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April 27, 1999 OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE SEGRETARY

Mr. David Waddell **Executive Secretary** Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243-0505

> Application of Nashville Gas Company, a Division of Piedmont Natural Gas Re: Company, for Approval of Negotiated Gas Redelivery Agreement with State **Industries**

Application of Nashville Gas Company, a Division of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, for Approval of Negotiated Gas Redelivery Agreement with Bridgestone/Firestone

Docket Nos. 98-00338 and 98-00339

Dear Mr. Waddell:

I am enclosing for filing in the above captioned proceedings the original and fourteen copies of the following documents on behalf of Nashville Gas Company:

- Brief of Nashville Gas Company on Inapplicability of Prohibitions on Retroactive 1. Ratemaking in Docket Nos. 98-00338 and 98-00339:
- 2. Proposed Recommendation and Report of Hearing Officer in Docket Nos. 98-00388 and 98-00339;
- 3. Motion of Nashville Gas Company to Amend Application in Docket No. 98-00338; and

Motion of Nashville Gas Company to Amend Application in Docket No. 98-00339.

I am enclosing an additional copy of each document that I would appreciate your stamping "filed" and returning in the enclosed envelope.

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REC'D TN NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTH. '39 APR 28 PM 2 41 NASHVILLE GAS COMPANY APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF NEGOTIATED GAS REDELIVERY

MOTION OF NASHVILLE GAS COMPANY TO AMEND APPLICATION

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

Nashville Gas Company (Nashville Gas) hereby respectfully requests the Authority to grant it permission to amend the petition filed in the above captioned docket on May 12, 1998 to (1) delete paragraph 6 thereof and (2) replace the "WHEREFORE" paragraph on page 3 thereof with the following language:

"WHEREFORE, it is respectfully requested that the Authority (1) approve the Gas Redelivery Agreement and authorize Nashville Gas to provide the natural gas services and to charge the rates set forth therein effective January 1, 1998, (2) permit Nashville Gas to recover 90% of its margin losses associated with the Gas Redelivery Agreement in the manner set forth above, and (3) grant such other relief as may be necessary or appropriate."

Respectfully submitted, this the 27th day of April, 1999

AGREEMENT WITH BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE

Nashville Gas Company, a Division Of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.

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