

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION**

NORTHERN ILLINOIS GAS COMPANY	:	
d/b/a NICOR GAS COMPANY	:	
	:	No. 10-0567
Petition Pursuant to Rider 29 of Schedule of	:	
Rates for Gas Service to Initiate a Proceeding to	:	
Determine the Accuracy of the Rider 29	:	
Reconciliation Statement	:	

**PETITION TO INTERVENE
OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL LAW & POLICY CENTER**

Pursuant to 83 Ill. Admin. Code 200.200 the Environmental Law & Policy Center (“ELPC”), through its counsel, petitions the Illinois Commerce Commission for leave to intervene in the above-captioned matter. In support of its petition, ELPC states the following:

1. ELPC is a not-for-profit organization that works to promote environmentally-sound energy policies in Illinois.
2. On September 30, 2010, Nicor Gas Company (“Nicor”) filed a petition initiating a proceeding to determine the accuracy of the Rider 29 Reconciliation Statement. The Rider 29 Reconciliation relates directly to the energy efficiency programs in which ELPC has been involved.
3. ELPC has members in Illinois who are Nicor customers and who contribute directly to support ELPC’s programs. ELPC represents many Illinois residents.
4. ELPC and its members will be directly and materially affected by the outcome of this proceeding. ELPC’s Illinois members will be directly and materially affected by the issues related to the Rider 29 Reconciliation Docket.
5. ELPC agrees to accept service by electronic means as per Section 200.1050.

WHEREFORE, for the above stated reasons, ELPC requests that leave to intervene be granted by the Commission and it be made a party to this proceeding, and requests that all orders, notices, correspondence, pleadings, testimony and other documents be served upon the undersigned.

Dated: October 8, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brad Klein", written over a horizontal line.

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NOTICE OF FILING

To: (attached service list)

Please take note that on October 8, 2010, I submitted the above Petition to Intervene of the Environmental Law & Policy Center for filing in the above-captioned matter, via e-Docket, with the Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission.



Brad Klein
Staff Attorney
Environmental Law & Policy Center

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Brad Klein, hereby certify that the foregoing document was served to all parties of record listed on the attached service list by e-mail on October 8, 2010. Paper copies will be provided upon request.

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Brad Klein
Staff Attorney
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