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TO: REQ/RGQ Glossary Subcommittees co-Chairs
FROM: Bill Oppenheim, PECO Energy
RE: Request for Defined Terms for REQ/RGQ CPS Billing and Payment Standards
DATE: June 18, 2003

My understanding as to the process agreed upon for the initial CPS and SUIS work products at the last EC meeting is that the definitions are to be finalized and approved by the Glossary Subcommittees and then incorporated into the CPS and SUIS work products, where the definitions will be submitted for EC approval along with the Model Business Practices.

To facilitate this process I am providing the Glossary Subcommittees below with a list of terms requiring definition as per the CPS conference call on June 17, 2003. These terms are used in the current CPS Billing and Payment Processing draft. I ask that you give these 20 definitions priority in the Glossary Subcommittees' work queue. I realize there may be some definitions here, which you have already provided.

The CPS Subcommittees are hoping to vote the Billing and Payment standards out of the Subcommittee sometime this fall, so the Executive Committees might take action on them at the October or December EC meetings. To meet this goal, CPS needs the Glossary Subcommittees' approved definitions in time to include them in the documents to be reviewed on July 17 and 18.

For the sake of timeliness, I am making this request on behalf of both CPS Subcommittees.

Terms requiring definition:

Consolidated Billing	Billing Party
Dual Billing	Non-billing Party
Single Retail Supplier Billing	Billing Services Agreement
Assumption of Receivables	Rate Code
Pay As You Get Paid	Rate Ready
Utility	Bill Ready
Supplier	In Dispute
Customer	Business Day
Applicable Regulatory Authority	Governing Documents
Uniform Electronic Transaction	



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