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CITY OF CHICAGO,)
PEOPLE OF COOK COUNTY)
Petition for Emergency Rulemaking)
and Expedited Investigation)

Docket No. 00-0789

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

The City of Chicago (the "City") submit its Notice of Withdrawal from further participation in the above-captioned case. In support of its withdrawal, the City offers the following comments.

1. As an element of their efforts to assist customers (in their respective jurisdictions) experiencing high gas utility bills, on December 12, 2000, the City and the People of Cook County filed a Petition for Emergency Rulemaking and Expedited Investigation ("Petition") to achieve specific relief measures for customers having difficulty paying high gas utility bills.

2. The Peoples Gas Light and Coke Company (Peoples Gas) provides gas utility services to the residents and businesses of the City of Chicago.

3. The City and Peoples Gas have reached a settlement that resolves the customer service issues that were raised in the City's Petition, as they affect residents and businesses in the City of Chicago.

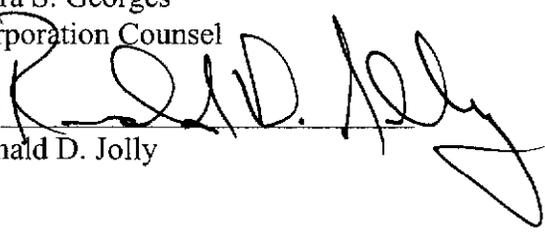
4. A copy of the Settlement Agreement is attached to this pleading.

For the reasons stated in the Settlement Agreement, the City hereby withdraws from this proceeding.

Dated: March 15, 2001

Respectfully submitted,

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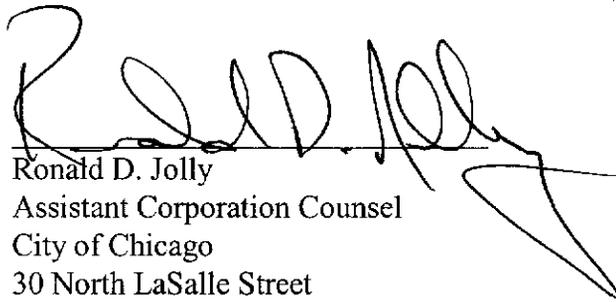
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Ronald D. Jolly, hereby certify that a copy of the City of Chicago's Reply Comments in the above-captioned docket was served upon the party or parties listed in the attached service list, by hand-delivery, by express mail, by e-mail, or by first class mail, postage prepaid, in accordance with the Rules of Practice of the Illinois Commerce Commission.

Dated: March 15, 2001



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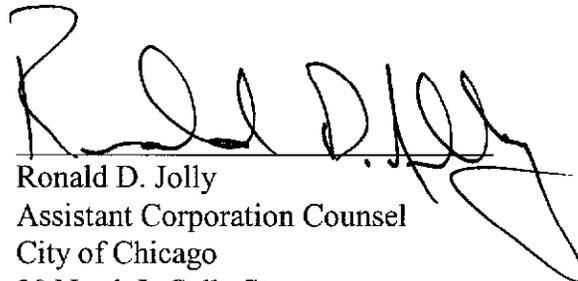
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NOTICE OF FILING

To: Attached Service List

Please take notice that on this date I caused to be sent to Donna M. Caton, Chief Clerk, Illinois Commerce Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue, P.O. Box 19280, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9280, by Federal Express, the City of Chicago's Notice of Withdrawal in the above-captioned docket.

Dated: March 15, 2001



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