

STATE OF MICHIGAN
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the application of	)	
Michigan Consolidated Gas Company for	)	
approval of its Uncollectible Expense	)	MPSC Case No. U-13898
True-up Mechanism computation and	)	
its report regarding its safety and	)	
<u>training-related expenditures for 2005</u>	)	

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NOTICE OF HEARING FOR
THE CUSTOMERS OF MICHIGAN
CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY

CASE NO. U-13898

- Michigan Consolidated Gas Company requests approval of its Uncollectible Expense True-up Mechanism Computation and its report regarding its safety and training-related expenditures for 2005, if the Michigan Public Service Commission approves its request.
- The information below describes how a person may participate in this case.
- You may call or write Michigan Consolidated Gas Company, Rates and Regulatory Affairs, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226, (313) 235-9512 for a free copy of its application. Any person may review the application at the offices of Michigan Consolidated Gas Company.
- A public hearing in this matter will be held:

DATE: May 31, 2006
This will be a prehearing conference to determine future hearing dates and other procedural matters.

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PRESIDING OFFICER: Administrative Law Judge Mark D. Eyster

LOCATION: Michigan Public Service Commission
6545 Mercantile Way, Suite 7
Lansing, Michigan

PARTICIPATION: Any interested person may attend and participate. The hearing site is accessible, including handicapped parking. Persons needing any accommodation to participate should contact the Commission's Executive Secretary at (517) 241-6160 a week in advance to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

The Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) will hold a public hearing to consider the March 1, 2006 application of Michigan Consolidated Gas Company (MichCon), which seeks the Commission's approval to accept its Uncollectible Expense True-up Mechanism Computation for the calendar year 2005, and accept its annual report regarding its expenditures for Safety and Training-Related Expenditures. MichCon also request the Commission to enter an order finding that no refund is necessary at this time.

The Commission has selected this case for participation in its Paperless Electronic Filings Program. All documents filed in this case shall be submitted electronically through the Commission's Electronic Case Filings Web site at: <https://efile.mpsc.cis.state.mi.us/cgi-bin/efile/login.pl>. Requirements and instructions for filing electronic documents can be found in the Electronic Case Filings Users Manual at: <http://efile.mpsc.cis.state.mi.us/efile/pdfs/usersmanual.pdf>.

An application for account and letter of assurance, required of all first-time users, is located at: <http://efile.mpsc.cis.state.mi.us/efile/pdfs/assurance.pdf>. Documents may also be submitted in Word format, as an attachment to an email sent to mpscfilecases@michigan.gov. If you require assistance prior to e-filing, contact Commission staff at (517) 241-6170 or by e-mail at: mpscfilecases@michigan.gov.

Any person wishing to intervene and become a party to the case shall file a Petition to Intervene with this Commission by May 24, 2006. The proof of service shall indicate service upon MichCon's attorney, Michael J. Solo, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226.

Any person wishing to make a statement of position without becoming a party to a case may participate by filing an appearance. To file the appearance, the individual must attend the hearing and advise the presiding administrative law judge of his or her wish to make a statement of position.

A copy of MichCon's request may be reviewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://efile.mpsc.cis.state.mi.us/efile>, or at the office of the Commission's Executive Secretary, 6545 Mercantile Way, Suite 7, Lansing, MI, and at the office of Michigan Consolidated Gas Company, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit, MI. For more information on how to participate in a case, you may contact the Commission at the above address or by telephone at (517) 241-6170.

Jurisdiction is pursuant to 1909 PA 300, as amended, MCL 462.2 et seq.; 1919 PA 419, as amended, MCL 460.51 et seq.; 1939 PA 3, as amended, MCL 460.1 et seq.; 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq.; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, as amended, 1999 AC, R 460.17101 et seq.

May 3, 2006
Lansing, Michigan

DTE Energy



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State of Michigan
County of Wayne

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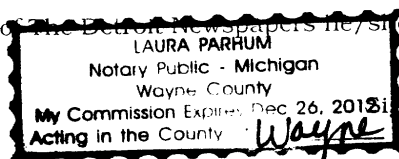
Legal Notice

U-13898

Brenda Lucken, Account Executive

Being duly sworn, deposes and
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on the following dates: Monday, May 15, 2006
Invoice Number: U-13898 and as an authorized employee

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Brenda E. Lucken
Brenda Lucken

Sworn and subscribed to me, a notary Public in and for
Wayne County, State of Michigan.

On This 17 Day of May 2006
Laura Parrum

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County of Wayne } ss

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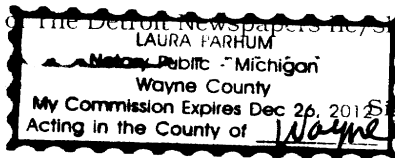


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THE GRAND RAPIDS PRESS

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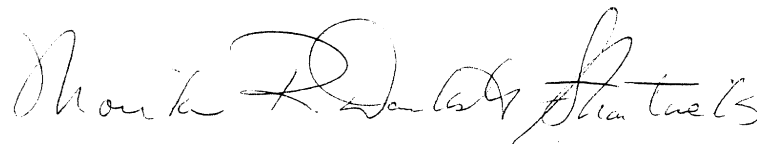
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Advertising Manager

Sworn and subscribed before me this 15th
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NOTARY PUBLIC, KENT COUNTY, MI
My commission expires: 7-27-12

MONIKA R. DAUKSTS-STRAUTNIEKS
Notary Public, State of Michigan
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Acting in the County of Kent

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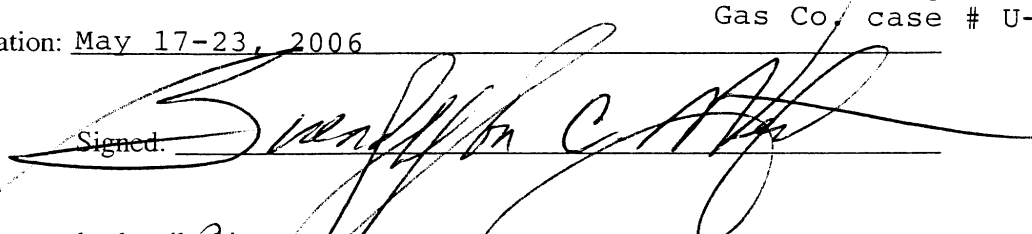
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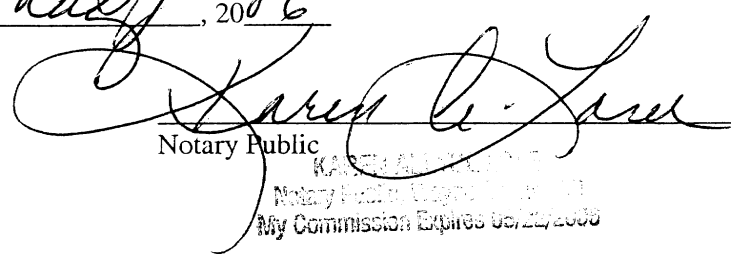
For: DTE Energy-Notice of Hearing for the customers of Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. case # U-13898

Date of Publication: May 17-23, 2006

Signed: 

Sworn before me, and subscribed in my presence on

This 17 day of May, 2006


Notary Public

My Commission Expires 06/21/2008

Commission Expires

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Upper Michigan's Largest Daily Newspaper

249 W. Washington St., P.O. Box 430, Marquette, Michigan 49855. Phone (906)228-2500. Fax (906)228-3273.

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For the County of **MARQUETTE**

In the matter of: Notice of Hearing for the
The Customers of Michigan
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Case No. U-13898

Size: 2 x 14.5 = 29 inches

State of **MICHIGAN**, County of Marquette ss.

JAMES A. REEVS

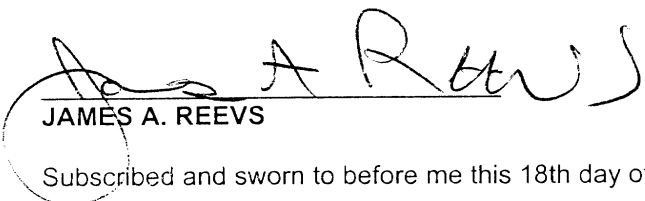
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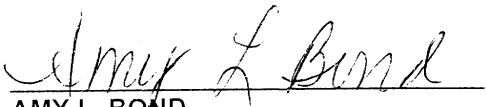
a newspaper published and circulated in
said county and otherwise qualified
according to Supreme Court Rule; that
annexed hereto is a printed copy of a
notice which was published in said
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dates, to-wit

May 15, 2006



JAMES A. REEVS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 2006.



AMY L. BOND

Notary Public for Marquette County, Michigan
Acting in the County of Marquette
My commission expires: July 3, 2007