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Mr. Gary Shinnars, Executive Secretary  
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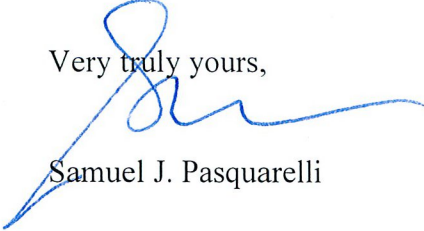
In re: Pennsylvania American Water Co. and  
Utility Workers Union of America, System Local 537  
06-CA-037197; 06-CA-037198; 06-CA-037202; 06-CA-037241; 06-CA-037243,  
Consolidated

Dear Mr. Shinnars:

I am writing to you as the attorney for Utility Workers Union of America, AFL-CIO, System Local 537 relative to the letter sent to you dated June 27, 2014 by James W. Southworth, Esq. and Craig M. Brooks, Esq. requesting oral argument in this matter on behalf of Pennsylvania American Water Company.

This is to advise that Utility Workers Union of America, AFL-CIO, System Local 537 opposes the request for oral argument for the same reasons that it opposed the employer's initial request for oral argument when it filed its exceptions to the decision of Judge Goldman. The issues in this matter were extensively briefed and oral argument is unnecessary to assist the Board in understanding the factual and legal bases of this matter. The issues extant in this matter have been dealt with by the Board in numerous past cases, many of which the parties cited in their respective briefs in this matter. Under these circumstances, oral argument would be an undue expense and an unnecessary use of the time and resources of the parties and the Board.

Very truly yours,



Samuel J. Pasquarelli

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cc: James W. Southworth, Esq.  
Craig M. Brooks, Esq.  
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