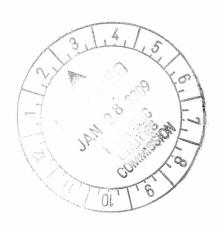


January 26, 2009

Ms. Debra A. Howland
Executive Director and Secretary
Public Utilities Commission
State of New Hampshire
21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301-2429



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Subject:

DG 08-117: Cost of Gas Adjustment Monthly Reconciliation, January 2009

Dear Ms. Howland:

In accordance with the Commission's Order No. 24,910, enclosed is an original copy of the monthly calculation of the projected –over/under collection for the 2008-09 winter period.

The computations are based on estimated costs and revenues through January and forecasts for the remainder of the period. The calculations indicate a projected under-collection through April 30, 2009 of \$2,577 and would necessitate a \$0.0054 increase to the current Cost of Gas Rate of \$1.6498, resulting in a revised COG Rate of \$1.6552 per therm.

At this time the Company does not elect to implement the forecasted increase for the February 1st billing cycle.

Should further information be required, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

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Financial Analyst

The Berkshire Gas Company

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