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BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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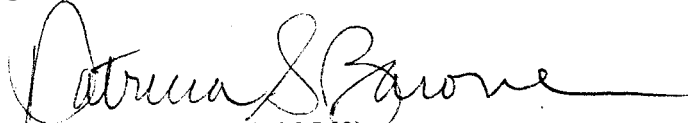
Case No. **U-12100**

**APPEARANCE OF THE
MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STAFF**

The attorney named below hereby enters her appearance in this case on behalf of the
Michigan Public Service Commission Staff.

Respectfully submitted,

**MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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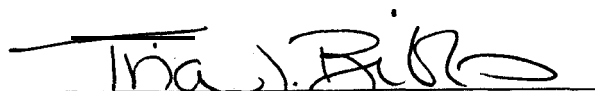
Marie Parker, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on September 27, 1999, she served a true copy of **Appearance of the Michigan Public Service Commission Staff** upon the following parties by depositing the same in a United States postal depository enclosed in an envelope bearing postage fully prepaid, plainly addressed as follows:

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Marie Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 27th day of September, 1999.



Tina L. Bibbs, Notary Public
Ingham County, Michigan
My Commission Expires: 11/3/99