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Phoenix, Arizona 85007

**RE: Investigation of Regulatory and Rate Incentives for Gas and Electric Utilities
Docket No. E-00000J-08-0314 and G-00000C-08-0314**

Dear Director Johnson:

As you are aware, Governor Brewer has recently appointed Jodi Jerich the new Director of RUCO. RUCO is in the process of reviewing its positions on the different issues pending before the Commission. At this point in time, RUCO has *not* had an adequate opportunity to re-evaluate and take a position on the issues assembled by Staff in the above docket as outlined in Staff's letter of January 30, 2009.

Nonetheless, RUCO is still evaluating the questions raised in Staff's letter and will be prepared to discuss the issues in the workshop scheduled for March 6, 2009. I appreciate Staff's and interested parties' courtesies in this matter.

Sincerely,

Daniel Pozefsky
Chief Counsel

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