANGES ON TYPICAL CUSTOMERS AND COMPUTATION OF BGSS PRICE

FOR F/Y 2012

#### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Net impact of Proposed Rate Changes BPU Docket No. GR1106\_\_\_\_\_ F/Y 2012

#### (\$/therm)

Component of		Curre	nt	Prop	osed	Cha	nge
		Pre-tax	Post-tax	Pre-tax	Post-tax	Pre-tax	Post-tax
BGSS	BGSS	\$0.7800	\$0.8346	\$0.6650	\$0.7116	(\$0.1150)	(\$0.1230)
CIP	Delivery Price	<u>(0.0031)</u>	<u>(0.0033)</u>	<u>0.0238</u>	0.0255	0.0269	<u>0.0288</u>
NET IMPACT		\$0.7769	\$0.8313	\$0.6888	\$0.7371	(\$0.0881)	(\$0.0942
Price Impact fo	r Group II - Residential	Heating Customers					
	Component of	Curre	nt	Prop	oosed	Cha	nge
		Pre-tax	Post-tax	Pre-tax	Post-tax	Pre-tax	Post-tax
BGSS	BGSS	\$0.7800	\$0.8346	\$0.6650	\$0.7116	(\$0.1150)	(\$0.1230
CIP	Delivery Price	<u>0.0167</u>	<u>0.0179</u>	0.0062	0.0066	<u>(0.0105)</u>	<u>(0.0113</u>
NET IMPACT		\$0.7967 \$0.8525		\$0.6712 \$0.7182			
		\$0.7967	\$0.8525	\$0.6712	\$0.7182	(\$0.1255)	(\$0.1343
	<u>r Group III - General Se</u> Component of		rs		\$0.7182	(\$0.1255) Cha	х. <u> </u>
		ervice Small Custome	rs		<u> </u>		(\$0.1343) nge Post-tax
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### Projected Annual Post-tax BGSS, CIP, and WNC revenue

NET IMPACT

BGSS projected annual therms	448,826 (000s)
CIP Group I projected annual therms	3,170 (000s)
CIP Group II projected annual therms	447,892 (000s)
CIP Group III projected annual therms	33,047 (000s)
CIP Group IV projected annual therms	135,960 (000s)

\$0.0260

		Projected	
	Projected	Revenue at	
	Revenue at	Proposed	
	Current Rates	Rates	Change
	\$million	\$million	\$million
BGSS	\$374.6	\$319.4	(\$55.21)
CIP Group I	(\$0.0)	\$0.08	\$0.09
CIP Group II	\$8.0	\$3.0	(\$5.06)
CIP Group III	\$1.1	\$1.5	\$0.41
CIP Group IV	<u>\$3.8</u>	<u>\$5.3</u>	<u>\$1.54</u>
IMPACT	\$387.5	\$329.3	(\$58.23)

#### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Net impact of Proposed Rate Changes BPU Docket No. GR1106\_\_\_\_\_ F/Y 2012

		F/Y 201	-				
		[	Current	(\$/therm)		Proposed	
		Residential Non-	Residential		Residential Non-	Residential	
		Heat	Heat	GSS	Heat	Heat	GSS
Pre-tax Periodic E	BGSS	\$0.7800	\$0.7800	\$0.7800	\$0.6650	\$0.6650	\$0.665
After-tax Periodic Less: Balancing	BGSS	\$0.8346 (\$0.0886)	\$0.8346 <u>(\$0.0886)</u>	\$0.8346 <u>(\$0.0886)</u>	\$0.7116 <u>(\$0.0844)</u>	\$0.7116 <u>(\$0.0844)</u>	\$0.711 <u>(\$0.084</u>
-							
BGSS Price To Co	ompare	<u>\$0.7460</u>	<u>\$0.7460</u>	<u>\$0.7460</u>	<u>\$0.6272</u>	<u>\$0.6272</u>	<u>\$0.627</u>
Impact on Reside	ential Non-Heating Custo	omers					
Current Prices				25 therm bill			
Current Prices	Customer Charge		\$8.25	\$8.25			
	Delivery		\$0.5069	\$12.67			
	BGSS	Total	\$0.7460 \$1.2529	<u>\$18.65</u> \$39.57			
		1 otdi	ψ1.2020		•		
Proposed prices-	effective 10/1/11 Customer Charge		\$8.25	\$8.25			
	Delivery		\$0.5315	\$13.29			
	BGSS		\$0.6272	\$15.68			
		Total	\$1.1587	\$37.22			
	Decrease Decrease as a percen	ıt		(\$2.36) (6.0%)			
				(0.070)			
Impact on Reside	ential Heating Customer	<u>'S</u>			1000 therm annual		
Current Prices				100 therm bill	bill		
Current Prices	Customer Charge		\$8.25	\$8.25	\$99.00		
	Delivery		\$0.5281	\$52.81	\$528.10		
	BGSS	Total	\$0.7460	\$74.60			
		Iotai	\$1.2741	\$135.66	\$1,373.10		
Proposed prices-	effective 10/1/11		¢0.05	\$8.25	¢00.00		
	Customer Charge Delivery		\$8.25 \$0.5126	\$8.25 \$51.26	\$99.00 \$512.60		
	BGSS	-	\$0.6272	\$62.72	\$627.20		
		Total	\$1.1398	\$122.23	\$1,238.80		
	Decrease Decrease as a percen	.+		(\$13.43) (9.9%)	(\$134.30) (9.8%)		
	Decrease as a percen	it.		(9.9%)	(9.6%)		
Impact on Comm	ercial GSS Customers			100 therm bill			
Current Prices							
	Customer Charge		\$25.00 \$0.4965	\$25.00			
	Delivery BGSS		\$0.4965 \$0.7460	\$49.65 \$74.60			
		Total	\$1.2425	\$149.25			
Proposed prices-	effective 10/1/11						
	Customer Charge		\$25.00	\$25.00			
	Delivery		\$0.5048	\$50.48			
	BGSS	Total	\$0.6272 \$1.1320	\$62.72 \$138.20			
	Decrease			(\$11.05)			
	Decrease as a percen	nt		(7.4%)			
Impact on Comm	ercial GSL Customers						
Current Prices				1200 therm bill			
	Customer Charge		\$40.00	\$40.00			
	Demand Charge		\$1.50 \$0.4299	\$175.50 \$515.88			
	Delivery BGSS (May 2011)		\$0.4299 \$0.6304	\$515.88 \$756.48			
	(	Total	\$1.0603	\$1,487.86			
Proposed prices-	effective 10/1/11						
specca prices	Customer Charge		\$40.00	\$40.00			
	Demand Charge		\$1.50	\$175.50			
	Delivery BGSS (May 2011)		\$0.4370 \$0.6346	\$524.40 \$761.52			
	1000 (widy 2011)	Total	\$1.0716	\$1,501.42			
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\$13.56 0.9%

Increase Increase as a percent

# NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY SUMMARY OF PERIODIC BGSS COMPONENTS BPU DOCKET NO GR1106\_\_\_\_\_

	October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012 \$000
ESTIMATED UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERED GAS COSTS AT 10/1/11 (Exhibit B, Schedule 1)	<u>(\$4,515)</u> A
ESTIMATED NET COSTS APPLICABLE TO BGSS (Exhibit B, Schedule 2a)	<u>\$388,575</u> B
ESTIMATED ADJUSTMENTS Interruptible (Sch.4a) Sayreville (Sch.4b) Forked River (Sch.4c) Transportation(Sch.4d) FRM Program (Sch 4i) Storage Incentive (Sch. 4k) Off-System Sales (Sch.4e) Capacity Rel. (Sch.4f) Supplier Ref. and Miscellaneous Adj. (Sch.5) Balancing Credits and Penalty Charges (Sch.4g) Ocean Peaking Power (Sch. 4h)	\$0 (\$68) (\$84) (\$1,568) \$0 (\$7,232) (\$15,620) \$0 (\$8,497) (\$938)
TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	(\$34,007) C
ESTIMATED UNDER/(OVER) RECOVERY AT 9/30/2012 (Exhibit B Schedule 1)	<u>\$5,639</u> D
A/C Sales Recovery Monthly BGSS Sales Recovery ESTIMATED OTHER RECOVERY (Exhibit B Schedule 2b)	\$88 \$45,856 \$45,944 E
ESTIMATED TOTAL EXCESS COSTS TO BE RECOVERED (Exhibit B Schedule 2b)	\$298,469 A+B+C-D-E=F
BGSS Sales A/C Sales {May - Sep} Monthly BGSS Sales ESTIMATED PERIODIC BGSS THERM SALES (Exhibit B Schedule 2b)	512,526 164 <u>63,536</u> <u>448,826</u> G
PRE-TAX PERIODIC BGSS FACTOR PER THERM FOR FY2012	\$0.6650 F/G=H

EXHIBIT F

**PROPOSED TARIFF SHEETS** 

BPU No. 8 - Gas

<u>TenthNinth</u> Revised Sheet No. 51 Superseding <u>Ninth<del>Eighth</del> Revised Sheet No. 51</u>

# **SERVICE CLASSIFICATION - RS**

# **RESIDENTIAL SERVICE**

### **AVAILABILITY**

This service is available to any residential Customer in the territory served by the Company using gas for any domestic purpose. This rate is applicable to individually-metered apartments and to rooming and boarding houses where the number of rental bedrooms is not more than twice the number of bedrooms used by the Customer.

Gas delivered under this schedule may not be used for other than domestic purposes except when such use is incidental to domestic use.

### **CHARACTER OF SERVICE**

Firm gas service where Customer may either purchase gas supply from the Company's Rider "A" for Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS") or from a Marketer or Broker.

# MONTHLY RATES

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<u>Customer Charge:</u> Customer Charge per meter per month	\$8.25
<u>Delivery Charge:</u> <u>Residential Heating</u> Delivery Charge per therm	\$ <u>0.5126</u> 0.5281
Residential Non-Heating Delivery Charge per therm	\$ <u>0.5315</u> 0.5069

BGSS Charge:

BGSS Charge per therm for Sales Customers

See "Rate Summaries" at the end of this Tariff

These rates are inclusive of all applicable taxes and riders and are subject to adjustment for all other applicable riders, taxes, assessments or similar charges lawfully imposed by the Company. See Rate Summaries at the end of this Tariff for a summary of components incorporated in these rates.

Date of Issue:December 10, 2010Issued by:Mark R. Sperduto, Vice President2011The result of the second sec

Effective for service rendered on and after <u>October</u>January 1,

Wall, NJ 07719

Filed pursuant to Order of the Board of Public Utilities entered in Docket No. GR<u>1106</u><u>10060382</u>

# **SERVICE CLASSIFICATION – DGR**

# DISTRIBUTED GENERATION SERVICE - RESIDENTIAL

### <u>AVAILABILITY</u>

This service is available to any residential customer using distributed generation technologies including, but not limited to, microturbines and fuel cells to generate electricity for domestic purposes.

### **CHARACTER OF SERVICE**

Firm gas service where Customer may either purchase gas supply from the Company's Rider "A" for Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS") or from a Marketer or Broker.

# MONTHLY RATES

<u>Customer Charge:</u> Customer Charge per meter per month	\$8.25
<u>Delivery Charge:</u> November - April	\$ <u>0.3791</u> 0.3833
May - October	\$ <u>0.3221</u> 0 <del>.3263</del>
<u>BGSS Charge:</u> BGSS Charge per therm for Sales Customers	See "Rate Summaries" at the end of this Tariff

These rates are inclusive of all applicable taxes and riders and are subject to adjustment for all other applicable riders, taxes, assessments or similar charges lawfully imposed by the Company. See Rate Summaries at the end of this Tariff for a summary of components incorporated in these rates.

# MINIMUM MONTHLY CHARGE

The minimum monthly charge shall be the Customer Charge. Where service is taken for less than one month, the minimum charge will be prorated.

# **BALANCING CHARGE ADJUSTMENTS**

The Balancing Charge is included in the Delivery Charge and is subject to adjustment in the Company's annual BGSS proceeding. All revenues derived from this Charge will be credited to the BGSS. See Rider "A" for the current Balancing Charge.

Date of Issue:October 22, 2010Issued by:Mark R. Sperduto, Vice President20110

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Wall, NJ 07719

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BPU No. 8 - Gas

<u>TenthNinth</u> Revised Sheet No. 56 Superseding <u>Ninth<del>Eighth</del> Revised Sheet No. 56</u>

# <u>SERVICE CLASSIFICATION – GSS</u>

# **GENERAL SERVICE - SMALL**

### <u>AVAILABILITY</u>

This service is available to any Customer in the entire territory served by the Company who uses less than 5,000 therms annually and uses gas for all purposes other than residential service and interruptible service. Where the Customer uses the Cooling, Air Conditioning and Pool Heating service ("CAC"), the Company will, upon application by the Customer, meter the space heating and CAC use separately. Street Lighting Service also will be supplied under this schedule.

### **CHARACTER OF SERVICE**

Firm gas service where Customer may either purchase gas supply from the Company's Rider "A" for Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS") or from a Marketer or Broker.

### MONTHLY RATES

<u>Customer Charge:</u> Customer Charge per meter per month

<u>Delivery Charge:</u> Delivery Charge per therm

BGSS Charge:

BGSS Charge per therm for Sales Customers

See "Rate Summaries" at the end of this Tariff

\$0.50480.4965

\$25.00

These rates are inclusive of all applicable taxes and riders and are subject to adjustment for all other applicable riders, taxes, assessments or similar charges lawfully imposed by the Company. See Rate Summaries at the end of this Tariff for a summary of components incorporated in these rates.

### MINIMUM MONTHLY CHARGE

The minimum monthly charge shall be the Customer Charge.

Where service is taken for less than one month, the minimum charge will be prorated.

### **BALANCING CHARGE ADJUSTMENTS**

The Balancing Charge is included in the Delivery Charge and is subject to adjustment in the Company's annual BGSS proceeding. All revenues derived from this Charge will be credited to the BGSS. See Rider "A" for the current Balancing Charge.

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# **SERVICE CLASSIFICATION - GSL**

## **GENERAL SERVICE - LARGE**

### **AVAILABILITY**

This service is available to any Customer in the entire territory served by the Company who uses greater than or equal to 5,000 therms annually and uses gas for all purposes other than residential service and interruptible service. Where the Customer uses the Cooling, Air Conditioning and Pool Heating service ("CAC") under Special Provision 1 applicable to customers purchasing gas supply under Rider "A", the Company will, upon application by the Customer, meter the space heating and CAC use separately.

### **CHARACTER OF SERVICE**

Firm gas service where Customer may either purchase gas supply from the Company's Rider "A" for Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS") or from a Marketer or Broker.

### MONTHLY RATES

<u>Customer Charge:</u> Customer Charge per meter per month	\$40.00
<u>Demand Charge:</u> Demand Charge per therm applied to HMAD	\$1.50
Delivery Charge: Delivery Charge per therm	\$ <u>0.4370</u> 0.4299
BGSS Charge:	

BGSS Charge per therm for Sales Customers

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### MINIMUM MONTHLY CHARGE

The minimum monthly charge shall be the Customer Charge and the Demand Charge.

Where service is taken for less than one month, the minimum charge will be prorated.

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# **SERVICE CLASSIFICATION - DGC**

# **DISTRIBUTED GENERATION SERVICE - COMMERCIAL**

# <u>AVAILABILITY</u>

This service is available to any commercial customer using distributed generation technologies including, but not limited to, microturbines and fuel cells.

### **CONDITIONS PRECEDENT**

If the Customer is served by a Marketer or Broker, the Marketer or Broker assumes the responsibility for all delivery requirements. The Customer also must have clear and marketable title of gas with firm transportation capacity to the Company's distribution systems. If the Company so requests, the Customer must provide such proof. The Customer is responsible for payment of any costs if additional facilities, exclusive of metering facilities, are necessary to provide service. The Company reserves the right to limit new customers served under this service, if it determines that service expansion is detrimental to existing firm customers. The Customer must demonstrate that qualifying electric generation equipment has been installed at its location.

# MONTHLY RATES

\$40.00
\$0.60
to 20200 20C2
\$ <u>0.2820</u> 0.2862
\$0.2492 <del>0.2534</del>

These rates are inclusive of all applicable taxes and riders and are subject to adjustment for all other applicable riders, taxes, assessments or similar charges lawfully imposed by the Company. See Rate Summaries at the end of this Tariff for a summary of components incorporated in these rates.

### <u>MINIMUM MONTHLY CHARGE</u>

The minimum monthly charge shall be the sum of the Customer Charge and the Demand Charge.

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# **SERVICE CLASSIFICATION - FC**

# FIRM COGENERATION

### AVAILABILITY

This service is applicable to commercial and industrial Customers using gas for the sequential production of electrical and/or mechanical energy and useful thermal energy from the same fuel source as defined in Section 201 of The Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act (PURPA) of 1978.

The Customer must 1) certify that the cogeneration facility is approved by FERC as a "Qualifying Facility"; 2) sign a Service Agreement; and 3) be in compliance with the terms of <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 54:30A-50 to receive service under this classification.

### CHARACTER OF SERVICE

Firm gas sales or transportation service.

# MONTHLY RATES

Customer Charge: Customer Charge per meter per month	\$49.49
<u>Demand Charge:</u> Demand Charge per therm applied to MDQ	\$1.00
Delivery Charge: Delivery Charge per therm	\$ <u>0.3033</u> <del>0.3075</del>
<u>BGSS Charge:</u> BGSS Charge per therm for Sales Customers	See "Rate Summaries" at the end of this Tariff

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# RIDER "A"

# <u>BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE - BGSS</u>(Continued)

# PERIODIC BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) CHARGE<sup>1</sup>

# <u>CLASS</u>

**APPLICATION** 

**CHARGE** 

RS, GSS, and ED sales customers using less than 5,000 therms annually

Included in the Basic Gas Supply Charge

\$<u>0.7116</u>0.8346 per therm

# BALANCING CHARGE

CLASS

RS, GSS, GSL, ED

### **APPLICATION**

Included in the Delivery Charge

Included in the Basic Gas Supply Charge

<u>CHARGE</u>

\$<u>0.0844</u>0.0886 per therm

# MONTHLY BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) CHARGE<sup>1</sup>

# <u>CLASS</u>

# **APPLICATION**

GSL, FC and ED sales customers using 5,000 therms or greater annually

Effective Date	Charge Per Therm
May 1, 2010	\$0.6807
June 1, 2010	\$0.6677
July 1, 2010	\$0.7307
August 1, 2010	\$0.7355
September 1, 2010	\$0.6095
October 1, 2010	\$0.6602
November 1, 2010	\$0.5991
December 1, 2010	\$0.7107
January 1, 2011	\$0.7049
February 1, 2011	\$0.7155
March 1, 2011	\$0.6563
April 1, 2011	\$0.7036
May 1, 2011	\$0.7190

<sup>1</sup> For billing purposes, the Periodic BGSS and Monthly BGSS charges are adjusted for Balancing Charges as presented in the Rate Summaries at the end of this Tariff.

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# RIDER "A"

# <u>BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE - BGSS</u>(Continued)

# BGSS SAVINGS COMPONENT RELATED TO THE CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) IN RIDER "1"

<u>CLASS</u>

## **APPLICATION**

<u>CREDIT</u>

RS, GSS, GSL, FC, and ED sales customers

Embedded within the Periodic Basic Gas Supply Charge and the Monthly Basic Gas Supply Charge (\$<u>0.0273</u><del>0.0112</del>) per therm

### TEMPORARY BGSS RATE CREDIT ADJUSTMENT

<u>CLASS</u>	APPLICATION	<u>CREDIT</u>
RS, GSS, and ED sales customers using less than 5,000 therms annually	Rate Credit Adjustment effective January 1, 2009 through February 28, 2009	(\$0.1996) per therm
RS, GSS, and ED sales customers using less than 5,000 therms annually	Rate Credit Adjustment effective March 1, 2009 through March 31, 2009	(\$0.2510) per therm
RS, GSS, and ED sales customers using less than 5,000 therms annually	Rate Credit Adjustment effective February 1, 2010 through March 31, 2010	(\$0.2745) per therm
RS, GSS, and ED sales customers using less than 5,000 therms annually	Rate Credit Adjustment effective April 1, 2010 through April 30, 2010	(\$0.6572) per therm

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# RIDER ''I''

# <u>CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM – CIP (Continued)</u>

The currently effective CIP factor by Customer Class Group are as follows:

Group I (RS non-heating):	<del>(\$<u>0.0255</u>0.0033)</del>
Group II (RS heating):	\$ <u>0.0066</u> 0.0179
Group III (GSS, ED using less than 5,000 therms annually):	\$ <u>0.0464</u> 0.0339
Group IV (GSL, ED using 5,000 therms or greater annually):	\$ <u>0.0391</u> <del>0.0278</del>

For the recovery of the October 20<u>1009</u> through September 201<u>10</u> CIP margin deficiency, the recovery of the margin deficiency associated with non-weather related change in customer usage included in the above factors are offset by the BGSS savings component, as set forth in Rider A. The BGSS savings component is embedded within the Periodic BGSS Charge and the Monthly BGSS Charge.

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# SUMMARY OF RESIDENTIAL RATE COMPONENTS

### **Residential Heating Customers**

<u>Customer Charge</u> Customer Charge per meter		Bundled Sales 8.25	Transport <u>Sales</u> 8.25	<u>Reference</u>
per month				
Delivery Charge ("DEL") per therm				
Transport Rate:				
Pre-tax Base Rate		0.2981	0.2981	
TEFA		0.0167	0.0167	Rider B
SUT		0.0220	<u>0.0220</u>	Rider B
After-tax Base Rate		0.3368	0.3368	
WNC		0.0000	0.0000	Rider D
CIP		<u>0.0066</u> 0.0 <del>179</del>	<u>0.0066</u> 0.0179	Rider I
EE		0.0127	0.0127	Rider F
Total Transport Rate	а	<u>0.3561</u> 0.3 <del>674</del>	<u>0.3561</u> 0.3674	
Balancing Charge	b	<u>0.08440.0</u> <del>886</del>	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0886	Rider A
Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC"):				
NJ's Clean Energy		0.0203	0.0203	Rider E
RA		0.0324	0.0324	Rider C
USF		0.0194	0.0194	Rider H
Total SBC	c	<u>0.0721</u>	<u>0.0721</u>	
Delivery Charge (DEL)	a+b+c=d	<u>0.5126<u>0.5</u> <u>281</u></u>	<u>0.5126<del>0.5281</del></u>	
Basic Gas Supply Charge ("BGS")				
Periodic BGSS	e	<u>0.7116</u> 0.8 <del>346</del>	Х	Rider A
Less: Balancing	f	<u>0.08440.0</u> <u>886</u>	х	
BGS	e-f=g	<u>0.6272<del>0.7</del> 460</u>	X	

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# SUMMARY OF RESIDENTIAL RATE COMPONENTS

# **Residential Non-Heating Customers**

<u>Customer Charge</u> Customer Charge per meter per month		Bundled Sales 8.25	Transport <u>Sales</u> 8.25	<u>Reference</u>
<u>Delivery Charge ("DEL") per therm</u>				
<i>Transport Rate:</i> Pre-tax Base Rate TEFA SUT		0.2981 0.0167 <u>0.0220</u>	0.2981 0.0167 <u>0.0220</u>	Rider B Rider B
After-tax Base Rate CIP		0.3368 <u>0.0255<del>(0.</del> <del>0033)</del></u>	0.3368 <u>0.0255(0.0033</u>	Rider I
EE		<u>0.0127</u>	) <u>0.0127</u>	Rider F
Total Transport Rate	а	<u>0.3750<del>0.3</del> 462</u>	<u>0.3750<del>0.3462</del></u>	
Balancing Charge	b	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0 <del>886</del>	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0886	Rider A
Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC"): NJ's Clean Energy RA USF		0.0203 0.0324 <u>0.0194</u>	0.0203 0.0324 <u>0.0194</u>	Rider E Rider C Rider H
Total SBC	с	<u>0.0721</u>	<u>0.0721</u>	
Delivery Charge (DEL)	a+b+c=d	<u>0.5315<del>0.5</del> 069</u>	<u>0.5315<del>0.5069</del></u>	
<u>Basic Gas Supply Charge ("BGS")</u> Periodic BGSS	e	<u>0.7116</u> 0.8 346	x	Rider A
Less: Balancing	f	<u>0.08440.0</u> <u>886</u>	Х	
BGS	e-f=g	<u>0.6272<del>0.7</del></u>	X	

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# SUMMARY OF RESIDENTIAL RATE COMPONENTS

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# SUMMARY OF RESIDENTIAL RATE COMPONENTS

# **Residential Distributed Generation Service**

Crasterior Channel		<u>Nov - Apr</u>	May - Oct	Reference	
<u>Customer Charge</u> Customer Charge per meter		8.25	8.25		
per month					
Delivery Charge ("DEL") per therm					
Transport Rate:					
Pre-tax Base Rate		0.1795	0.1262		
TEFA		0.0167	0.0167		
SUT		0.0137	0.0100	Rider B	
After-tax Base Rate		0.2099	0.1529		
EE		0.0127	0.0127	Rider F	
Total Transport Rate	а	0.2226	0.1656		
Balancing Charge	b	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0886	<u>0.08440.0886</u>	Rider A	
Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC"):					
NJ's Clean Energy		0.0203	0.0203	Rider E	
RA		0.0324	0.0324	Rider C	
USF		<u>0.0194</u>	<u>0.0194</u>	Rider H	
Total SBC	с	<u>0.0721</u>	<u>0.0721</u>		
<b>Delivery Charge (DEL)</b>	a+b+c=d	<u>0.3791<del>0.3833</del></u>	<u>0.3221<del>0.3263</del></u>		
Basic Gas Supply Charge ("BGS")					
Periodic BGSS	e	<u>0.7116</u> 0.8346	<u>0.7116</u> 0.8346	Rider A	
Less: Balancing	f	0.0844 <del>0.0886</del>	0.0844 <del>0.0886</del>		
BGS	e-f=g	<u>0.6272<del>0.7460</del></u>	<u>0.6272<mark>0.7460</mark></u>		

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# SUMMARY OF FIRM COMMERCIAL RATE COMPONENTS

# **General Service - Small (GSS)**

		Bundled Sales	Transport <u>Sales</u>	Reference
<u>Customer Charge</u> Customer Charge per meter per month		25.00	25.00	
Delivery Charge ("DEL") per therm				
Transport Rate:				
Pre-tax Base Rate		0.2555	0.2555	
TEFA		0.0148	0.0148	Rider B
SUT		0.0189	0.0189	Rider B
After-tax Base Rate		0.2892	0.2892	
WNC		0.0000	0.0000	Rider D
CIP		<u>0.0464</u> 0.0 <del>339</del>	<u>0.0464</u> 0.0339	Rider I
EE		<u>0.0127</u>	0.0127	Rider F
Total Transport Rate	a	<u>0.3483<del>0.3</del> <del>358</del></u>	<u>0.3483</u> 0.3358	
Balancing Charge	b	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0 <del>886</del>	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0886	Rider A
Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC"):				
NJ's Clean Energy		0.0203	0.0203	Rider E
RA		0.0324	0.0324	Rider C
USF		<u>0.0194</u>	<u>0.0194</u>	Rider H
Total SBC	c	<u>0.0721</u>	<u>0.0721</u>	
<b>Delivery Charge (DEL)</b>	a+b+c=d	<u>0.5048<del>0.4</del> 965</u>	<u>0.5048<del>0.4965</del></u>	
Basic Gas Supply Charge ("BGS")				
Periodic BGSS	e	<u>0.7116</u> 0.8	х	Rider A
		<del>346</del>		
Less: Balancing	f	<u>0.0844<del>0.0</del> 886</u>	Х	
BGS	e-f=g	<u>0.6272<del>0.7</del> 460</u>	X	
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# SUMMARY OF FIRM COMMERCIAL RATE COMPONENTS

# **General Service - Large (GSL)**

Customer Charge		Bundled Sales	Transport <u>Sales</u>	Reference
Customer Charge per meter per month	1	40.00	40.00	
Demand Charge Demand Charge per month applied to	o HMAD	1.50	1.50	
Delivery Charge ("DEL") per therm				
<i>Transport Rate:</i> Pre-tax Base Rate		0.2009	0.2009	
TEFA		0.2009	0.0128	Rider B
SUT		<u>0.0150</u>	<u>0.0150</u>	Rider B
After-tax Base Rate		0.2287	0.2287	
WNC		0.0000	0.0000	Rider D
CIP		<u>0.0391</u> 0.0 <del>278</del>	<u>0.0391</u> 0.0278	Rider I
EE		0.0127	0.0127	Rider F
Total Transport Rate	а	<u>0.2805</u> 0.2 <del>692</del>	<u>0.2805</u> 0.2692	
Balancing Charge	b	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0 <del>886</del>	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0886	Rider A
Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC"):				
NJ's Clean Energy		0.0203	0.0203	Rider E
RA		0.0324	0.0324	Rider C
USF		<u>0.0194</u>	<u>0.0194</u>	Rider H
Total SBC	с	<u>0.0721</u>	<u>0.0721</u>	
Delivery Charge (DEL)	a+b+c=d	<u>0.4370<del>0.4</del></u> <u>299</u>	<u>0.4370<del>0.4299</del></u>	
Basic Gas Supply Charge ("BGS")				
Monthly BGSS	e	0.7190	Х	Rider A
Less: Balancing	f	<u>0.0844<del>0.0</del> 886</u>	Х	
BGS	e-f=g	<u>0.6346<del>0.6</del> <u>304</u></u>	Х	

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# SUMMARY OF FIRM COMMERCIAL RATE COMPONENTS

### **Commercial Distributed Generation Service**

		<u>Nov - Apr</u>	May - Oct	Reference
<u>Customer Charge</u> Customer Charge per meter per month		40.00	40.00	
Demand Charge				
Demand Charge per therm per month applied to PBQ		0.60	0.60	
Delivery Charge ("DEL") per therm				
Transport Rate:				
Pre-tax Base Rate		0.0901	0.0595	
TEFA		0.0153	0.0153	
SUT		0.0074	0.0052	Rider B
After-tax Base Rate		0.1128	0.0800	
EE		0.0127	<u>0.0127</u>	Rider F
Total Transport Rate	а	0.1255	0.0927	
Balancing Charge	b	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0886	<u>0.0844</u> 0.0886	Rider A
Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC"):				
NJ's Clean Energy		0.0203	0.0203	Rider E
RA		0.0324	0.0324	Rider C
USF		<u>0.0194</u>	<u>0.0194</u>	Rider H
Total SBC	с	<u>0.0721</u>	<u>0.0721</u>	
<b>Delivery Charge (DEL)</b>	a+b+c=d	<u>0.2820<mark>0.2862</mark></u>	<u>0.2492<del>0.2534</del></u>	

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# SUMMARY OF FIRM COMMERCIAL RATE COMPONENTS

# Firm Cogeneration (FC)

Customer Charge		Sales	Transport_	<u>Reference</u>
<u>Customer Charge</u> Customer Charge per meter per month		49.49	49.49	
<u>Demand Charge</u> Demand Charge per therm per month applied to MDQ		1.00	1.00	
Delivery Charge ("DEL") per therm				
<i>Transport Rate:</i> Pre-tax Base Rate SUT		0.1253 <u>0.0088</u>	0.1253 <u>0.0088</u>	Rider B
After-tax Base Rate EE		0.1341 <u>0.0127</u>	0.1341 <u>0.0127</u>	Rider F
Total Transport Rate	а	0.1468	0.1468	
Balancing Charge	b	<u>0.08440.0886</u>	<u>0.08440.0886</u>	Rider A
Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC"): NJ's Clean Energy RA USF		0.0203 0.0324 <u>0.0194</u>	0.0203 0.0324 <u>0.0194</u>	Rider E Rider C Rider H
Total SBC	с	<u>0.0721</u>	<u>0.0721</u>	
Delivery Charge (DEL)	a+b+c=d	<u>0.3033<del>0.3075</del></u>	<u>0.3033<del>0.3075</del></u>	
Basic Gas Supply Charge ("BGS") Monthly BGSS Less: Balancing	e f	0.7190 <u>0.0844<del>0.0886</del></u>	X X	Rider A
BGS	e-f=g	<u>0.6346<del>0.630</del> <u>4</u></u>	X	

With the exception of the Customer Charge and Demand Charge, these rates are on a per-therm basis.

Customer Charge, Demand Charge, DEL rate and BGS rate are presented on customer bills.

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# EXHIBIT G

# NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE IN PRICES AND PUBLIC HEARING

# NOTICE TO NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS Docket No. GR1106\_\_\_\_

# NOTICE OF FILING AND PUBLIC HEARING

### **TO OUR CUSTOMERS:**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that on June 1, 2011, New Jersey Natural Gas ("NJNG" or the "Company") filed its 2011–2012 Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS") petition pursuant to the "Order Approving BGSS Price Structure" issued by the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") on January 6, 2003, in Docket No. GX01050304 ("Generic BGSS Order"). At that time, NJNG also filed for Board approval of proposed price changes related to the Conservation Incentive Program ("CIP") and the Balancing Charge. Pursuant to its filing, NJNG requested that the Board permit NJNG to adjust its BGSS and CIP factors effective October 1, 2011. The impact of the BGSS rate change for a residential heating customer using an average of 100 therms per month would be a **decrease of \$12.30 per month, or (9.1) percent** as a result of the proposed BGSS rate, and a **decrease of \$1.13 per month or (0.8) percent** as a result of the proposed CIP rate. The combined impact of these price changes would result in an overall **decrease of \$13.43 or (9.9) percent** per month on a 100 therm residential bill.

Additionally, NJNG requested that the Board permit NJNG to decrease its Balancing Charge applicable to transportation customers receiving their natural gas supply from a third party supplier by \$0.0042 per therm effective October 1, 2011. The impact of the Balancing Charge decrease for a residential heating transportation customer transporting an average of 100 therms per month would be a decrease of \$0.42 per month, or (0.3) percent. All Balancing Charge revenues from transportation customers are credited to BGSS recoveries. For sales customers, there is no impact from the Balancing Charge change since the Balancing Charge is included as a component of the delivery charge and deducted from the BGSS charge in order to provide a BGSS "Price-to-Compare."

		Tota	l Bill		Bill Impac	•	% Impact					
		Tota	1 Dill		Bin Impac	l V	78 Impact					
			Proposed									
		Bill as of	Bill as of			Net			Net			
Customer	Therm	May 1,	October 1,			Increase/			Increase/			
Туре	Level	2011	2011	BGSS	CIP	(Decrease)	BGSS	CIP	(Decrease)			
					r	7						
Residential	r											
Heat Sales	ales 100 \$135.66 \$122.23		(\$12.30)	(\$1.13)	(\$13.43)	(9.1%)	(0.8%)	(9.9%)				
Residential												
Non-Heat												
Sales	25	\$39.57	\$37.22	(\$3.08)	\$0.72	(\$2.36)	(7.8%)	1.8%	(6.0%)			
General												
Service -												
Small	100	\$149.25	\$138.20	(\$12.30)	\$1.25	(\$11.05)	(8.2%)	0.8%	(7.4%)			
General												
Service -												
Large	1200	\$1,487.86	\$1,501.42	\$0.00	\$13.56	\$13.56	0.0%	0.9%	0.9%			

The effect of the Company's request for the price adjustments to be effective October 1, 2011, on typical residential, general service - small, and general service - large natural gas bills is estimated to be as follows:

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that future changes in NJNG's price for BGSS service may also occur if NJNG elects to adjust its BGSS rates upward by filing timely notice with the Board Staff and the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel ("Rate Counsel"), pursuant to the Generic BGSS Order. Any such self-implementing increase will be limited to a maximum of 5 percent of the total residential bill, effective December 1, 2011, and to a maximum of 5 percent of the total residential bill, effective December 1, 2011, and to a maximum of 5 percent of the total residential bill, effective February 1, 2012. Further, these self-implementing increases will be provisional and subject to true-up in connection with the annual BGSS filing. Pursuant to the Generic BGSS Order, NJNG is permitted to decrease its BGSS rate at any time upon five days notice and the filing of supporting documentation with the Board of Public Utilities and Rate Counsel.

If both of the above mentioned self-implementing adjustments were to be put into place, the effect on typical residential and general service - small natural gas bills, as of the requested effective dates, is estimated to be as follows:

			Total Bill	Inci	ease	
Customer Type	Therm Level	Bill as of October 1, 2011	Proposed Bill Including December and February BGSS 5 Percent Increases	Amount	Percent	
Residential Heat Sales	100	\$122.23	\$134.76	\$12.53	10.25%	
Residential Non-Heat Sales	25	\$37.22	\$40.35	\$3.13	8.42%	
General Service - Small	100	\$138.20	\$150.73	\$12.53	9.07%	

The Board has the statutory authority to establish the BGSS, CIP and Balancing charges at levels it finds just and reasonable. Therefore, the Board may establish the BGSS, CIP and Balancing charges at levels other than those proposed by NJNG. NJNG's natural gas costs addressed in this petition will remain subject to audit by the Board, and Board approval shall not preclude or prohibit the Board from taking any such actions deemed appropriate as a result of any such audit.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that public hearings on the petition have been scheduled at the following dates, times and places:

July x, 2011 at 3:30 and 5:30 p.m.	July x, 2011 at 3:30 and 5:30 p.m.
Rockaway Township Municipal Building	Freehold Township Municipal Building
Conference Room	Conference Room
65 Mt. Hope Road	One Municipal Plaza, Schank Road
Rockaway, NJ 07866	Freehold, NJ 07728-3099

The public is invited to attend, and interested persons will be permitted to testify and/or make a statement of their views on the proposed rate changes. In order to encourage full participation in this opportunity for public comment, please submit any requests for needed accommodations, including interpreter, listening devices or mobility assistance, 48 hours prior to this hearing to the Board Secretary at the address below. Regardless of whether they attend the hearing, members of the public may submit written comments concerning the petition to the Board by addressing them to: Kristi Izzo, Secretary, New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, Two Gateway Center, Suite 801, Newark, New Jersey 07102. Copies of NJNG's June 1, 2011, filing can be reviewed either at the NJNG Customer Service Centers listed on the Company Web site, www.njng.com, or at the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, Two Gateway Center, Newark, New Jersey 07102.

Tracey Thayer, Esq. New Jersey Natural Gas

# DIRECT TESTIMONY AND EXHIBITS OF

# JAYANA S. SHAH

# MANAGER - GAS SUPPLY

# NJNG ENERGY SERVICES

# IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY FOR THE ANNUAL REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) AND REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) FACTORS FOR F/Y 2012 BPU DOCKET NO. GR1106\_\_\_\_\_ Direct Testimony of Jayana S. Shah

### I. **Background and Purpose** 1 PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, AFFILIATION AND BUSINESS **Q**. 2 **ADDRESS.** 3 A. My name is Jayana S. Shah. I am the Manager, Gas Supply for New Jersey 4 Natural Gas Company (the "Company" or "NJNG"). My business address is 5 1415 Wyckoff Road, Wall, New Jersey 07719. 6 **Q**. PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR EDUCATION, YOUR BUSINESS 7 **EXPERIENCE, AND YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES WITH RESPECT** 8 TO THIS PROCEEDING. 9 I received a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology with a Chemistry Minor A. 10 from the University of Houston in 1999. Upon graduation I was employed 11 by Engage Energy in Houston, Texas as a gas settlements specialist and 12 within a year moved into a risk analyst position. My responsibilities as a 13 risk analyst at Engage Energy included reviewing all transactions and 14 reporting profit and loss. When Engage Energy subsequently merged with 15 El Paso Merchant Energy ("El Paso"), I was employed by El Paso as a risk 16 analyst with additional responsibilities, including confirming financial 17 transactions with brokers and validating trader's marks with third party 18 sources. My position at El Paso also provided me with the opportunity to 19 learn about other commodities, including natural gas liquids, crude oil, 20

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emission credits, weather derivatives, and currency. I moved to New Jersey in 2003 and was employed by Morgan Stanley in New York for two years as 2 an associate controller responsible for financial reporting for their capital 3 structure arbitrage book and securitized products book. 4

I joined New Jersey Resources ("NJR") in June 2005 as a trading 5 analyst for NJR Energy Services ("NJRES"), an unregulated affiliate of the 6 Company. My responsibilities there included supporting the trading group 7 with trade and price analysis, working with the Vice President to manage the 8 NJRES portfolio, and creating efficiencies by working with the software 9 programmers and accounting/risk management group. 10

I was promoted to the position of Manager, Gas Supply for NJNG in 11 May 2009. In that capacity I oversee the NJNG Energy Services staff for 12 daily, monthly, and seasonal optimization of NJNG's supply portfolio in 13 order to provide the lowest overall cost for the Company's Basic Gas Supply 14 Service ("BGSS") customers. I also oversee the Company's BGSS hedging 15 and incentive programs that provide price stability and cost savings for 16 BGSS customers. 17

#### **Q**. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS TESTIMONY? 18

Consistent with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("BPU" or the A. 19 "Board") Order dated January 17, 2002 in Docket No. GX01050304 20 ("Generic BGSS Order"), the purpose of this testimony is to: 21

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discuss current conditions in natural gas markets that may affect the 22 Company's BGSS pricing; 23

describe and detail how the Company actively manages and optimizes its
 gas supply and capacity portfolio on a daily, monthly and seasonal basis
 throughout the year to provide reliable service to customers at a
 reasonable cost, including steps it has taken to hedge its projected BGSS
 winter period sales requirements; and

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provide the basis for and a narrative explanation of the significant drivers
 of the annual BGSS rate which the Company is proposing through this
 proceeding to be effective October 1, 2011. I am also sponsoring a
 number of exhibits that provide the requisite detail and support for the
 projected gas costs and forecasted sales in this case consistent with the
 annual Minimum Filing Requirements ("MFRs") that were established in
 the Generic BGSS Order.

# 13 Q. HOW IS THE BALANCE OF YOUR TESTIMONY ORGANIZED?

- A. The balance of my testimony is organized as follows:
- 15 Section II: Current Market Conditions and Market Developments
- 16 Section III: CIP BGSS Savings Transactions
- 17 Section IV: Optimization Strategy
- 18 Section V: Periodic BGSS Pricing for October 1, 2011
- 19 Section VI: MFR Supporting Data and Information
- 20 Section VII: Conclusion
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#### **B**. **New Pipeline Expansion Projects**

#### Q. IS THE COMPANY **EVALUATING** AND CONSIDERING 3 POTENTIAL NEW GAS SUPPLY OPTIONS AS PART OF ANY 4 **RECENTLY PROPOSED INTERSTATE PIPELINE EXPANSION** 5 **PROJECTS?** 6

Yes. The Company is actively monitoring and evaluating the potential A. 7 benefits of several new pipeline expansion projects that have recently been 8 proposed to serve Northeast markets primarily in light of the potential for 9 increases in Marcellus Shale production. Specifically, major pipeline 10 expansions have recently been proposed by Tennessee Gas Pipeline 11 Company, Transcontinental Gas Pipeline Company, LLC, Texas Eastern 12 Transmission, LP, Algonquin Gas Transmission, LLC, Iroquois Gas 13 Transmission System, L.P., and Millennium Pipeline Company, LLC. These 14 projects are expected to accommodate deliveries of up to 3.8 Bcf of new 15 supplies from non-Gulf Coast sources into the Northeast market area which, 16 in turn, could potentially change the pricing dynamics in the Northeast 17 market to the benefit of NJNG and its customers. 18

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### **Conservation Incentive Program ("CIP") Savings Transactions** III. Q.

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# HAS THE COMPANY ENTERED INTO ANY NEW CAPACITY

**TRANSACTIONS APPLICABLE TO CIP BGSS SAVINGS ?** 

A. Yes. Under terms approved by the Board in Orders dated December 12, 23 2006 and January 21, 2010 in Docket No. GR05121020 in the CIP, NJNG is 24 permitted to recover from customers non-weather related revenue losses, 25

limited to the level of BGSS gas cost savings achieved. Categories of 1 potential BGSS gas cost savings include, among other things, reductions in 2 fixed capacity costs through the reduction in firm capacity on a long term 3 basis. In a letter dated March 22, 2011, NJNG notified Board Staff and Rate 4 Counsel of a reduction to fixed capacity costs since NJNG did not renew 5 30,000 dth per day of firm transportation capacity on Texas Eastern 6 Transmission, L.P. that is expiring on October 31, 2011. The demand cost 7 savings associated with this reduction in capacity will begin November 2011 8 and will be \$7,336,500 for the 2011-2012 CIP year based on the daily 9 demand rate of \$0.73 per dth. Thereafter, the annual demand cost savings 10 will be \$7,993,500. 11

# Q. ARE ANY PIPELINE RATE CASES EXPECTED TO IMPACT THE STATUS OF ANY PREVIOUS CIP BGSS SAVINGS TRANSACTIONS?

Yes. The proposed rate changes in the pending Tennessee Gas Pipeline A. 15 General Section 4 rate case filed on November 30, 2010 (RP11-1566-000) 16 could alter the net economics of the Tennessee capacity release of 10,728 17 dth per day included in NJNG's Exhibit E of the January 20, 2010 CIP 18 Order. The proposed rates for the affected capacity are lower than the 19 current tariff rates. If FERC accepts the proposed rates in a final order, 20 annual CIP BGSS savings would decrease by approximately \$409,000 for 21 CIP year 2011-2012 and \$286,300 for CIP year 2012-2013. 22

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# Q. HAVE ANY CHANGES IN PIPELINE CAPACITY CONTRACTS IMPACTED THE STATUS OF ANY PREVIOUS CIP BGSS SAVINGS TRANSACTIONS?

Yes. NJNG's Exhibit E of the January 20, 2010 CIP Order included CIP A. 4 BGSS savings related to 11,000 dth per day of Tennessee Gas Pipeline 5 capacity through March 31, 2013. The capacity was from Z5 East Aurora to 6 Tennessee Z4 Browns Run and was due for expiration on March 31, 2011. 7 NJNG extended the contract for a new term between April 1, 2011 and 8 January 8, 2012, at which time it will be terminated. The contract 9 termination will now provide BGSS savings beyond March 31, 2013 due to 10 the reduction in firm capacity on a long term basis. The value of the 11 reduction in fixed capacity costs are subject to change as a result of 12 Tennessee's pending rate case mentioned previously. 13

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IV. Optimization Strategy

# 18 Q. HOW IS NJNG'S GAS SUPPLY TEAM ORGANIZED AND 19 POSITIONED TO OPTIMIZE THE COMPANY'S GAS SUPPLY AND 20 CAPACITY PORTFOLIO TO BEST SERVE BGSS CUSTOMERS' 21 NEEDS?

A. NJNG has put together an experienced gas supply team, including members of Gas Supply (Energy Services) and Gas Control (Energy Delivery), that holds regular monthly supply operations setup meetings and regular daily morning planning and afternoon recap meetings to discuss the operational

strategy that will best serve customer needs considering the current market, 1 weather, and other gas supply operations issues. NJNG's gas supply team 2 also routinely meets with NJNG's Engineering and Operations personnel 3 throughout the year in order to coordinate system operations with both 4 winter and summer supply operations. Weather conditions, system 5 limitations and requirements, market prices, storage status, pipeline 6 constraints, market opportunities, and other demand/supply issues are 7 continuously reviewed and analyzed each day by the gas supply team in 8 order to ensure the optimal use of NJNG's portfolio of contract assets, 9 including gas supply, transportation, and storage. 10

# Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE APPROACH THE COMPANY HAS TAKEN IN THE PAST YEAR TO IMPLEMENT ITS OPTIMIZATION STRATEGY.

A. As previously noted, NJNG's gas supply team reviews the Company's gas supply, transportation, and storage portfolio to optimize the value of the assets and to generate credits for our customers. A fundamental part of the Company's strategy in that regard is to maintain sufficient flexibility to be prepared to react to changes in customer requirements and changes in market conditions. That approach provides the most reliable and economic gas supply for our customers.

To that end, NJNG's gas supply team meets *on a daily basis* to identify the Company's actual needs at the city gate and to determine whether there is any capacity that will not be necessary to meet customer requirements on that gas day. The gas supply team then finds either off-

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system sales or capacity release opportunities to generate a value from such 1 available capacity. On a monthly basis, the gas supply team meets and 2 discusses the system's average, maximum, and minimum load requirements 3 based on historical usage and weather patterns. Following the monthly 4 meeting, the NJNG trading team secures supply for the city gate and works 5 to optimize the value of any capacity, through off-system sales or capacity 6 release, that will not be needed to meet the Company's average city gate 7 requirements that month. Similarly, on a seasonal basis, the gas supply 8 team meets with Gas Control and Engineering to discuss seasonal system 9 requirements. Therefore, in each set up scenario – whether daily, monthly or 10 seasonal – the gas supply team's goal is to optimize the use and value of the 11 Company's gas supply, transportation and storage assets to secure savings 12 for the Company's BGSS customers, while also maintaining city gate 13 reliability. 14

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# Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE ANY RECENT CHANGES MADE TO THE NJNG CAPACITY PORTFOLIO.

A. NJNG restructured a 40,000 dth per day Dominion Transmission contract 17 that expires on October 31, 2011 by updating the renewal term, 18 receipt/delivery points, and volume. The original contract was for 40,000 19 dths/day from receipt meter Loudon to delivery meter PL-1 Chambersburg. 20 The restructured contract is for 20,000 dths/day with 5,000 dths/day from 21 Lebanon to Oakford, 10,000 dths/day from Oakford to Chambersburg East 22 Coast, 4,000 dths/day from Loudon to PL-1 Chambersburg, and 1,000 23 dths/day from Loudon to Oakford. The new term covers the November 1, 24

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2011 to March, 31, 2013 period with right of first refusal ("ROFR") rights. The changes in delivery points provide for greater flexibility in managing 2 Dominion storage withdrawals and also coincide with receipt points on 3 existing Texas Eastern Transmission transport capacity. The changes in the 4 receipt/delivery points of the contract also reflect the supply shift from Cove 5 Point LNG to the Marcellus Region. 6

NJNG also restructured a 10,894 dth per day transportation capacity 7 contract on Tennessee Gas Pipeline. The receipt point for that contract was 8 changed to reflect the supply shift from Canadian supply at Niagara to 9 Marcellus Production and to provide a firm path for Stagecoach storage 10 withdrawals. The contract was changed from Tennessee Zone 5 - 200 leg 11 Niagara receipt to Tennessee Zone 4 - 300 leg Northern Storage receipt. The 12 contract currently expires on January 31, 2013. The change in demand cost 13 for the remaining term of the contract is estimated to be an increase of 14 approximately \$72,000 based on the current maximum tariff rate and the 15 proposed rates in Tennessee Gas Pipeline's rate case that are effective June 16 1, 2011 on a provisional basis, subject to refund. The change in receipt 17 meter will also eliminate the extended receipt service ("ERS") charge 18 previously paid to transport Stagecoach Storage or Marcellus Production to 19 NJNG's city gate. 20

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# HOW ARE MARCELLUS SHALE SUPPLIES AND MARKET AREA STORAGES BENEFITING THE BGSS CUSTOMERS?

A. Marcellus Shale is a natural gas supply formation extending from Ohio and 23 West Virginia northeast into Pennsylvania and southern New York. The 24

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Marcellus Shale production has provided significant supplies this past BGSS period and is expected to continue as a major supply source for the coming 2 BGSS period as well. Marcellus Shale production provides supply diversity 3 and price competition by providing market area alternatives to the traditional 4 Gulf Coast supplies and provides supply reliability requiring delivery via 5 short-haul pipeline transportation capacity. 6

The market area storage capacity contracted by NJNG provides an 7 economically efficient means for NJNG to manage its weather-sensitive 8 load. Specifically, the Company's storage entitlements make it possible for 9 NJNG to buy economically-priced gas at non-peak times, inject such gas 10 into storage, and then withdraw such gas in periods of high demand in lieu 11 of purchasing typically more-expensive flowing supplies. Such storage 12 enables NJNG to manage its intra-day load by moving gas in or out of 13 storage throughout the year. 14

Based on a projected winter period send-out of approximately 34.1 15 Bcf, the Company anticipates that the storage capacity will allow NJNG to 16 hedge up to 77 percent of its Periodic BGSS winter needs with storage 17 capacity/supply. By doing so, the Company will not be exposed to the 18 volatility in the daily winter cash market for the volumes the Company is 19 able to hedge. 20

#### Q. WHAT ADDITIONAL STEPS IS THE COMPANY TAKING NOW 21 TO HELP MAINTAIN PRICE STABILITY FOR THE UPCOMING 22 2011-2012 WINTER HEATING SEASON? 23

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A. In the normal course of the gas procurement function, NJNG's gas supply 1 team has already hedged approximately 67 percent of the projected winter 2 period send-out of approximately 34.1 Bcf with the 23 Bcf of fixed price 3 storage prices as part of the Storage Incentive ("SI") program positions in 4 place for this summer's injections. Another 10 percent of the normal 5 weather winter heating season requirements will be hedged by the end of the 6 2011 summer through the use of the fixed priced storage inventory that is 7 not part of the SI program. 8

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# V. <u>Periodic BGSS Pricing for October 2011</u>

# Q. WHAT PERIODIC BGSS PRICING CHANGES DOES THE COMPANY PROPOSE TO IMPLEMENT EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2011?

A. Through this filing, NJNG is proposing to decrease its pre-tax Periodic
 BGSS recovery price, effective October 1, 2011, from \$7.80 per dth to \$6.65
 per dth, an approximate 9.1 percent decrease to the overall bill of an average
 residential heating customer.

# 18 Q. HOW ARE GAS COSTS ACCOUNTED FOR IN THE PROJECTED 19 BGSS YEAR?

A. The Company is utilizing a Weighted Average Cost of Gas ("WACOG") accounting methodology for allocating gas costs to the BGSS on a monthly basis. The weighted average of all available supplies, including all storage inventory balances, all purchase and associated hedging costs, and all demand and pipeline delivery charges less all direct allocations are applied to the BGSS cost schedule based upon the Periodic BGSS sales volumes on a monthly basis. All costs not allocated each month are carried as an
 inventory balance.

3 Q. HOW ARE BGSS INCENTIVES AND MARGIN CREDITS
 4 INCLUDED IN THE CALCULATION OF THE BGSS PRICE?

Over the years, the collaborative efforts of the Board Staff, Rate Counsel and A. 5 the New Jersey local gas distribution companies have resulted in the 6 establishment of utility-specific BGSS incentive programs that have 7 mitigated both the impacts of commodity prices and the volatility in the 8 natural gas market for natural gas customers. On April 1, 2011, NJNG filed 9 for approval of a five-year extension of its current margin-sharing incentive 10 programs through October 31, 2016. The BGSS forecast in this filing 11 includes the BGSS incentives in Exhibits A and B as if they continue 12 through the 2012 BGSS period with their current Board-approved sharing 13 formulas. The Company's current BGSS incentive programs include the Off 14 System Sales ("OSS") and Capacity Release ("CR") programs, the Financial 15 Risk Management ("FRM") program, and the Storage Incentive ("SI") 16 program. 17

18 The margins generated from Interruptible Sales, Interruptible 19 Transport, Ocean Peaking Power transport, and the Sayreville and Forked 20 River electric generation sales are included as 100% credits to the BGSS 21 customers.

# Q. WHAT ARE THE IMPLICATIONS OF CURRENT MARKET VOLATILITY VERSUS THE CURRENT BGSS PRICING?

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A. If approved by the Board, the requested pre-tax Periodic BGSS rate of \$6.65 1 per dth continuing through the 2012 BGSS year would result in a BGSS 2 under-recovery of approximately \$5.6 million per Exhibit B, Schedule 1 at 3 current market conditions. However, a \$1 per dth drop in the NYMEX 4 futures prices would cause an approximate \$25.9 million change to the 5 September 30, 2012 balance, resulting in an over-recovered position of 6 approximately \$20.3 million. Conversely, a \$25.9 million change to the 7 September 30, 2012 balance from a \$1 per dth rise in the NYMEX futures 8 prices would result in an under-recovered position of approximately \$31.5 9 million. 10

The Generic BGSS pricing mechanism permits the Company to: (a) 11 self-implement two additional rate increases of up to 5 percent each, 12 effective December 1 and February 1 each year if necessary after 30 days 13 prior notice to the BPU Staff and Rate Counsel; or (b) implement a decrease 14 to its BGSS rate, a refund or bill credit at any time during the year upon five 15 days notice to BPU Staff and Rate Counsel. This pricing flexibility provides 16 a valuable safety net to mitigate potential rate shock to customers and helps 17 ensure that the Company's gas cost under-recoveries do not become 18 excessive during periods of market price increases. For example, if the 19 Company were to elect to implement the 5 percent increase effective 20 December 1, 2011, an additional \$22 million in BGSS recovery would be 21 generated. If, instead, the Company were to elect to implement the 5 percent 22 increase effective February 1, 2012, an additional \$13 million in BGSS 23 recovery would be generated in order to offset any under-recovery resulting 24

from a rise in market pricing. If the Company were to elect to implement
both 5 percent increases effective December 1, 2011 and February 1, 2012,
an additional \$36 million in BGSS recovery would be generated in order to
offset any under-recovery resulting from a rise in market pricing.

As market conditions change, NJNG will continue to manage the hedged positions and storage dispatch to minimize BGSS costs. The Company will continue to consider the utilization of bill credits, refunds and the self-implementing BGSS price adjustments to manage the projected September 2012 over/under recovery balance.

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# VI. MFR Supporting Data and Information

# Q. ARE YOU SPONSORING ANY EXHIBITS THAT ADDRESS THE MINIMUM FILING REQUIREMENTS ("MFRs") FOR ANNUAL BGSS FILINGS?

A. Yes. I am sponsoring Exhibit Nos. JSS-1 through JSS-4 (and related workpapers) that provide MFR supporting data and information as required by the Board pursuant to the Generic BGSS Order.

# 18 Q. HAS NJNG ENTERED INTO ANY GAS SUPPLY TRANSACTIONS 19 WITH AN AFFILIATE WITHIN THE PAST YEAR?

A. Yes. In a September 3, 2010 letter to BPU Staff and Rate Counsel, NJNG provided notice that it had entered into a pre-arranged release of 159,790 dth per day of Texas Eastern firm transportation capacity to NJRES at marketbased rates set annually, plus \$0.03 per dth and a related agreement whereby NJNG has the right and option to call upon NJRES to deliver gas supplies to 1

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NJNG at volumes up to 100 percent of the released TETCO capacity, on a monthly and daily basis at an indexed market price. These agreements are effective November 1, 2010 through October 31, 2014 and the release is included in Schedule 4f, Capacity Release, of Exhibits A and B, attached to this filing.

6 The Company also executed a release of 15,000 dth per day of firm 7 Texas Eastern firm transportation capacity, effective November 18, 2009 8 through October 31, 2010, to NJRES through posting and bidding 9 procedures in which NJRES was the winning bidder. This release is 10 included in Schedule 4f, Capacity Release, of Exhibit A.

Pursuant to the January 21, 2010 Order in the CIP extension 11 proceeding, NJNG released various amounts of firm transportation capacity 12 on the Iroquois Gas Transmission, Tennessee Gas Pipeline, Dominion 13 Transmission, Texas Eastern Transmission, and Transcontinental Gas 14 Pipeline systems to NJRES and can purchase commodity from them. In 15 addition, the Company released Stagecoach Storage capacity to NJRES and 16 the Company can buy the storage quantities at a ratable injection WACOG 17 price. Details regarding these CIP-related releases were included in Exhibit 18 E of the Stipulation for the CIP extension. These releases are not included in 19 Schedule 4f, Capacity Release, of Exhibits A and B; instead, the resulting 20 demand charge reductions are included in the net demand charges in 21 Schedule 2c of Exhibits A and B. 22

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# VII. Conclusion

# 2 Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE YOUR BGSS TESTIMONY.

NJNG's gas supply team was able to optimize the value of the Company's A. 3 gas supply, transportation and storage portfolio, hedge its gas costs, mitigate 4 the impact of high gas prices and provide its BGSS customers with reliable 5 services and price stability during a year of natural gas pricing volatility. 6 The Company will continue to focus on the mitigation of price volatility 7 through successful gas cost management activities, including the successful 8 optimization of storage injections, by hedging gas costs, and by engaging in 9 off-system sales and capacity release transactions during periods when that 10 capacity is not required to serve core customers. 11

The Company will also continue to monitor developments relating to the potential for increased Marcellus Shale production, and market-area storage opportunities in order to provide both supply reliability and price stability to its BGSS customers.

NJNG is requesting approval of the proposed pre-tax Periodic BGSS
 rate of \$6.65 per dth to be effective October 1, 2011. The Company will
 continue to consider utilization of bill credits, refunds and the self implementing price adjustments to manage its projected September 2012
 over/under recovery balance.

# 21 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?

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# JSS Exhibits

Exhibit JSS-1, schedule 1:	Projected gas supplies by month to meet demand requirements
Exhibit JSS-1, schedule 2:	Projected cost of gas for the forecast period
Exhibit JSS-2:	Dates of service interruptions, the service categories affected, the number of customers affected, and whether each interruption was operational or economic in nature.
Exhibit JSS-3:	The five highest demand days for each of the last three years
Exhibit JSS-4:	Summary of the major FERC proceedings in which NJNG has participated that would affect the cost or service NJNG receives from its pipeline suppliers

## NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY DEMAND AND SUPPLY SUMMARY

Exhibit JSS-1 Schedule 1

	Sales	CoUse	Storage				C	Customer	
Mdth	Demand	& UFG	Injections	Required	Purchases	Withdrawals	LNG	Gas	Sendout
May-11	3,385	17	3,433	6,834	5,911	0	17	906	6,834
Jun-11	3,603	11	3,420	7,033	6,113	0	18	902	7,033
Jul-11	3,581	11	3,432	7,024	5,956	0	17	1,051	7,024
Aug-11	3,298	10	3,433	6,742	5,698	0	17	1,027	6,742
Sep-11	2,274	10	3,300	5,585	4,823	0	18	744	5,585
Oct-11	4,998	22	803	5,823	4,817	0	18	988	5,823
Nov-11	9,912	41	0	9,953	6,734	1,746	16	1,458	9,953
Dec-11	14,632	68	0	14,700	6,511	6,004	78	2,107	14,700
Jan-12	17,066	81	0	17,147	7,879	6,634	250	2,384	17,147
Feb-12	15,672	71	0	15,742	7,366	6,188	77	2,111	15,742
Mar-12	13,403	57	0	13,460	7,496	4,168	17	1,779	13,460
Apr-12	6,390	31	3,224	9,646	8,439	0	17	1,190	9,646
May-12	4,390	17	3,684	8,091	7,162	0	17	912	8,091
Jun-12	3,773	11	3,565	7,349	6,422	0	18	908	7,349
Jul-12	3,993	11	3,684	7,688	6,615	0	17	1,056	7,688
Aug-12	3,941	11	3,684	7,636	6,587	0	17	1,033	7,636
Sep-12	3,599	11	3,565	7,175	6,407	0	18	750	7,175

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#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY GAS SUPPLY AND COST SUMMARY

	Algonquin	Columbia T	ennessee	Transco	TETCO FT	TET-TIME2	TE X127	NJRES Call	NJRES Storage	Dominion	IRQ-Winter	Hedged	PSEG	Other	Demand	Injections	Withdrawals	LNG	Total
	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	\$000	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth	Mdth
May-11	0	0	330	122	872	2,855	1,042	0	0	0	0	0	0	689	0	(3,433)	0	17	2,495
Jun-11	0	0	320	118	771	2,522	920	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,463	0	(3,420)	0	18	2,711
Jul-11	0	0	330	122	773	2,532	924	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,274	0	(3,432)	0	17	2,541
Aug-11	0	0	330	122	769	2,516	918	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,042	0	(3,433)	0	17	2,282
Sep-11	0	0	320	118	746	2,442	891	0	0	0	0	0	0	307	0	(3,300)	0	18	1,541
Oct-11	93	74	330	122	468	1,530	558	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,641	0	(803)	0	18	4,032
Nov-11	90	72	0	118	394	1,291	471	194	115	180	98	0	0	3,711	0	0	1,746	16	8,496
Dec-11	205	155	0	122	91	300	109	200	368	558	161	0	0	4,242	0	0	6,004	78	12,593
Jan-12	305	260	0	122	141	463	169	351	466	756	170	0	1	4,674	0	0	6,634	250	14,763
Feb-12	191	145	0	114	99	325	118	187	407	696	151	0	0	4,932	0	0	6,188	77	13,631
Mar-12	112	74	0	122	286	935	341	200	275	248	102	0	0	4,801	0	0	4,168	17	11,681
Apr-12	108	72	320	118	917	3,000	1,095	0	0	240	0	0	0	2,570	0	(3,224)	0	17	5,232
May-12	0	0	330	122	923	3,018	1,101	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,667	0	(3,684)	0	17	3,494
Jun-12	0	0	320	118	800	2,617	955	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,613	0	(3,565)	0	18	2,875
Jul-12	0	0	330	122	822	2,691	982	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,667	0	(3,684)	0	17	2,947
Aug-12	0	0	330	122	817	2,674	976	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,667	0	(3,684)	0	17	2,919
Sep-12	0	0	320	118	797	2,608	952	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,613	0	(3,565)	0	18	2,860

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	Algonquin	Columbia	Tennessee	Transco	TETCO FT	TET-TIME2	TE X127	NJRES Call N	JRES Storage	Dominion	IRQ-Winter	Hedged	PSEG	Other	Demand	Injections	Withdrawals	LNG	Total
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	
May-11	0	0	1,596	566	4,146	13,265	4,926	0	0	0	0	1,298	0	2,745	7,913	(16,979)	0	179	19,655
Jun-11	0	0	1,480	532	3,555	11,375	4,218	0	0	0	0	1,945	0	5,888	8,003	(17,053)	0	189	20,130
Jul-11	0	0	1,559	557	3,614	11,570	4,295	0	0	0	0	1,980	0	5,095	7,978	(17,353)	0	179	19,474
Aug-11	0	0	1,574	562	3,630	11,606	4,308	0	0	0	0	2,009	0	4,058	7,978	(17,531)	0	179	18,374
Sep-11	0	0	1,530	547	3,536	11,318	4,199	0	0	0	0	2,008	0	1,038	8,003	(17,337)	0	189	15,032
Oct-11	454	363	1,598	571	2,244	7,166	2,660	0	0	0	0	2,122	0	7,982	8,039	(5,911)	0	180	27,468
Nov-11	455	364	0	573	1,956	6,266	2,326	997	547	929	509	0	0	17,655	7,838	0	8,902	160	49,477
Dec-11	1,099	828	0	619	480	1,585	572	1,222	1,748	3,042	871	0	0	22,329	7,790	0	30,611	781	73,577
Jan-12	1,678	1,421	0	634	761	2,502	906	2,280	2,215	4,222	937	0	5	25,918	7,757	0	33,823	2,504	87,564
Feb-12	1,051	791	0	592	533	1,753	632	1,217	1,932	3,877	831	0	0	27,097	7,818	0	31,549	771	80,443
Mar-12	605	401	0	625	1,519	4,984	1,800	1,145	1,305	1,365	555	0	0	24,824	7,726	0	21,251	170	68,274
Apr-12	562	374	1,648	589	4,683	14,965	5,561	0	0	1,273	0	0	0	13,611	7,385	(16,545)	0	170	34,277
May-12	0	0	1,711	611	4,740	15,127	5,622	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,107	7,337	(19,017)	0	170	25,408
Jun-12	0	0	1,669	596	4,139	13,223	4,914	0	0	0	0	0	0	8,881	7,385	(18,591)	0	180	22,397
Jul-12	0	0	1,741	622	4,295	13,723	5,103	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,258	7,337	(19,387)	0	170	22,863
Aug-12	0	0	1,750	625	4,291	13,705	5,098	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,303	7,337	(19,487)	0	170	22,793
Sep-12	0	0	1,697	606	4,191	13,391	4,979	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,019	7,385	(18,889)	0	180	22,559

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	Algonquin	Columbia	Tennessee	Transco	TETCO FT	TET-TIME2	TE X127	NJRES Call	NJRES Storage	Dominion	IRQ-Winter	Hedged	PSEG	Other	Demand	Injections	Withdrawals	LNG	Total
	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	\$/dth	
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May-11			4.8308	4.6462	4.7529	4.6461	4.7251							3.9840		4.9461		10.5185	7.8771
Jun-11			4.6283	4.5088	4.6118	4.5102	4.5846							4.0249		4.9867		10.5185	7.4241
Jul-11			4.7197	4.5686	4.6732	4.5693	4.6458							3.9991		5.0555		10.5185	7.6649
Aug-11			4.7650	4.6126	4.7184	4.6129	4.6908							3.8943		5.1062		10.5185	8.0522
Sep-11			4.7877	4.6346	4.7411	4.6347	4.7133							3.3833		5.2528		10.5185	9.7565
Oct-11	4.8776	4.8780	4.8384	4.6839	4.7917	4.6834	4.7638							4.8651		7.3610		10.0151	6.8124
Nov-11	5.0569	5.0572		4.8559	4.9683	4.8536	4.9397	5.1470	4.7503	5.1594	5.1741			4.7579			5.0985	10.0151	5.8239
Dec-11	5.3721	5.3387		5.0813	5.2551	5.2841	5.2222	6.1020	4.7503	5.4515	5.4087			5.2645			5.0985	10.0151	5.8427
Jan-12	5.5009	5.4666		5.2029	5.3814	5.4044	5.3479	6.4980	4.7503	5.5823	5.5268		5.3814	5.5445			5.0985	10.0151	5.9312
Feb-12	5.4887	5.4544		5.1914	5.3694	5.3930	5.3360	6.4970	4.7503	5.5699	5.5156			5.4941			5.0985	10.0151	5.9016
Mar-12	5.4221	5.3883		5.1285	5.3041	5.3307	5.2710	5.7170	4.7503	5.5022	5.4545			5.1712			5.0985	10.0151	5.8450
Apr-12	5.1991	5.1992	5.1556	4.9922	5.1083	4.9884	5.0792			5.3047				5.2965		5.1313		10.0151	6.5516
May-12			5.1804	5.0163	5.1331	5.0123	5.1039							5.4647		5.1617		10.0151	7.2715
Jun-12			5.2225	5.0572	5.1751	5.0527	5.1457							5.5067		5.2141		10.0151	7.7913
Jul-12			5.2710	5.1043	5.2235	5.0994	5.1940							5.5551		5.2621		10.0151	7.7573
Aug-12			5.2980	5.1306	5.2505	5.1253	5.2208							5.5821		5.2891		10.0151	7.8080
Sep-12			5.3077	5.1400	5.2602	5.1347	5.2305							5.5918		5.2978		10.0151	7.8887

# New Jersey Natural Gas Company Historical Service Interruptions for BGSS Year 2011 (MFR#10)

Tariff Condition	Period	Applicable Service Classes	# of cust	Reason(s)
Interruption	1/13/11	Interruptible Transportation & Interruptible Sales	40	Operational
	1/21/11 - 1/24/11	Interruptible Transportation & Interruptible Sales	40	Operational
Daily Balancing <sup>1</sup>	1/14/11	Interruptible Transportation	40	Operational & Economic
	2/3/2011	Interruptible Transportation	40	Operational & Economic
	2/9/11 - 2/10/11	Interruptible Transportation	40	Operational & Economic

<sup>1</sup> Daily Balancing is a tariff provision that allows interruptible transportation customers to continue to use gas service provided that their third party supplier delivers the amount they are burning. Any usage beyond the delivery level is billed at penalty rates.
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#### NORTHERN DIVISION

CENTRAL DIVISION

Month	Day	Texas Eastern	Algonquin	Tennessee	Columbia	NORTH	Texas Eastern	Transco	NJNG LNG	CENTRAL	TOTAL SENDOUT	Interruptible	Electric Generation	FIRM SENDOUT	NOAA DEGREE DAYS
Jan'11	23	31,701	12,166	35,949	9,851	89,667	382,635	41,377	75,065	499,077	588,744	10	18,968	569,766	47
Jan'11	22	25,609	11,944	35,830	9,848	83,231	392,488	41,414	65,928	499,830	583,061	0	28,146	554,915	47
Dec'10	14	39,023	9,493	29,607	4,949	83,072	428,441	30,009	1,026	459,476	542,548	13,157	21,122	508,269	42
Jan'11	24	24,708	11,904	35,808	9,817	82,237	389,757	41,438	4,125	435,320	517,557	11	25,939	491,606	41
Dec'10	16	31,070	7,981	32,738	3,956	75,745	383,996	21,938	20,698	426,632	502,377	11,450	19,233	471,694	41
Jan'10	2	40,474	5,302	35,784	2,506	84,066	443,832	30,650	13,305	487,787	571,853	6,625	26,708	538,520	41
Jan'10	3	44,189	5,810	35,702	2,532	88,233	405,918	30,689	36,250	472,857	561,090	7,588	214	553,288	41
Jan'10	30	38,031	5,967	35,781	4,882	84,661	361,797	33,936	67,893	463,626	548,287	0	0	548,287	47
Dec'09	29	38,094	7,015	37,933	2,511	85,553	369,766	49,884	41,701	461,351	546,904	7,483	0	539,421	42
Jan'10	29	38,887	5,971	35,747	4,841	85,446	346,658	33,409	79,315	459,382	544,828	0	0	544,828	44
Jan'09	16	37,884	13,867	35,704	9,569	97,024	463,614	33,607	33,951	531,172	628,196	0	167	628,029	53
Jan'09	15	29,171	13,731	35,772	9,583	88,257	429,348	33,595	12,234	475,177	563,434	0	209	563,225	47
Feb'09	5	30,466	12,881	31,782	9,695	84,824	391,355	29,127	42,183	462,665	547,489	1	0	547,488	46
Dec'08	22	33,925	9,047	32,812	4,882	80,666	378,562	37,328	31,962	447,852	528,518	0	0	528,518	43
Mar'09	2	30,207	12,855	35,730	5,733	84,525	328,365	35,996	77,403	441,764	526,289	2,587	0	523,702	46

#### FISCAL YEAR 2011 STATUS OF NJNG INTERVENTIONS ON ALL PIPELINES

#### **ALGONQUIN**

Filing Dat	e Docket	<b>Order Date/Status</b>	<b>Type of Intervention</b>	Description of Filing
10/19/10	RP11-1414-	Accepted	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Annual Fuel Filing
	000	November 30,	for NJNG – W.S. filed	
		2010 Order		
12/8/10	RP11-1605-	January 7, 2011	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Changes to Section 26 of GTC
	000	Order – January	for NJNG – W.S. filed	for targeted OFO backed by
		31, 2011 Order		penalty authority
3/31/11	RP11-1943-	Accepted April 13,	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Gas Quality Compliance Filing
	000	2011 Order	for NJNG – W.S. filed	RP07-504

#### ANR

Filing Dat	e Docket	Order Date/Status	Type of Intervention	Description of Filing
04/29/11	RP11-2057-	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Annual Cashout Surcharge
	000		for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing

#### **COLUMBIA GAS**

Filing Date	e Docket	Order Date/Status	Type of Intervention	Description of Filing
11/15/10	RP11-1529-	Accepted	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Credit Annex Filing
	000	December 15, 2010	for NJNG – W.S. filed	
		Order		
12/20/10	RP11-1638-	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Penalty Revenue Crediting
	000	-	for NJNG – W.S. filed	Report for 2010
12/28/10	RP11-1655-	Accepted January	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Annual Environmental Rate
	000	25, 2011 Order	for NJNG – W.S. filed	Adjustment Filing

#### **COLUMBIA GULF**

Filing Dat	e Docket	Order Date/Status	<b>Type of Intervention</b>	Description of Filing
10/01/10	RP11-24-000	October 28, 2010 Order Accepting & Suspending Tariff Sections Subject to Refund and	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing to implement a new firm daily delivery point scheduling service under Rate Schedule SVS (Scheduling Variance Service).
		Conditions and Further Review – February 2, 2011		

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10/21/10	CP11-13-000	Order on Tariff Proposal and Consolidating Proceedings - Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing to abandon certain offshore facilities – this may come up in section 4 rate case
10/21/10	CP11-14-000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing to abandon certain facilities – this may come up in section 4 rate case
10/28/10	RP11-1435- 000	November 30, 2010 Order Accepting and Suspending Tariff Records Subject to Refund and Establishing Hearing Procedures and a Technical Conference - February 2, 2011 Order on Tariff Proposal and Consolidating Proceedings -	Intervention, Protest, Request for Evidentiary Hearing & Maximum Statutory Suspension for NJNG – W.S. filed	General Section 4 Rate Case Filing

#### DTI / CNG

Filing Dat	e Docket	Order Date/Status	<b>Type of Intervention</b>	Description of Filing
10/01/10	RP11-13-000	Accepted October 28, 2010 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	DTI service agreements reported as non-conforming that may materially deviate from the pro forma Form of Service Agreement in DTI's FERC Gas Tariff, including NJNG FTNN Contract 100034
11/18/10	CP11-39-000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Northeast Expansion Project for 200,000 dt/day to Transco Leidy Interconnect
11/19/10	CP11-41-000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing to lease 150,000 dts capacity to Tennessee – Ellisburg to Craig Project - tied to CP11-30
11/23/10	CP11-42-000	March 24, 2011 Order Authorizing Change of Jurisdictional Status	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Refunctionalize TL-404 Hastings pipe from transmission to gathering
12/14/10	CP11-53-000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing for authorization to amend the Certificate to reflect backhaul entitlements on their jointly owned facilities

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1/10/11	RP11-1695- 000	Accepted February 11, 2011 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Gas Quality Filing related to Tetco RP10-30 Gas Quality Settlement
1/14/11	RP11-1706- 000	Accepted February 4, 2011 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing to permit different contract quantities over the term of a Service Agreement

#### **TRANSCO**

Filing Date	e Docket	Order Date/Status	Type of Intervention	Description of Filing
10/29/10	CP11-18-000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Mid- South Expansion Project
			for NJNG – W.S. filed	
11/12/10	CP11-31-000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Mid-Atlantic Connector
			for NJNG – W.S. filed	Expansion Project – requesting
				roll-in to system-wide rates
11/18/10	CP11-38-000	December 17, 2010	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Amend Certificate in Leidy to
		Order Amending	for NJNG – W.S. filed	Long Island Project & Increase
		Certificate		HP at Station 207
1/20/11	RP11-1714-	February 28, 2011	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Revise provisions of Sec 7,
	000	Order – April 12,	for NJNG – W.S. filed	Payments of the GT&C to
		2011 Order		include a new Sec 39
				Adjustments to Prior Gas Day
				Scheduled Quantities and PDAs,
				to describe the procedures regarding the processing of
				requests for PPAs to gas
				quantities and to revise Sec 18
				and 28 of the GT&C and Rate
				Schedule Pooling
1/28/11	RP11-1736-	Accepted March 3,	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Revise Sections 2 & 18 of GTC
1/20/11	000	2011 Order	for NJNG – W.S. filed	that address allocation of
				measured quantities at non-
				pipeline interconnects and
				unauthorized daily overruns
04/08/11	RP11-1984-	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Revisions to Sec. 25.2 Monthly
	000		for NJNG – W.S. filed	Imbalance Resolution & Sec. 35
				Standards
04/14/11	RP11-2005-	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Filing to Revise Sec 2 & 18 of
	000		for NJNG – W.S. filed	the GTC (allocation procedures)
04/21/11	RP11-2023-	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention	Annual Adjustment to Rate
	000		for NJNG – W.S. filed	Schedule SS-2 Storage Gas
				Balances

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#### <u>TENNESSEE</u>

Filing Date	e Docket	Order Date/Status	Type of Intervention	Description of Filing
10/04/10	RP11-33-000	Accepted October 25, 2010 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Tariff modifications to allow more flexibility regarding the timing of open seasons for existing capacity
10/28/10	RP95-112-029	November 15, 2010 Order Granting Motion to Amend Settlement	Intervention with Comments in Support for NJNG – W.S. filed	TGP Petition to Amend RP95- 112 Settlement regarding filing obligation for FT-Lite Service
11/01/10	RP11-1484- 000	December 1, 2010 Order Accepting Tariff Record	Intervention & Protest for NJNG filed Jointly with National Grid and National Fuel – Ken Maloney of Cullen & Dykman filed	Scheduled Maintenance Time Period and Notice Modification Filing
11/12/10	CP11-30-000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Increase pipeline capacity by 250,000 dt/day & lease capacity from DTI (CP11-41)
11/29/10	RP11-1544- 000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	2010 Cashout Report
11/30/10	RP11-1566- 000	Pending	Intervention, Protest, Request for Evidentiary Hearing & Maximum Statutory Suspension for NJNG – W.S. filed	General Section 4 rate case filing
12/3/10	RP11-1597- 000 & CP11- 44-000 & CP11-47-000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Interventions in each for NJNG – W.S. filed PLUS Comments in Support of Northeast Customer Group filed by Fred Peters	Application for Abandonment & Request for Approval of Offer of Settlement ("SAM" Facilities)
12/15/10	CP11-52-000	March 24, 2011 Order Approving Abandonment	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Abandon by Sale to Tauber Pipeline 3 supply laterals in South Texas
3/31/11	RP11-1942- 000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Gas Quality & Interchangeability Filing
03/31/11	CP11-161-000 & PF10-23- 000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Northeast Upgrade Project
04/29/11	RP11-2066- 000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	First Quarterly Fuel Tracker

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Filing Date	e Docket	Order Date/Status	Type of Intervention	Description of Filing
10/15/10	RP11-70-000	Accepted November 4, 2010 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	TEMAX & TIME 3 Negotiated Rate Agreements (Non- Conforming)
10/22/10	RP11-1428- 000	Accepted November 29, 2010 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Annual ASA Fuel Filing
10/25/10	RP11-1430- 000	Accepted November 23, 2010 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Capacity Reservation Filing
10/29/10	RP11-1466- 000	Accepted November 22, 2010 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Annual PCB Filing
12/14/10	CP11-53-000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing for authorization to amend the Certificate to reflect backhaul entitlements on their jointly owned facilities
12/20/10	CP11-56-000 & PF10-17- 000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	NY-NJ Expansion Project - Certificate Filing for 800,000 dt/day expansion into NYC
12/20/10	RP11-1632- 000	Accepted Subject to Conditions January 31, 2011 Order – March 4, 2011 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing for Hourly Flow Flexibility at Points of Delivery
12/30/10	RP11-1669- 000	Accepted January 26, 2011 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Semi-Annual EPC Filing
1/7/11	RP11-1691- 000	Accepted January 28, 2011 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Storage Point MDDOs & MDROs Filing
1/21/11	RP11-1717- 000 withdrawn substituted with RP11- 1755-000 on 2/1/11	Pending	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	RP10-30 Gas Quality Compliance Filing
1/25/11	CP11-67-000 & PF10-21- 000	Pending	Plain Vanilla Interventions for NJNG - W.S. filed	TEAM 2012 Project for 190,000 dts/day Clarington, Ohio and Appalachian Area to interconnects in central and eastern Pennsylvania (\$204.5 mm)
3/7/11	RP11-1872- 000	Accepted April 5, 2011 Order	Plain Vanilla Intervention for NJNG – W.S. filed	Filing to implement a new No- Notice service option under Rate Schedule FT-1

#### NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY

#### DIRECT TESTIMONY AND EXHIBITS OF

#### TINA M. SINKS

#### **MANAGER - REGULATORY AFFAIRS**

#### IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY FOR THE ANNUAL REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) AND REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) FACTORS FOR F/Y 2012 BPU DOCKET NO. GR1106\_\_\_\_ Direct Testimony of Tina M. Sinks

#### I. <u>Introduction</u>

### 2 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, AFFILIATION AND BUSINESS 3 ADDRESS?

A. My name is Tina M. Sinks and I am Manager, Regulatory Affairs for
New Jersey Natural Gas Company (the "Company" or "NJNG"). My
business address is 1415 Wyckoff Road, Wall, New Jersey 07719.

### 7 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR EDUCATION AND BUSINESS 8 EXPERIENCE.

I received a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting with a minor in
 Mathematics from the University of Richmond in 1993. Furthermore, I am a
 Certified Public Accountant in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

12I was employed by the Virginia State Corporation Commission as an13auditor within the Public Utility Accounting Department from July 1993 to14May 1996.

In May 1996, I accepted a position as a Rate and Regulatory Analyst with NJNG in the Energy Services Department and held that position until January 1997 when I assumed the responsibilities as a Gas Planning Analyst, also in the Energy Services Department. In July 2002, I accepted the position of Senior Regulatory Affairs Analyst in the Regulatory Affairs Department of NJNG. In January 2007, I was promoted to my current position of Manager, Regulatory Affairs.

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### Q. WHAT ARE YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES AS MANAGER OF REGULATORY AFFAIRS?

A. I am responsible for preparing and supporting Company rate and tariff
matters submitted to the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (the "Board"
or "BPU"), including the Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS") and
Conservation Incentive Program ("CIP") filing. I am also involved in the
daily operations of the Regulatory Affairs Department including rates,
tariffs, SEC reporting and related matters.

# 10Q.HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY TESTIFIED IN REGULATORY11PROCEEDINGS?

A. Yes. In addition to supporting and testifying in regulatory
 proceedings during my tenure with the Virginia State Corporation
 Commission, I have filed testimony on behalf of NJNG in several prior
 proceedings.

### Q. WHAT ARE YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES WITH RESPECT TO THIS PROCEEDING?

A. By way of this testimony, I am supporting the following sections of the filing: (1) background of previous BGSS and CIP proceeding; (2) BGSS projections and proposed price to be effective October 1, 2011; (3) CIP prices to be effective as of October 1, 2011; (4) Balancing Charge to be effective as of October 1, 2011; (5) miscellaneous items related to the Company's last rate case proceeding; and (6) the impact to customers of the proposed price changes.

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#### II. Background from Prior Filings

### Q. PLEASE BRIEFLY SUMMARIZE THE OUTCOME OF THE LAST GENERIC BGSS PROCEEDING.

As a result of the BPU Order issued January 17, 2002 following the A. 5 Gas Policy Group discussions in Docket No. GX01050304, new BGSS 6 pricing mechanisms were approved by the Board ("Generic BGSS Order"). 7 Pursuant to the Generic BGSS Order, the Board authorized the 8 implementation of a Periodic BGSS pricing mechanism for all New Jersey 9 natural gas utilities that permits up to three price increases each year as 10 described below and price decreases, rate credits, or refunds at any time 11 during the year with five days written notice to the BPU Staff and the New 12 Jersey Division of Rate Counsel ("Rate Counsel"). Through this 13 mechanism, any initial price change requested, after notice and hearing, is 14 based on an annual BGSS filing submitted in June of each year with rates to 15 be effective October 1 of the year filed. Two additional provisional and self-16 implementing price increases are permitted, if needed by the Company, on 17 the subsequent December 1 and February 1, after thirty days prior notice to 18 the BPU Staff and Rate Counsel. Each self-implementing increase cannot 19 exceed a maximum of five percent of the total average residential heating 20 customer's bill. 21

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### Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE THE OUTCOME OF THE COMPANY'S LAST BGSS AND CIP PROCEEDING.

A. In June 2010, NJNG filed a petition requesting that the BPU approve
 NJNG's annual filing for the BGSS year of October 1, 2010 through
 September 30, 2011. That petition requested that the BPU approve a

decrease in NJNG's periodic BGSS rate of \$0.0482 per therm after-tax, 1 thereby decreasing NJNG's BGSS after-tax rate of \$0.8828 per therm to 2 \$0.8346 per therm. The petition also requested an increase to the after-tax 3 per therm balancing charge from \$0.0789 to \$0.0886. The Company also 4 requested modification of its CIP rates and the WNC rate for fiscal year 5 Specifically, the petition requested that the BPU approve the 2011. 6 implementation of after-tax per therm CIP factors of (\$0.0033) for Group I 7 Residential Non-Heat customers, \$0.0179 for Group II Residential Heat 8 customers, \$0.0339 for Group III General Service - Small commercial 9 customers, and \$0.0278 for Group IV General Service - Large commercial 10 customers, effective as of October 1, 2010. The petition also requested the 11 after-tax per therm WNC factor of \$0.0001 be eliminated effective January 12 1, 2011 and that any remaining WNC over or underrecovery balance be 13 transferred as of that date to the Company's BGSS balance. In September 14 2010, the BPU approved the BGSS prices on a provisional basis effective 15 September 16, 2010, the balancing charge and CIP prices on a provisional 16 basis effective October 1, 2010, and the requested WNC modifications. The 17 net impact of the price changes to a residential heat customer using 100 18 therms per month was a 2.8 percent decrease. 19

In accordance with the September approval, the Company eliminated the WNC rate as of January 1, 2011 and transferred the remaining WNC balance of \$867.29 to the BGSS balance. This transfer is reflected as a miscellaneous adjustment in Schedules 1 and 5 of Exhibit A to the Petition of this filing.

The BGSS, CIP, and balancing rates were approved by the Board on a final basis on April 27, 2011.

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1		III. <u>BGSS Projections</u>
2	Q.	WHAT IS THE COMPANY'S CURRENT PROJECTION FOR THE
3		BGSS BALANCE AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2011?
4	А.	Exhibit A to the Petition, which provides the details of the Company's
5		BGSS for the period October 1, 2010 through September 30, 2011, shows
6		that the estimated BGSS ending balance will be approximately \$4.5 million
7		over-recovered as of September 30, 2011.
8	Q.	WHAT IS THE COMPANY'S CURRENT PROJECTION FOR THE
9		BGSS BALANCE AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2012?
10	А.	Exhibit B to the Petition, which provides the details of the Company's
11		projections for the period October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012
12		based upon May 10, 2011 NYMEX pricing, where applicable, shows that
13		the estimated BGSS ending balance will be approximately \$5.6 million
14		under-recovered as of September 30, 2012. Should market conditions
15		change, the Company will continue to consider utilization of the self-
16		implementing BGSS price increases or decreases, credits or refunds.
17	Q.	WHAT IS THE PROPOSED PERIODIC BGSS PRICE FOR THIS
18		FILING?
19	A.	The Company proposes to decrease the current pre-tax periodic BGSS
20		price of \$0.7800 per therm to \$0.6650 as of October 1, 2011. If approved,
21		the current after-tax price of \$0.8346 per therm will decrease by \$0.1230 to
22		\$0.7116 per therm. The impact to NJNG's customers is discussed in Section
23		VII of this testimony.
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1		IV. <u>Conservation Incentive Program ("CIP")</u>
2	Q.	PLEASE DESCRIBE THE RATE STRUCTURE OF THE
3		CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM ("CIP").
4	А.	Approved by the Board in Docket No. GR05121020 in a December
5		12, 2006 Order and extended in its January 21, 2010 Order ("CIP Orders"),
6		the CIP rate mechanism provides a rate adjustment related to changes in the
7		average use per customer when compared to a pre-established benchmark
8		allowing NJNG to encourage customers to conserve energy. The Testimony
9		of Anne-Marie Peracchio within this filing describes the programs NJNG
10		has implemented to encourage customers to conserve energy along with the
11		results of those programs. Pursuant to the Company's Tariff approved in the
12		Board's October 3, 2008 Order within the Company's last base rate case
13		proceeding in Docket No. GR07110889 ("Rate Case Order"), the CIP is
14		applicable to each of the following customer groups:
15		• Group I – Residential Non-Heat
16		• Group II – Residential Heat
17		• Group III – General Service - Small
18		• Group IV – General Service - Large
19		Pursuant to the CIP Orders, the margin deficiency or excess for each
20		group is calculated each month by subtracting the baseline usage per
21		customer according to the Company's Tariff from the actual usage per
22		customer and multiplying the resulting therms by the number of customers
23		and the allowed margin recovery per therm. The October 2010 through
24		September 2011 CIP margin deficiency/excess calculations for each group.

24 September 2011 CIP margin deficiency/excess calculations for each group, 25 with actual data through April 2011 and projected data for the remaining 26 five months, are included as Exhibit C, Schedules 1 through 4 to the 27 Petition.

#### Tina M. Sinks

### Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE BGSS SAVINGS TEST AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE CIP ORDERS.

NJNG must achieve a level of BGSS savings greater than or equal to A. 3 the non-weather related reductions in usage in order to recover the full 4 margin deficiency associated with those reductions. To determine the non-5 weather margin deficiency, the Company has calculated the weather related 6 margin deficiency on Exhibit C, Schedule 5 to the Petition in accordance 7 with the heating degree days and consumption factors included in the CIP 8 Tariff. Exhibit C, Schedule 6 to the Petition demonstrates that the estimated 9 margin related to the non-weather change in customer usage is \$8.6 million. 10

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### HAS THE COMPANY MET THE BGSS SAVINGS TEST CRITERIA AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE CIP ORDERS?

Per Exhibit E of the Stipulation approved in the January 21, A. Yes. 13 2010 CIP Order, NJNG released capacity which results in annual demand 14 charge savings of approximately \$5.5 million for the October 2011 through 15 September 2012 annual period. As agreed to in the 2011 Final Stipulation 16 by BPU Staff, Rate Counsel and the Company and approved by the Board 17 on April 27, 2011, NJNG has generated additional BGSS savings of 18 \$217,305 for CIP purposes beginning in fiscal year 2012 by not renewing a 19 contract for 10,000 dekatherms per day of winter-season-only firm 20 transportation capacity on Dominion Transmission, Inc., that expired on 21 March 31, 2011. Additionally, on March 22, 2011, NJNG sent notification 22 23 to BPU Staff and Rate Counsel that nearly \$8 million of additional savings was generated by not renewing a contract for 30,000 dekatherms per day of 24 25 firm transportation capacity on Texas Eastern Transmission, L.P., effective November 1, 2011. For fiscal year 2012, \$7.3 million of this Texas Eastern 26 capacity is included as BGSS savings. The combined BGSS savings from 27

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the January 2010 CIP Order, the Dominion capacity and the Texas Eastern capacity total \$13.1 million for the October 2011 through September 2012 CIP recovery period. Since the non-weather portion of \$8.6 million is less than the total BGSS savings of \$13.1 million, the Company has met the BGSS savings test.

#### Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE CIP RETURN ON EQUITY ("ROE") 6 TEST. 7

Based on the Tariff approved in the Rate Case Order, NJNG cannot A. 8 recover any portion of its margin deficiency that will cause the Company to 9 earn in excess of a 10.3 percent return on common equity for the annual 10 period of the CIP year. Additionally, any portion of the margin deficiency 11 which is not recoverable shall not be deferred for future recovery. Exhibit 12 C, Schedule 7 to the Petition includes the calculation of the ROE test with 13 actual data for the six months ended March 2011 and estimated data for the 14 six months ended September 2011 and shows that the estimated ROE for the 15 2010-2011 CIP year is 9.97 percent. Therefore, since the estimated ROE of 16 9.97 percent is less than the 10.3 percent ceiling, NJNG is entitled to fully 17 recover its CIP deficiency. 18

#### **Q**. PLEASE DESCRIBE HOW CIP RATES ARE DETERMINED AND 19 WHAT CIP RATES THE COMPANY IS PROPOSING. 20

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The CIP surcharge or credit for each group is determined by dividing A. the eligible aggregate margin deficiency or excess, adjusted for any under or over recovery of prior period CIP collection, by the forecasted annual usage of each group for October 2011 to September 2012. The following table shows the existing after-tax rates, proposed after-tax rates and change for each CIP Group: 26

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		<u>Group</u> Group I	Group <u>Description</u> Residential Non-Heat	Existing Charge/ (Credit) <u>per therm</u> (\$0.0033)	Proposed Charge/ (Credit) <u>per therm</u> \$0.0255	Increase/ (Decrease) <u>per therm</u> \$0.0288
		Group II	Residential Heat	\$0.0179	\$0.0066	(\$0.0113)
		Group III	General Service - Small	\$0.0339	\$0.0464	\$0.0125
		Group IV	General Service - Large	\$0.0278	\$0.0391	\$0.0113
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3		above propo	osed rates consistent with	the other prop	osed changes	in this
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5 6	Q.	DOES TI	V. <u>Balancin</u> HE COMPANY PROP	n <u>g Charge</u> OSE A CH	HANGE TO	) ITS
7		BALANCI	NG CHARGE?			
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8	A.	Yes. adjusted in	Pursuant to the Rate Case	SS filing and is	subject to rev	view as
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deducted from the BGSS charge in order to provide a BGSS "Price-to Compare."

#### VI. <u>Miscellaneous</u>

# Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE PIPELINE INTEGRITY MANAGEMENT ("PIM") REQUIREMENTS FROM THE COMPANY'S LAST RATE CASE AS IT RELATES TO BGSS.

A. Pursuant to the Rate Case Order, the Company included in base rates 7 an annual amount of \$1.4 million for Operation and Maintenance ("O&M") 8 costs associated with PIM regulations and compliance. Effective October 1, 9 2008, the Company is to record, as either a deferred regulatory asset or 10 liability, the difference between the amount included in base rates and the 11 actual PIM O&M costs incurred. NJNG cannot charge the deferred asset for 12 greater than \$700,000 in any year. Additionally, NJNG must reflect any 13 regulatory liability in its entirety, and if the accumulated PIM deferral 14 balance results in a liability greater than \$1 million, the Company is to 15 reflect the full reduction in rates in the next annual BGSS filing as a credit to 16 gas costs. The accumulated deferral is to be tracked and reported in the 17 Company's annual BGSS filing. 18

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#### Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN THE PIM RESULTS.

20 A. As shown on Exhibit TMS-1, the Company has incurred nearly \$2.1 million of PIM expenses for the twelve months ended September 30, 2010 21 22 resulting in a deferred regulatory asset of \$699,679. Since the annual deferred asset balance is less than \$700,000, the entire amount may be 23 deferred. The Company is currently projecting PIM expenses of \$2.107 24 million for the twelve month ended September 30, 2011 resulting in a 25 deferred regulatory asset of approximately \$707,000. The 2011 forecasted 26 PIM deferred asset balance slightly exceeds \$700,000 due to the Company's 27

acceleration of the PIM program at BPU Staff's request. If the actual PIM
 expenditures significantly exceed the maximum deferred amount of
 \$700,000 when the year is completed, the Company may request for Board
 Staff and Rate Counsel to recognize that due to the BPU Staff request to
 accelerate the PIM program, the PIM maximum deferral should be evaluated
 over the two-year period from October 2010 through September 2012.

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#### VII. Impact on Customers

# 8 Q. WHAT IS THE IMPACT TO RESIDENTIAL HEAT CUSTOMERS 9 AS A RESULT OF THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO BGSS, CIP AND 10 BALANCING RATES?

Overall, the Company has proposed that all periodic BGSS customer A. 11 groups will have a decrease in their rates. The periodic BGSS decrease 12 proposed in this filing results in an overall \$12.30 or 9.1 percent decrease to 13 the total monthly 100 therm bill for a CIP Group II residential heating sales 14 customer. Additionally, the proposed Group II CIP decrease results in an 15 overall \$1.13 or 0.8 percent decrease. The net impact of the BGSS and CIP 16 decreases for a residential heating sales customer is a \$13.43 or 9.9 percent 17 decrease to the total monthly 100 therm bill. Exhibit G to the Petition and 18 Exhibit TMS-2 provide the supporting calculations. Residential heating 19 transport customers are not affected by NJNG's proposed BGSS decrease 20 and will have a 1.1 percent decrease due to the changes in the CIP and 21 Balancing rates.<sup>1</sup> 22

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Percentage change assumes transport customers are receiving gas supply at NJNG's BGSS recovery rates. No decrease has been assumed in the surrogate gas supply cost for transport customers.

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### Q. WHAT IS THE IMPACT TO RESIDENTIAL NON-HEAT CUSTOMERS AS A RESULT OF THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO BGSS, CIP AND BALANCING RATES?

The periodic BGSS decrease proposed in this filing results in an 5 A. overall 7.8 percent decrease to the total monthly 25 therm bill for a CIP 6 Group I residential non-heat sales customer. The proposed Group I CIP 7 increase results in an overall 1.8 percent increase. The net impact of the 8 BGSS decrease and CIP increase to a residential non-heat sales customer is a 9 6.0 percent decrease to the total monthly 25 therm bill. Residential non-heat 10 transport customers are not affected by NJNG's proposed BGSS decrease 11 and will have a 1.5 percent increase due to the changes in the CIP and 12 Balancing rates.<sup>1</sup> 13

# Q. WHAT IS THE IMPACT TO CIP GROUP III GENERAL SERVICE SMALL CUSTOMERS AS A RESULT OF THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO BGSS, CIP AND BALANCING RATES?

The Periodic BGSS decrease proposed in this filing results in an A. 17 overall 8.2 percent decrease to the total monthly 100 therm bill for a CIP 18 Group III General Service – Small ("GSS") customer. The proposed Group 19 III CIP increase results in an overall 0.8 percent increase. The net impact of 20 the BGSS decrease and CIP increase to a GSS sales customer is a 7.4 21 percent decrease to the total monthly 100 therm bill. GSS transport 22 customers are not affected by NJNG's proposed BGSS decrease and will 23 have a 0.5 percent increase due to the changes in the CIP and Balancing 24 rates.<sup>1</sup> 25

# Q. WHAT IS THE IMPACT TO CIP GROUP IV GENERAL SERVICE LARGE CUSTOMERS AS A RESULT OF THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO BGSS, CIP AND BALANCING RATES?

Group IV General Service - Large ("GSL") customers are subject to A. 4 Monthly BGSS pricing and are not affected by the proposed periodic BGSS 5 decrease. The proposed CIP increase results in a 0.9 percent increase for 6 CIP Group IV customers using 1,200 therms per month. 7 GSL transport customers are not affected by NJNG's proposed BGSS decrease and will 8 have a 0.8 percent increase due to the changes in the CIP and Balancing 9 rates.<sup>1</sup> 10

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#### Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?

12 A. Yes.

#### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Pipeline Integrity Management Expenses

Expense Type	Actual <u>Fiscal Year 2009</u>	Actual <u>Fiscal Year 2010</u>	Actual <u>Oct 10 - Apr 11</u>	Forecast <u>Fiscal Year 2011</u>	2009 Deferred PIM Expenses	2010 Deferred (1) PIM Expenses	Estimated 2011 Deferred PIM Expenses
* Labor	\$407,647	\$498,428	\$281,352	\$578,838			
**Non Labor	\$1,415,093	\$1,601,251	\$458,769	\$1,527,769			
Total O&M	\$1,822,740	\$2,099,679	\$740,122	\$2,106,607	\$422,740	\$699,679	\$706,607

(1) In accordance with the October 3, 2008 Board Order in Docket No. GRO7110889, \$700,000 of PIM Operational and Maintenace (O&M) costs in excess of \$1.4 million can be deferred annually.

\* Labor expenses include NJNG incremental labor expenses associated with the PIM plan or field activities of assessing transmission pipelines. These activities include survey, mapping and the inspection of pipelines in accordance with PIM requirements.

\*\* Non labor expenses include external vendor and contractor expenses associated with assessing NJNG transmission pipelines in accordance with NJNG's PIM plan. In addition all material required to perform NJNG's PIM plan activities is included in these expenses. These activities include survey, mapping, inspection, and anomaly remediation in accordance with PIM requirements.

#### New Jersey Natural Gas Company Basic Gas Supply Service BPU Docket. GR1106\_\_\_\_\_ Impact on Residential Customers

Total Variable Rate \$ per therm <sup>1</sup>	F Current Prices \$1.2741	Proposed Prices October 1, 2011 \$1.1398	Decrease (\$0.1343)	Percent Decrease
Total Bill 100 therms <sup>2</sup>	\$135.66	\$122.23	(\$13.43)	(9.9%)
<u>1000 therm bill</u> Annual Bill <sup>2</sup>	\$1,373.10	\$1,238.80	(\$134.30)	(9.8%)

<sup>1</sup> Represents the total variable per therm rate for a residential sales customer (BGSS + Delivery) on an after-tax basis

<sup>2</sup> Includes monthly customer charge of \$8.25.

NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY

#### DIRECT TESTIMONY AND EXHIBITS OF

#### **ANNE-MARIE PERACCHIO**

#### **DIRECTOR – CONSERVATION AND CLEAN ENERGY POLICY**

#### IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY FOR THE ANNUAL REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE (BGSS) AND REVIEW AND REVISION OF ITS CONSERVATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM (CIP) FACTORS FOR F/Y 2012 BPU DOCKET NO. GR1106\_\_\_\_\_ Direct Testimony of Anne-Marie Peracchio

Introduction

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### 2 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, AFFILIATION AND BUSINESS 3 ADDRESS.

A. My name is Anne-Marie Peracchio and I am the Director, Conservation and
Clean Energy Policy for New Jersey Natural Gas Company ("the Company"
or "NJNG"). My business address is 1415 Wyckoff Road, Wall, New Jersey
07719.

## 8 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR EDUCATION AND BUSINESS 9 EXPERIENCE.

A. I received a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting with a double major
 in Philosophy from the University of Scranton in 1990. I also was awarded a
 Masters of Business Administration from Monmouth University in May
 1997. Furthermore, I am a Certified Public Accountant in the State of New
 York. I was employed by KPMG Peat Marwick in various positions within
 the Audit Department from September 1990 to June 1993.

In June 1993, I accepted a position with New Jersey Resources Corporation, the parent of NJNG, in the Internal Audit Department and held that position until February 1995 when I accepted a position as a Senior Rate Analyst in the Regulatory Affairs Department of the Company. In July 1997, I was promoted to Manager, Regulatory Affairs and in January 1999, I was promoted to Director, Regulatory Affairs. In December of 2006, I was named to the new position of Director, Conservation and Affordability. In December 2009, I shifted responsibilities to serve as the Director,
 Conservation and Clean Energy Policy.

3 4 Q. WHAT ARE YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES AS THE DIRECTOR, CONSERVATION AND CLEAN ENERGY POLICY?

I report directly to the Vice President, Marketing and Business Intelligence A. 5 and I am responsible for developing and ensuring implementation of the 6 Company's customer conservation programs funded by shareholders and 7 supporting the efforts of our team implementing our customer funded 8 energy-efficiency program- the SAVEGREEN Project<sup>TM</sup>. I also identify 9 opportunities to help drive cultural changes within the organization to 10 support the Company's concerted focus on conservation. Most of those 11 programs fall under the Company's Conserve to Preserve® ("CTP") 12 initiative which will be discussed in more detail below. I am also involved in 13 the development of NJNG's policy positions on a number of issues, 14 including the Energy Master Plan and the National Action Plan for Energy 15 Efficiency and serve as a company representative on a number of 16 Committees and Task Forces for New Jersey's Clean Energy Program 17 ("NJCEP"), Sustainable Jersey, and the American Gas Association. 18

### 19 Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY TESTIFIED IN REGULATORY 20 PROCEEDINGS?

A. Yes. I have testified on behalf of NJNG in numerous Levelized Gas Adjustment proceedings, the precursor to Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS"), and other rate related filings before the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("BPU" or the "Board").

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### Q. WHAT ARE YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES WITH RESPECT TO THIS PROCEEDING?

A. By way of this testimony, I am explaining and providing support for the
following sections of the filing: (1) background of the Conservation
Incentive Program ("CIP"); (2) an overview of the NJNG's CIP program
activity over the past year; (3) an update on CIP expenditures to date; and
(4) an update on plans for future CIP activities. The testimony of Tina M.
Sinks also filed within this proceeding discusses the CIP tariff mechanism,
recent results and proposed rates for October 1, 2011 implementation.

#### 10 **<u>CIP BACKGROUND</u>**

#### 11 Q. PLEASE BRIEFLY SUMMARIZE THE CIP PROGRAM.

A. On December 12, 2006, the BPU approved a three year CIP pilot program in 12 Docket No. GR05121020 ("CIP Order"). The CIP is designed to decouple 13 the link between customer usage and NJNG's gross margin to allow NJNG 14 to encourage its customers to conserve energy. As such, the CIP contains a 15 tariff mechanism that addresses gross margin variations and a commitment 16 from NJNG that gas supply costs will be lowered as a result of customer 17 conservation based on the structure of the BGSS Savings Test approved in 18 the CIP Order. To meet the conservation goals, NJNG agreed to engage its 19 customers in energy-efficiency and conservation activities and to modify the 20 Company's internal culture to focus on energy efficiency. To fulfill that 21 commitment, NJNG agreed to initiate programs to further customer 22 conservation efforts over the term and provide an initial funding amount of 23 \$2 million for such programs. In an Order dated January 21, 2010, the 24 Board approved the extension of the CIP program through September 30, 25 2013. In regard to CIP funding, under the original pilot NJNG expensed the 26

full \$2 million shareholder commitment upfront for use over the full term of
the CIP. As of October 2010 this shareholder funding contribution shifted to
an annual budget of \$575,000 to be spent on CIP programs. Any unspent
balance of this annual amount will be carried-over into the next CIP year.

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#### 6 **PROGRAM ACTIVITY**

## Q. IS THE COMPANY CONTINUING ANY PROGRAMS FROM THE INITIAL PILOT PERIOD?

### 9 A. Yes. The Company is continuing to promote and fund the following 10 programs:

- Conserve to Preserve ("CTP") Dashboard: Our current CTP 11 Dashboard service allows residential customers to analyze their 12 bills, perform online audits, and access other energy saving tools 13 and guidelines. Attachment AMP-1 provides summary data on 14 the use of the CTP Dashboard for calendar 2010 and the first four 15 months of 2011. NJNG has less than one year left on the contract 16 with the existing vendor and, based on the success of this, intends 17 to provide a comparable service for the remaining term of the CIP. 18 The Company continues to review services available from other 19 vendors, but is hoping for further clarity on long term 20 management of the NJCEP program before reaching any decisions 21 about a potential change in providers because of the substantial 22 resource commitment and set-up fees involved. NJNG also 23 develops and distributes promotional materials for this service. 24
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Conserve to Preserve Business Online. A comprehensive online 2 resource for commercial customers, CTP Business Online features 3 industry-specific information, emerging technologies and business 4 applications in one, well-organized location. It includes links to 5 financial and technical assistance for NJCEP programs, 6 benchmarking and energy audit recommendations by sector, a 7 monthly energy newsletter and other tools. NJNG also develops 8 and distributes promotional materials for this service. 9

- **Community Rewards.** This is the school/not-for-profit 10 fundraising program through which community groups can raise 11 money for their organization by directly referring our customers to 12 use the CTP Dashboard. Participating groups register to drive 13 activity to the service and promote it within the community. They 14 receive \$5 for each successful referral and earn bonus incentives 15 for achieving certain thresholds. From the launch of the program 16 through the end of April 2011, this program has resulted in more 17 than 8,200 customers being referred to use the CTP Dashboard. 18
- **Community outreach**. These funds for these activities are used 19 in the production of pocket tip cards promoting NJNG's programs, 20 the payment of certain exhibit fees, covering expenses for the 21 Energy Hog Road Show and other customer contests. This 22 category also includes the costs associated with significant 23 outreach to communities participating in Sustainable Jersey and 24 the NJCEP Community Partners Initiative. Through our Speakers 25 Bureau program alone, we have conducted more than 63 26 presentations that directly reached nearly 4000 customers. This 27

count doesn't reflect the activity of our SAVEGREEN team which
 has participated in an additional 260 events and presentations.
 The Company has also reached thousands more customers through
 participation in dozens of business expos, conferences, forums,
 and green fairs.

- E-tips. The expenses related to the external service used to 6 distribute E-tips, our optional conservation e-mail newsletter, and 7 other minor promotional expenses are included here. Attachment 8 AMP-2, page 1 reflects the monthly topic for each issue, as well as 9 the relevant statistics on the messages sent. The Company 10 currently has nearly than 65,000 customers registered to receive 11 the service, compared to approximately 52,000 subscribers in May 12 2010. Attachment AMP-2, page 2 is a graph reflecting the growth 13 in the enrollment. 14
- Employees/contractors as champions. These activities include 15 the production of supporting promotional material, primarily 16 information pads to be carried by NJNG field employees and 17 contractors for distribution to targeted customers, and for some 18 employee incentive drawings. The employee incentive drawings 19 are generally for employees with direct customer contact to 20 encourage them to be stronger advocates for proactively 21 promoting energy conservation. These employees track this 22 proactive outreach and must hit certain minimum targets to be 23 eligible for inclusion in the drawing. These targets have escalated 24 over time to reach more customers and, equally as important, to 25 have this outreach become integrated into the employees' routine 26 interactions with customers. This category also includes 27

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expenses for contractor forums and communications with
 contractors through such activities as mailings and attendance at
 conferences.

### 4 Q. BEYOND THESE INITIAL PROGRAMS, WHAT ELSE HAS THE 5 COMPANY PURSUED AS CIP PROGRAMS FOR THIS CIP YEAR?

- A. The Company is excited about several new program activities including thefollowing:
- Save Energy. Save Money. Win Prizes! As part of an effort to 8 improve overall awareness of the energy-efficiency programs 9 (including ENERGYSTAR, NJCEP, and NJNG programs) and 10 general education about conservation for residential customers, 11 NJNG launched an on-line promotion that features more than 100 12 different questions on energy efficiency and conservation for 13 customers to answer. The promotion started on April 22, 2011 and 14 residents within our service territory can play daily during the 90 15 day period. Registrants have the opportunity to win instant prizes 16 or a monthly sweepstakes prize. Additionally, to reach customers 17 who may not have responded to our CTP messages through 18 traditional utility channels, the promotion was designed with a 19 referral feature and some community organization prizes. In just 20 the first month of activity, more than 3,000 people have 21 participated in the promotion and hundreds of community 22 organizations are represented in the promotion. Further. on 23 average, registrants are participating 2.7 times which translates to 24 exposure to approximately 40,000 questions and answers. 25
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- Efforts with Sustainable Jersey With only just over 2 years of • 1 history, Sustainable Jersey ("SJ") has already demonstrated its 2 effectiveness in promoting and influencing energy efficiency. 3 More than 334 New Jersey municipalities (nearly 60%) have 4 registered to participate in their certification process and 74 5 (approximately 20%) have attained certification. The CIP program 6 included sponsorship of SJ. SJ has promoted NJCEP and NJNG 7 energy-efficiency initiatives on its Web site, through newsletters, 8 and exposure at training sessions. This year SJ is also joining us 9 for broader outreach at some of our larger community events, 10 including Ocean Fun Days and Nine Innings for Nature. The 11 largest effort with SJ is a partnership to leverage the knowledge of 12 the Environmental Defense Fund (EDF) Public Climate Corp 13 sector. This program provides top tier MBA students with basic 14 training on energy efficiency so they can serve summer 15 fellowships at public entities to help them reduce their energy 16 usage. The CIP program will fund two summer fellowships where 17 the students will identify energy-efficiency opportunities for 18 municipal facilities in Middletown and Ocean Township. More 19 importantly, these fellows will also test and improve the guidance 20 in SJ Action Plan for Energy Efficiency in order to improve the 21 information and direction available for all New Jersey 22 municipalities. 23
- Partnership with Eastern Heating-Cooling Council NJNG's 24 experience with the SAVEGREEN project has significantly 25 improved the Company's knowledge of contractor activity in the 26 marketplace. More than 9 out of every 10 of the high-efficiency 27

performed the installations through stand-alone 1 are WARMAdvantage channel. Further, many of the contractors 2 taking the WARMAdvantage channel are only submitting a 3 handful of rebates, which indicates that many continue to focus 4 only on standard equipment installations. In an effort to engage 5 more contractors in promoting the benefits of the whole house 6 approach to customers, NJNG recently launched a joint outreach 7 effort with Eastern Heating and Cooling Council (EHCC), the 8 official contractor outreach partner for NJCEP. As part of the 9 initial approach, NJNG will use CIP funds to pay for the first year 10 membership for contractors new to EHCC if they attend an 11 overview session addressing the whole house approach, including 12 safety concerns about such issues as "orphaned water heaters." 13

- Efforts to learn more about customer attitudes. NJNG sought 14 customer feedback through a reply card included in our April 2011 15 bills that was geared toward learning more about customers' 16 reactions to our energy saving tips and to establish groups to draw 17 from for follow-up energy saving activities. Thousands of 18 customers responded and provided contact information. Now, key 19 metrics can be compiled and follow-up work can be performed to 20 learn how we can provide better guidance to those who are 21 interested. More importantly, NJNG hopes to learn how to 22 influence more customers to receive and follow the energy savings 23 tips. 24
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## 1Q.HAS NJNG CONTINUED TO SEE GROWTH IN WEB SITE2TRAFFIC FOR THE CONSERVATION SECTIONS?

Yes. In late 2006, NJNG's redesigned Web site was launched. More A. 3 information about conservation is now included, with additional links from 4 various sections of the site back to the conservation pages. Due to the 5 relaunch, the statistics are not directly comparable to the 2005 statistics but 6 from the data shown on Attachment AMP-3, it is clear that traffic to that 7 section of the site continues to increase as a result of the expanded program 8 offerings and continued promotion. Fiscal 2010 customer activity in the 9 energy-efficiency related sections of our Web site was more than nine times 10 greater than the level recorded for Fiscal 2006. 11

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#### CIP EXPENDITURE UPDATE

## Q. DID THE COMPANY SPEND THE FULL \$2 MILLION FROM THE ORIGINAL PILOT COMMITMENT BY SEPTEMBER 30, 2010?

- A. NJNG spent \$1,998,977 as of September 30, 2010. To meet the full \$2
   million commitment, the remaining balance of \$1,023 will be rolled into
   future spending. See Attachment AMP-4, page 2 of 2 for final summary of
   expenses and carry-over calculation.
- Q. WHAT HAS THE COMPANY EXPENDED ON THE CIP
   PROGRAMS FOR THIS FISCAL YEAR?
- A. As of May 31, 2011, NJNG has recorded expenses of approximately
  \$265,000 for this CIP year. A summary of expenses by category is included
  as Attachment AMP-4, page 1 of 2.

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### DOES THE COMPANY EXPECT TO EXPEND THE FULL \$575,000 ON THE CIP PROGRAM FOR THIS FISCAL YEAR?

- A. No. NJNG expects there to be some minor carry-over of funding that will
  increase the amount of program funding available in future years. As noted
  in the next section, NJNG is launching some new programs with
  unpredictable take rates so it is difficult to forecast exact spending levels, but
  NJNG will meet its commitment by rolling any unspent funds into future
  CIP years. Projected expenses for the remainder of the year are reflected on
  Attachment AMP-4, page 1 of 2.
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#### 12 **PROSPECTIVE CIP ACTIVITES AND CHANGES**

#### **Q**. BEYOND THE **ON-GOING** CIP PROGRAMS DESCRIBED 13 EARLIER, DOES THE COMPANY HAVE PLANS FOR 14 **ADDITIONAL CIP PROGRAMS?** 15

A. Yes. NJNG continues to look for new ideas for CIP programs. However,
 the Company strives to identify new services and programs that will
 complement existing programs administered by NJCEP and NJNG. The
 effort to keep programs complementary sometimes presents challenges.

## Q. CAN YOU SHARE ANY INFORMATION ABOUT OTHER IDEAS IN DEVELOPMENT?

- A. Yes. While there are many concepts under consideration, highlights of
  some are described here:
- Discounted on-line store. NJNG is working to establish a co branded on-line store that will integrate with the existing NJCEP
   lighting store hosted by Energy Federation Incorporated (EFI). This
   co-branded website will allow us to offer discounts on other energy efficiency products (e.g., Watersense® products and insulation

materials) and let the customer combine those with the purchase of
 NJCEP products. The vendor generally offers utilities a revenue
 sharing opportunity but NJNG will pass that discount along to our
 customers and will consider offering incremental discounts on specific
 products.

- Additional school program. Since NJCEP has eliminated the 6 • TEACH program, we are considering the potential to offer another 7 program for schools. This may include an incentive toward 8 participation in Schools for Energy Efficiency® (SEE). а 9 comprehensive program to help K-12 schools save energy and money 10 by changing behavior throughout the district. SEE provides a 11 systemized plan, awareness materials, training, and utility tracking for 12 immediate and sustainable savings. 13
- Targeted mailing to low income customers. NJNG can identify 14 Universal Service Fund Recipients that have not participated in the 15 NJCEP Comfort Partners program. Despite extensive outreach 16 efforts, many customers have not yet applied to participate. In an 17 effort to engage their interest and improve their focus on the 18 background materials, NJNG is considering a direct mail campaign to 19 this targeted group. It would include a letter describing the program, 20 an application, and a small conservation-related product to increase 21 the likelihood that the materials will be opened, work to establish a 22 mindset of energy savings, and hopefully start to lower the customer's 23 energy bills as soon as possible. 24
- 25 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?
- 26 A. Yes.

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New Jersey Natural Gas 2010 Web Statistics Report\*

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Month	Email name	Sent	Bounces	Net Sent	Spam	Opt-outs Opt-out % Opens	Opt-out %	Opens	Open %	Clicks	Click %
Jan-2007	Jan-2007 Cost Cutter Kit	18,746	1105	17,641	<i>LL</i>	195	1.1%	5,886	33.4%	742	12.6%
	Home Performance with										
Feb-2007	Feb-2007 Energy Star	4,858	121	4,737	75	109	2.3%	1,628	34.4%	226	13.9%
Mar-2007	Mar-2007 Zero Percent Financing	5,653	86	5,567	8	42	0.8%	1,634	29.4%	161	9.6%
Apr-2007	Apr-2007 Federal Tax Incentives	7,069	148	6,921	2	56	0.8%	2,347	33.9%	376	16.0%
	NJCEP air conditiong										
May-2007 rebates	rebates	8,456	214	8,242	6	43	0.5%	2,477	30.1%	239	9.6%
Jun-2007	Jun-2007 Green team contest	9,489	236	9,253	3	49	0.5%	2,616	28.3%	59	2.3%
Jul-2007	Jul-2007 Home Energy Analysis	10,322	297	10,025	21	53	0.5%	2,657	26.5%	435	16.4%
Aug-2007	Aug-2007 Watersense	11,750	323	11,427	L	71	0.6%	3,076		210	6.8%
Sep-2007	Sep-2007 Energy Hog	12,579	397	12,182	10	67	0.5%	3,057	25.1%	398	13.0%
Oct-2007	Oct-2007 Change a Light	12,462	541	11,921	L	53	0.4%	2,950	24.7%	327	11.1%
Nov-2007	Nov-2007 High Effic. Upgrades	13,176	590	12,586	9	69	0.5%		24.8%	387	12.4%
Dec-2007	Dec-2007 Discounted conservation kit	13.722	648	13.074	8	63	0.5%	3.039	23.2%	308	10.1%
Jan-2008	Jan-2008 CTP Dashboard	15,615	663	14,952	1	68	0.5%				12.5%
Feb-2008	Feb-2008 Energy Guardian	16,614	753	15,861	19	75	0.5%	4,161	26.2%	910	21.9%
Mar-2008	Mar-2008 Enhanced HPES offer	18,238	826	17,412	6	70	0.4%	4,627	26.6%	296	6.4%
Apr-2008	Apr-2008 Kids and Conservation	20,074	962	19,112	14	66	0.5%	4,578	24.0%	186	4.1%
May-2008	May-2008 NJCEP rebates	21,931	266	20,934	9	86	0.5%	7,231	34.5%	945	13.1%
	EE for Buying/Selling your										
Jun-2008 home	home	23,035	1,130	21,905		92	0.4%		24.0%		5.9%
Jul-2008	Jul-2008 Water Heating/Pools	24,192	1,108	23,084		83	0.4%		25.8%	479	8.1%
Aug-2008	Aug-2008 Do-It -Yourself	25,040	1,216	23,824		93	0.4%	6,227	26.1%		12.8%
Sep-2008	Sep-2008 Preseason maintenance	26,035	1,152	24,883	20	16	0.4%	6,601	26.5%	158	2.4%

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NJNG E-tips Statistics Key Terms

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	Spam Reports	Number of	complaint	s received	Number of complaints received from an email	nail.					
	Opt-outs	Contacts v	vho moved	themselve	es to your [	Contacts who moved themselves to your Do Not Mail List.	List.				
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Month	Email name	Sent	Bounces	Net Sent	Spam	Opt-outs	Opt-out %Opens	Opens	Open %	Clicks	Click %
Oct-2008	Oct-2008 Change the World/EFI Store	27,117	1,302	25,815	15	83	0.3%	7,145	27.7%	761	10.7%
Nov-2008	Energy Makeover Nov-2008 Sweepstakes	27,680	1,308		19	84	0.3%			1,058	14.7%
Dec-2008	Dec-2008 Conservation Kit	28,795				73	0.3%				
	Energy Star TVs/video										
Jan-2009 games	games	31,213	1,513	29,700	26	96	0.3%	8,524	28.7%	703	8.2%
Feb-2009	Feb-2009 New Federal Tax incentives	33,258	1,635	31,623	22	78	0.2%	9,984	31.6%	1,474	14.8%
Mar-2009	Mar-2009 Revised HPES incentives	33,444	1,655	31,789	14	71	0.2%	8,382	26.4%	516	6.2%
Apr-2009	Spring Cleaning/NJCEP Apr-2009 clothes washer incentives	38,935	1,984	36,951	34	115	0.3%	9,172	24.8%	354	3.9%
May-2009	Facts about CFLs/ promotion May-2009 of NJCEP 's GNJR Team	39,073	1,694	37,379	32	105	0.3%	9,312	24.9%	549	5.9%
Jun-2009	Jun-2009 Vacation energy saving tips	40,272	1,783	38,489	32	103	0.3%	6,381	24.4%	484	5.2%
Jul-2009	Jul-2009 water heater savings	41,251	1,853	39,398	21	101	0.3%	10,247	26.0%	857	8.4%
Aug-2009	Aug-2009 refrigerator rebates	42,296	1,964	40,332	19	118	0.3%	10,572	26.2%	411	3.9%
Sep-2009	Sep-2009 Computer savings	44,420	2,117	42,303	23	126	0.3%	11,611	27.4%	608	5.2%
Oct-2009	Launch of SAVGEGREEN Oct-2009 incentives	45,439	2,157	43,282	16	120	0.3%	12,124	28.0%	726	6.0%
Nov-2009	CTP Dashboard and Nov-2009 Sustainable Jersey	46,238	2,807	43,431	23	140	0.3%	10,879		425	3.9%

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NJNG E-tips Statistics

Key Terms

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	Sent		The total emails sent, including bounces	including I	bounces.						
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	Spam Reports		Number of complaints received from an email	s received	from an en	nail.					
	Opt-outs		Contacts who moved themselves to your Do Not Mail List.	themselve	s to your E	o Not Mail	List.		-		
	Opt-out percent		Number of opt-outs divided by the number sent	ivided by th	ne number	sent.					
	Opens		Trackable emails your contacts received and viewed	r contacts	received a	nd viewed.					
	Opened percent		Number of opened emails divided by the net sent number	nails divid∈	ed by the n	et sent nur	nber.				
	Clicks		Contacts who clicked from an email to your website.	from an ei	mail to you	r website.					
	Click-through percent Number of click-throughs divided by the number opened	Number of	click-throu	ighs divide	d by the nu	umber oper	ned.				
Month	Email name	Sent	Bounces	Net Sent Spam		Opt-outs Opt-out %Opens	Opt-out %		Open %	Clicks	Click %
	Seasons Greetins- Energy							,			
Dec-2005	Dec-2009 Savings	47,061	2,358	44,703	31	115	0.3%	10,835	24.2%	1,083	10.0%
Jan-2010	Jan-2010 Safety and Savings	48,476	2,423	46,053	27	138	0.3%	11,814	25.7%	574	4.9%
Feb-2010	Feb-2010 Federal Tax Incentives	50,195	2,543	47,652	34	116	0.2%	12,635	26.5%	2,163	17.1%
Mar-2016	Mar-2010 Lighting Fair	51,148	2,649	48,499	30	66	0.2%	10,986	22.7%	1,313	12.0%
Apr-2010	Apr-2010 ARRA rebates	51,926		49,257	28	93	0.2%	11,820	24.0%	1,071	9.1%
	Air conditioning - Cool Advantage and Room AC			01003	0		/06 O		/07 FC	003 1	10,000
May-2010 revares	levates	03,240	2,891	20,349	40	144	U.3%	12,298	24.4%	1,200	12.2%
Jun-2010	Load control. Nine Innings Jun-2010 for Nature, Twitter	53,793	3,042	50,751	48	149	0.3%	11,361	22.4%	812	7.1%
Jul-2010	NJCEP ENERGYSTAR rebates, county fair, nine Jul-2010 innings	54,476	3,135	51,341	37	125	0.2%	12,778	24.9%	1,323	10.4%
Aug-2010	Energy-efficient Aug-2010 windows,SAVEGREEN	55,652	3,318	52,334	117	227	0.4%	9,291	17.8%	773	8.3%
0100	ENERGYSTAR Product finder feature, computer	V13 L3		00073	ç	23 t	/0C 0	020 01	/00 CC	760 F	
1102-dae	Factor correction to the	41c,/c	5,470	34,U38	67	10/	o%C.U	12,800	0/0.02	1,2/0	9.9%
Oct-2010	Energy savers under \$5, Oct-2010 energy assistance days	58,077	3,596	54,481	40	137	0.3%	12,498	22.9%	1,299	10.4%
Nov-2010	Nov-2010 energy saving gift ideas	58,957	3,648	55,309	49	139	0.3%	12,424	22.5%	2,145	17.3%

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	Sent	The total ∈	The total emails sent, including bounces	, including	bounces.						
	Bounces	Emails ser	nt, but not r	eceived by	<pre>/ your conts</pre>	acts. (e.g. I	bad e-mail	addresses/	Emails sent, but not received by your contacts. (e.g. bad e-mail addresses/full mailboxes)	kes)	
	Net Sent	Sent Total emails sent less the number of bounces	ils sent les:	s the numb	er of bound	ces.					
	Spam Reports		f complaint	s received	Number of complaints received from an email	nail.					
	Opt-outs	_	vho moved	themselve	Contacts who moved themselves to your Do Not Mail List	o Not Mail	l List.				
	Opt-out percent		f opt-outs d	ivided by th	Number of opt-outs divided by the number sent.	sent.					
	Opens		emails you	ir contacts	Frackable emails your contacts received and viewed	nd viewed.					
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	Clicks		vho clicked	from an e	Contacts who clicked from an email to your website.	r website.					
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Month	Email name	Sent	Bounces	Net Sent	Spam	<b>Opt-outs</b>	Opt-out % Opens		Open %	Clicks	Click %
Dec-2010	electronics inventory and phantom energy,Emisison Dec-2010 game from EPA	59,768	3,735	56,033	44	150	0.3%	14,123	25.2%	1,400	%6·6
Jan-2011	HPwES On bill repayment Jan-2011 and incentives	61,041	3,903	57,138	46	169	0.3%	14,077	24.6%	1,137	8.1%
Feb-2011	New Federal Tax incentives, CTP Dashboard, Feb-2011 ENERGYSTAR rebates	62,179	3,987	58,192	51	181	0.3%	13,690	23.5%	1,236	%0.6
NJCE store a Mar-2011 lights	NJCEP Lighting fair, online store and new labeling for lights	63,134	4,054	59,080	42	134	0.2%	12,953	21.9%	1,167	9.0%
Apr-2011	Apr-2011 Win Prizes!	64,491	4,320	60,171	29	146	0.2%	13,277	22.1%	1,720	13.0%
May-2011	Change the World with May-2011 Energy Star/Ocean Fun Days	64,914	4,474	60,440	30	138	0.2%	11,847	19.6%	899	7.6%

\*These reports may reflect higher results from what was reported during the previous quarter due to continued customer activity.

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436,302

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1,755,842

Total

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# New Jersey Natural Gas Comparison of Website Conservation Statistics

Page Views	Fiscal 2006	Fiscal 2007	Fiscal 2006 Fiscal 2007 Fiscal 2008 Fiscal 2009	Fiscal 2009	Fiscal 2010	Fiscal 2011-
						through April
						only
Conservation Home	6,288	2,636	1,957	4,586	4,543	2,796
Conserve to Preserve		2,199	3.090	3,552	3,560	1,407
Home Energy Saving Tips		2,482	3,726	4,783	3,858	3,465
Residential Programs		9,171	11,613	16,070	18,156	12,191
Special Offers & Rebatcs		6,414	11,353	17,817	15,183	11,227
Energy Saving Tips for Your Business		413	855	1,073	740	483
Commercial Programs		541	728	1,187	1,052	683
Distributed Generation		430	500	631	587	566
Renewable Energy		834	928	1,038	1.258	1,025
Energy Hog Program	843	912	937			
Kids and Conservation			897	1,541	1,139	945
SAVEGREEN Project			Bernish and		16,085	11,448
Total	7,131	26,032	36,584	52,278	66,161	46,236

Note: Fiscal 2010 ended the year at more than nine times the level of activity pre-CIP. Including the traffic on the SAVEGREEN Project Micro-site, the pace for 2011 is even ahead of 2010 activity.

### New Jersey Natural Gas CIP Expense through May 31, 2011 BPU Docket No. GR1106\_\_\_\_\_

	Quarter Ending 12/31/10	Quarter Ending 3/31/11	Expenses from 4/1 - 5/31	Estimated expenses 6/1-9/30*	Total Fiscal Year to Date
School/Children's Programs		\$5,036	\$2,857	\$15,000	\$22,893
Municipal Programs	\$25,000	\$128	\$20,000	\$5,000	\$50,128
Employees and HVAC Contractors as Champions			\$8,084	\$15,000	\$23,084
Online services and E-tips	\$24,338	\$61,691		\$38,100	\$124,129
Conservation/energy efficiency online promotion/sweepstakes		\$43,500	\$30,222		\$73,722
Online store and direct purchase of energy saving products			\$4,799	\$50,000	\$54,799
Community Rewards			\$1,285	\$1,000	\$2,285
Events and general outreach costs	\$2,000	\$9,084	\$2,307	\$15,000	\$28,391
Other low income focused outreach	\$960	\$5,247		\$65,000	\$71,207
Development work (e.g. customer feedback, EE organization memberships)		\$4,100	\$11,000	\$5,000	\$20,100
Publications and energy efficiency advertising		\$3,550		\$50,000	\$53,550
Total Spent to date	<u>\$52.298</u>	<u>\$132.336</u> [	<u>\$80,554</u> \$265,188	<u>\$259.100</u>	\$524,288
		-		ng Commitment see page 2 of 2)	
			Estimated carryo		\$51,735
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\*Many of these expenses are difficult to predict because of the unknown customer participation rates for new offers and new opportunities that may arise. However, any unspent funds toward the commitment will automatically be carried forward into the next program year.

		CIP Expeni BPU Dock	CIP Expense through September 30, 2010 BPU Docket No. GR1106	Septemb 106	er 30, 201	0			rage ∠ oi ∠
				Quarter	Quarter	Quarter	Quarter	L L L L	Total
	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Ending 12/31/09	a/31/10	through 6/30/10	unrougn 9/30/10	Adjustments	Program to Date
Direct Mail Campaigns- Residential and Small Commercial	\$260,600		\$148,242		-				\$408,842
One Price to Upgrade	\$2,789								\$2,789
Employees as Champions and HVAC Contractors as Champions	\$1,225	\$4,688	\$2,456		\$5,938				\$14,307
Community Outreach, including Energy Hog School Program	\$21,525	\$22,411	\$30,493	\$5,444	\$11,283	\$19,247	\$5,101	\$3,739	\$119,243
Zero Percent Financing	\$79,872	\$59,615							\$139,487
E-mail Distribution Channel/Social Medi	\$8,730	\$2,601			\$4,641			\$500	\$16,472
Employee time- "More than incidental"	\$67,485	\$79,336	\$50,873	\$7,449	\$9,130	\$8,090	\$7,415		\$229,778
CTP Dashboard/NEXUS/Apogee	\$46,250	\$155,722	\$115,990	\$27,507	\$43,347	\$36,507	\$15,319		\$440,642
CTP Business On-line	\$12,000	\$6,463	\$16,413		\$12,000		\$12,000		\$58,876
High-Efficiency Rebates		\$126,450	\$136,450						\$262,900
conservation kits/gaskets		\$86,365	\$189,640				\$8,673		\$284,678
Community Rewards		\$825	\$4,846		\$950	\$1,865	\$370		\$8,856
HPES Incentive Program		\$2,110	\$5,750						\$7,860
Other	\$3,520			\$727					\$4,247
Total CIP Expenses	\$503,996	\$546.587	\$701.153	\$41.127	\$87.289	\$65.709	\$48,878	<u>\$4,239</u>	\$1,998,977
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