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RE: Columbia Gas's Motion for Confidential Treatment  
Case No. 2007-00008

Dear Mr. Kempic:

The Commission has received your petition filed February 22, 2007, to protect as confidential Columbia's responses to data request 31(f) and 42 of Staff's first data request. A review of the information has determined that it is entitled to the protection requested on the grounds relied upon in the motion, and it will be withheld from public inspection.

If the information becomes publicly available or no longer warrants confidential treatment, you are required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7(9)(a), to inform the Commission so that the information may be placed in the public record.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Beth O'Donnell", written over a large, stylized, looping signature graphic.

Beth O'Donnell  
Executive Director

cc: Parties of Record