

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION  
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. G-5, SUB 495

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of	
Application of Public Service Company	) ORDER ALLOWING
Of North Carolina, Inc. for a General	) PETITION TO
Increase In its Rates and Charges	) INTERVENE

BY THE CHAIRMAN: On March 10, 2008, Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc. (CUCA), filed a petition to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding. The petition states CUCA is an organization of industrial utility customers whose member companies maintain numerous industrial manufacturing facilities and employ thousands of workers throughout the State of North Carolina, including the territory in which Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. (PSNC) has been authorized by the Commission to sell natural gas at retail. CUCA's member companies use natural gas sold by PSNC in the operation of their manufacturing plants. The availability of an adequate supply of natural gas at a reasonable price is critical to the economic viability of CUCA's member companies. The Chairman is of the opinion that good cause exists to allow the intervention by CUCA.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

1. That CUCA should be, and hereby is, allowed to intervene in the above-captioned docket; and
2. That the name and address of the attorney for CUCA is as follows:

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ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 11th day of March, 2008.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION



Patricia Swenson, Deputy Clerk