



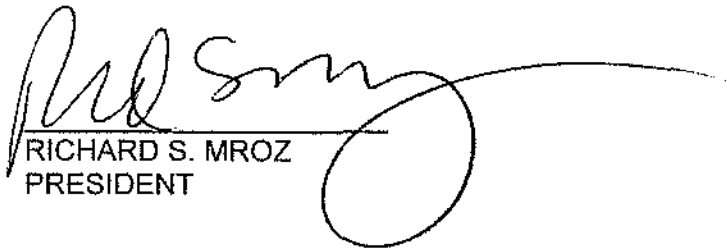
heater and the boiler, in the amount of \$16,506.58, have been segregated from the energy charges and transferred to the account ending in 71818 and remain due and owing. The parties have further agreed that the past due amount of \$6,960.71 for energy charges shall be paid by Petitioner in monthly payments of \$300.00 plus current bills, commencing with the November 2014 bill to be issued in December 2014, until said amount is paid in full.

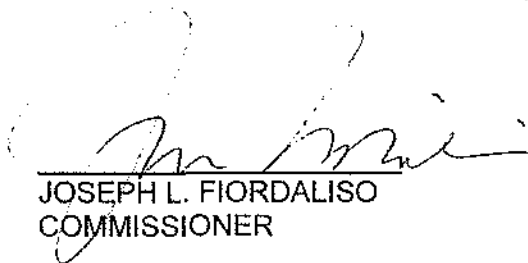
After review of the record and the Settlement of the parties, the Board **HEREBY FINDS** that the parties have voluntarily agreed to the Settlement as evidenced by their signatures and that by the terms of the Settlement, have fully resolved all outstanding contested issues in this matter.

Accordingly, the Board **HEREBY ADOPTS** the Initial Decision and the Settlement executed by the parties in their entirety as if fully set forth herein.

DATED: 12/17/14

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES  
BY:

  
RICHARD S. MROZ  
PRESIDENT

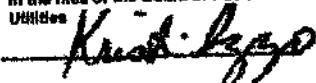
  
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KRISTI IZZO  
SECRETARY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within document is a true copy of the original in the files of the Board of Public Utilities



KURT P. SCHWARTZ, PETITIONER

V.

PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY, RESPONDENT

BPU DOCKET NO. EC13090876U  
OAL DOCKET NO. PUC191-14

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**INITIAL DECISION**

**SETTLEMENT**

OAL DKT. NO. PUC 191-14

AGENCY DKT. NO. EC13090876U

**KURT SCHWARTZ,**

Petitioner,

v.

**PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS  
COMPANY,**

Respondent.

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**Kurt Schwartz, petitioner, pro se**

**Sheree L. Kelly, Esq., for respondent**

Record Closed: October 28, 2014

Decided: October 30, 2014

**BEFORE JOSEPH LAVERY, ALJ t/a:**

This matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) on January 8, 2014, for determination as a contested case, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-1 to -15 and N.J.S.A. 52:14F-1 to -13.

The matter was assigned to The Honorable John F. Russo who conducted a telephone prehearing conference on April 2, 2014. On August 26, 2014, the Acting Director and Chief Administrative Law Judge recalled the undersigned for a temporary appointment to hear the case and the matter was then reassigned to me.

The parties have agreed to a settlement and have prepared a Stipulation of Settlement indicating the terms thereof, which is attached and fully incorporated herein.

I have reviewed the record and the terms of settlement and I FIND:

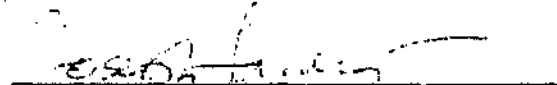
1. The parties have voluntarily agreed to the settlement as evidenced by their signatures or their representatives' signatures.
2. The settlement fully disposes of all issues in controversy and is consistent with the law.

I CONCLUDE that this agreement meets the requirements of N.J.A.C. 1:1-19.1 and that the settlement should be approved. I approve the settlement and therefore ORDER that the parties comply with the settlement terms and that these proceedings be concluded.

I hereby FILE my initial decision with the BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES for consideration.

This recommended decision may be adopted, modified or rejected by the BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, which by law is authorized to make a final decision in this matter. If the Board of Public Utilities does not adopt, modify or reject this decision within forty-five days and unless such time limit is otherwise extended, this recommended decision shall become a final decision in accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14B-10.

October 30, 2014  
DATE

  
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JOSEPH LAVERY, ALJ t/a

Date Received at Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Mailed to Parties: \_\_\_\_\_

10/31/14

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW

Kurt Schwartz	)
Petitioner	)
v.	)
Public Service Electric and Gas Company,	)
Respondent	)

OAL Docket No. PUC 01191-2014 S  
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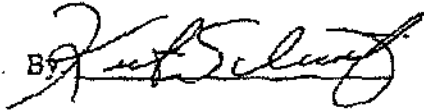
STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT

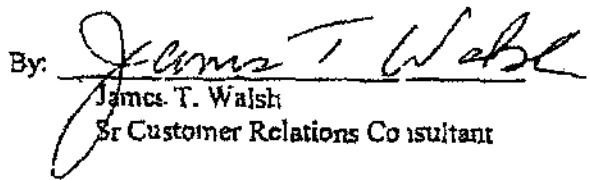
This matter having been brought before the Office of Administrative Law by the Petitioner, Kurt Schwartz ("Petitioner"), against Respondent Public Service Electric and Gas Company ("PSE&G" or "Respondent") for utility service rendered by PSE&G to the premises 240 Main Street, Apt. 207, Little Falls, NJ 07424 (the "Property") and the Parties having agreed to settle this matter, hereby set forth the terms and conditions of their settlement agreement as follows:

1. The current past due for energy charges on account no. ending in 915 18 is \$6,960.71.
2. The amounts owed for the hot water heater and the boiler, in the amount of \$16,506.58, have been segregated from the energy charges, and transferred to account no. ending in 718 18. This amount remains due and owing.
3. With respect to the past due amount of \$6,960.71 for energy charges, Petitioner will pay \$300.00 per month plus current bills until said amount is paid in full.
4. This payment arrangement will begin with the November 2014 bill, issued in December 2014.

Petitioner: Kurt Schwartz

Respondent: PSE&G

By: 

By:   
James T. Walsh  
Sr Customer Relations Consultant

Date: 10-27-14

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