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Rate Counsel Offices Move to Trenton Effective April 8, 2013 Advocacy Mission Remains the Same

(Trenton, NJ) — The New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel, which advocates for consumers in utility rate cases, will relocate its offices from Newark, N.J., to Trenton, N.J. effective April 8, 2013.

Division of Rate Counsel Director Stefanie Brand said the Division's mission remains the same in protecting the interests of all utility customers with respect to their service and rates for natural gas, electricity, water, wastewater, telephone and cable. The Division's website and staff email addresses will stay the same; however, individual telephone numbers and the office address will change.

The Division's new address will be:

140 East Front Street 4th Floor Trenton, N.J. 08625 Tel: (609) 984-1460 (general telephone number)

For more information on the Division, please visit our website at http://www.state.nj.us/rpa/.

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About the Division of Rate Counsel

The Division of Rate Counsel represents and protects the interests of all utility customers — residential, small business, commercial and industrial — whenever utilities in New Jersey seek changes in their rates for delivery of natural gas, electric, water, wastewater, telephone or cable TV services. Rate Counsel also advocates for consumers in certain insurance matters. The mission of the Division is to make sure that all classes of utility consumers receive safe, adequate and essential services at affordable rates that are just and nondiscriminatory.