



Agenda Date: 10/31/16
Agenda Item: VIIA

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
Board of Public Utilities
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CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

STANISLAV BORUKOVICH,)	ORDER ADOPTING INITIAL
Petitioner)	DECISION SETTLEMENT
)	
v.)	
)	
SUEZ WATER NEW JERSEY)	BPU DOCKET NO. WC16030200U
Respondent)	OAL DOCKET NO. PUC 06292-16

Parties of Record:

Stanislav Borukovich, Petitioner
John P. Wallace, Esq., for Respondent, United Water New Jersey

BY THE BOARD:

On March 4, 2016, Stanislav Borukovich ("Petitioner") filed a petition with the Board of Public Utilities ("Board") related to a billing dispute involving July 14, 2015 water charges with Suez New Jersey ("Suez Water" or "Respondent") for water services rendered by Respondent to the Petitioner.

After the filing of Respondent's answer on March 31, 2016, the Board transmitted this matter to the Office of Administrative Law ("OAL") for hearing and initial disposition as a contested case pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-1 et seq. and N.J.S.A. 52:14F-1 et seq. This matter was assigned to Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") Richard McGill.

The parties subsequently voluntarily agreed to resolve the matter and entered into a signed Stipulation of Settlement ("Stipulation") that was submitted to the ALJ. By Initial Decision issued on September 13, 2016, and submitted to the Board on September 15, 2016, to which the Stipulation was attached and made part thereof, ALJ McGill found that the Stipulation was voluntary, that its terms fully disposed of all issues in controversy and that it satisfied the requirements of N.J.A.C. 1:1-19.1.

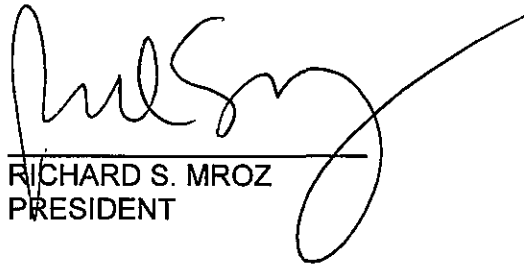
Pursuant to the terms of the Stipulation, and in order to fully resolve this matter, Petitioner agreed to pay Respondent the amount of \$775.00, with respect to the July 14, 2015 water charges. Petitioner agreed that the petition in the above matter be withdrawn with prejudice. After review of the Initial Decision and the Stipulation, 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 Stipulation, they have fully resolved all outstanding contested issues in this matter. Accordingly, the Board **HEREBY ADOPTS** the Initial Decision and the Stipulation executed by the parties in their entirety as if fully set forth herein.

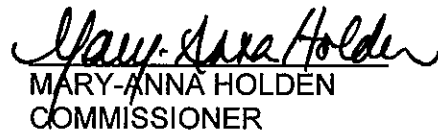
The effective date of this Order is November 10, 2016.

DATED: 10/31/16

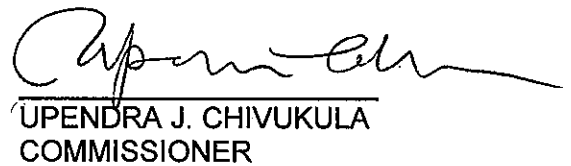
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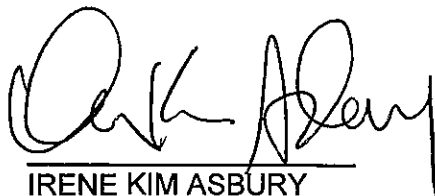

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PRESIDENT


JOSEPH L. FIORDALISO
COMMISSIONER

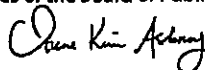

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COMMISSIONER

ATTEST: 
IRENE KIM ASBURY
SECRETARY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within
document is a true copy of the original
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**IN THE MATTER OF STANISLAV BORUKHOVICH, PETITIONER V.
SUEZ WATER COMPANY, RESPONDENT**

DOCKET NOS. BPU WC16030200U AND OAL PUC 06292-16

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BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
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INITIAL DECISION

SETTLEMENT

OAL DKT. NO. PUC 06292-16

AGENCY DKT. NO. WC16030200U

STANISLAV BORUKOVICH,

Petitioner,

v.

SUEZ WATER NEW JERSEY,

Respondent.

Stanislav Borukovich, pro se

John P. Wallace, Esq., for respondent

Record Closed: September 13, 2016

Decided: September 13, 2016

BEFORE RICHARD MCGILL, ALJ:

This matter is a billing dispute between Stanislav Borukovich and Suez Water New Jersey. The matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law on April 26, 2016, for determination as a contested case.

On the hearing date, the parties agreed to an amicable resolution of the matter and submitted a Stipulation of Settlement. Having reviewed the record and the settlement terms, I FIND as follows:

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V. Haynes
D. Lee Thomas
E. Hartsfield
J. Ford
C. Jordan
R. Lambert
J. Gersman
B. Agee
C. Vachier

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

Therefore, I **CONCLUDE** that the agreement meets the requirements of N.J.A.C. 1:1-19.1 and that the settlement should be approved. Accordingly, it is **ORDERED** that the parties comply with the terms of the settlement, and it is **FURTHER ORDERED** that the proceeding in this matter 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 (45) 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.

Sept. 13, 2016
DATE

Richard McGill
RICHARD McGill, ALJ

Date Received at Agency: _____

Date Mailed to Parties: _____

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STANISLAV BORUKHOVICH
PETITIONER

OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE
LAW

VS.

DOCKET NO.: PUG 06292-2016U

UNITED WATER, SUEZ NORTH
AMERICA, RESPONDENT

STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT

THE PARTIES IN THE ABOVE MATTER HAVING
REACHED A SETTLEMENT ON SEPT. 13, 2016 BEFORE
HON. RICHARD MCGILL, JAL,

IT IS HEREBY AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

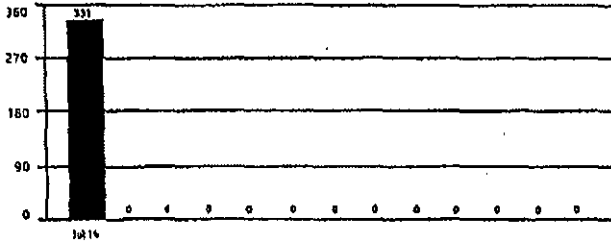
① RESPONDENT AGREES TO ACCEPT AND PETITIONER
AGREES TO PAY THE SUM OF \$775.00
IN SETTLEMENT OF CHARGES SET FORTH
ON UNITED WATER BILL DATED 7/14/15 FOR
WATER CHARGES ON PREMISES AT [REDACTED] QUEEN
COURT, HILLSDALE, NJ 07642, ACCOUNT [REDACTED]
AND

② PETITIONER AGREES TO DISMISS PETITION WITH PREJUDICE
DATED 9-13-16
S. Boruk
STANISLAV BORUKHOVICH

John P. Wallace
JOHN P. WALLACE
ATTORNEY FOR RESPONDENT



USAGE HISTORY
Usage in Hundreds of Cubic Feet



Next meter reading date: on or about 07/31/2015

Billing Date:	07/14/15
Account Number:	[REDACTED]
Previous Balance	\$459.01CR
Total Credits	\$12.26CR
Balance Forward	\$471.27CR
Current Charges Due 07/29/2015	\$1,532.00
CORRECTED BILL	

SERVICE TO: STANISLAV BORUKHOVICH M SERVICE ADDRESS: [REDACTED] QUEEN CT HILLSDALE NJ

88431689	08/06/13	08/21/13	15	0892	0973	81	CCF	PRORATED ACTUAL	GSM
88517786	08/21/13	05/01/15	618	0000	0250	250	CCF	METER CHANGE	GSM
							EQUIVALENT TO	247,588 GALLONS	
WATER CHARGES				\$1,354.61	TOTAL CURRENT CHARGES			\$1,532.00	
FACILITY CHARGE				\$174.79	NEW JERSEY-WATER CONS RATE DIF			\$12.26	CR
DSIC SURCHARGE				\$2.60	TOTAL CREDITS			\$12.26	CR

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR IMPORTANT ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Payments made using an incorrect account number will no longer be accepted. To avoid unnecessary confusion, please adjust your records and only use account number [REDACTED]. Please take note of the Due Date and consider Direct Debit, a FREE and convenient payment option. Your consumption is based on an actual reading of your water meter. Approximately 14.0625% or \$213.71 of your current period charges reflects the average Gross Receipt and Franchise Taxes which are paid to the State of New Jersey and distributed to New Jersey municipalities.

Annual water quality reports are available online at www.unitedwater.com/UWNJ/CCR2014 for customers in Bergen & Hudson Counties, www.unitedwater.com/UWNJ/FranklinLakes/CCR2014 for customers in Franklin Lakes and www.unitedwater.com/UWNJ/PD95 for customers in Montvale Pump District 95. Paper copy requests, call 800-422-5987.

PLEASE DETACH HERE AND RETURN THE BOTTOM PORTION WITH YOUR PAYMENT IN THE RETURN ENVELOPE PROVIDED.



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STANISLAV BORUKHOVICH M
LUDMILA PEREDNIK
[REDACTED] QUEEN CT
HILLSDALE NJ 07642-1314



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Account Number:	[REDACTED]
Balance Forward	\$471.27CR
Current Charges Due 07/29/2015	\$1,532.00
Payment Amount Enclosed	\$ _____



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