

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

In the Matter of the Petition of
Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.
to Implement a Margin Decoupling
Tracker (MDT) Rider and Related
Energy Efficiency and Conservation
Programs

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DOCKET NO. 09-00104

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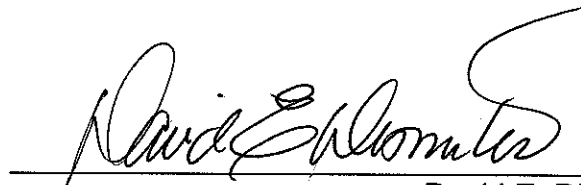
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Prepared Direct Testimony

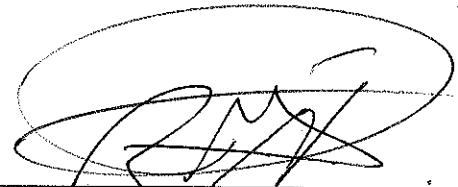
David E. Dismukes, Ph.D. being first duly sworn on oath, states that he is the David E. Dismukes whose Testimony in the above-entitled proceeding accompanies this Affidavit.

David E. Dismukes further states that such Testimony is a true and accurate statement of his answers to the questions contained therein, and that he does adopt those answers as his sworn Testimony in this proceeding.



David E. Dismukes, Ph.D.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, the undersigned Notary Public, this 4th day of December 2009.



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My Commission Expires: *FOR LIFE*