

3. As it has done with the State's other regulated gas utility (see PSC Order No. 6711 (Sept. 6, 2005)), the Commission finds that Chesapeake has stated good cause for the slight delay in its filing. The Commission, therefore, for the year 2005, moves the date for Chesapeake to file its GSR application until October 3, 2005.

Now, therefore, **IT IS ORDERED:**

1. That the application filed by Chesapeake Utilities Corporation on August 31, 2005, seeking to extend the time for it to file its application to adjust its Gas Sales Services Rates for the 2005-06 effective period, is granted. Under 26 Del. C. § 304(a), the sixty-day notice period is waived and Chesapeake Utilities Corporation may file such application on or before October 3, 2005.

2. That the Commission reserves the jurisdiction and authority to enter such further Orders in this matter as may be deemed necessary or proper.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

/s/ Arnetta McRae
Chair

Vice Chair

/s/ Joann T. Conaway
Commissioner

/s/ Jaymes B. Lester
Commissioner

ATTEST:

/s/ Karen J. Nickerson
Secretary

/s/ Dallas Winslow
Commissioner