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June 11, 2008

VIA US MAIL Brian Bennett **Campaign Finance Analyst** Federal Election Commission **Reports Analysis Division** Washington, D.C. 20463

> RE: Integrys Energy Group, Inc. PAC - FEC ID No. C00442707 Response to FEC Notice Letter of May 22, 2008

Dear Mr. Bennet:

This letter serves as a response to your attached letter dated May 22, 2008 concerning the April Monthly Report for the above referenced PAC (the "Integrys PAC") which requested a response on or before June 23, 2008.

In your letter you indicated that, based on the Integrys' PAC filings to date, the Integrys PAC may have satisfied the criteria for becoming a multi-candidate committee, but that the FEC had not received a FORM 1M filed by the Integrys PAC. Integrys PAC agrees that it attained multi-candidate status by way of its affiliation with the WPS Resources Corporation Responsible Government Committee (FEC ID No. C00107813). Accordingly, on June 4, 2008, the Integrys PAC electronically filed a FORM 1M confirming its multi-candidate status. (See Confirmation of Electronic Filing attached hereto as Ex. A.).

By this filing, the Integrys PAC is now in full compliance with its FEC's reporting requirements. Please contact me directly if the Integrys PAC is required to take any further action with respect to this matter.

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cc: Bradley Johnson, Integrys Energy Group, Inc. PAC

Providing support for: Integrys Energy Group, Integrys Energy Services, Michigan Gas Utilities, Minnesota Energy Resources, North Shore Gas, Peoples Gas, Upper Peninsula Power and Wisconsin Public Service.

FEC 1M Confirmation.txt From: FEC Filing Server [http_db@sdrdc.com] Sent: Wednesday, June 04, 2008 10:05 AM To: Reed, Michael M Subject: FEC Electronic Filing Results DISCLOSE -- FEC Financial Disclosure Filing Acknowledgement This is to acknowledge the receipt and acceptance of your electronic filing via the DISCLOSE protocol. Your filing was received and accepted by our system at 06/04/2008 - 11:04:28, and was assigned the Filing ID of: FEC-343491 Please make a note of this, as it will be necessary to refer to this information in the future. Thank you for using DISCLOSE. < < < < < < < < < < < < IMPORTANT NOTICE! >>>>> > > > A revised electronic filing format, Version 6.2, has been released to software vendors. Format Version 6.1, (current version), may be used for any report filed through June 8, 2008. After June 8, only reports filed in Format Version 6.2 will be accepted. Committees using commercial filing software should contact their vendors for more information about attaining updated software that meets the Version 6.2 specifications. FECFile, Version 6.2.1.0 (new version), will be available for download from the FEC website on June 9, 2008. FECFile Version 6.1.1.3, (current version), may be used to create and file any report through June 8, 2008. After June 8, only reports filed with FECFile Version 6.2.1.0 will be accepted. If you have any questions, please call the Electronic Filing Office at: (202) 694-1307 or (800) 424-9530 ext. 1307. Do not reply to this notice. It is sent from an unattended account that cannot receive email. For your reference, the output of the validation check was as follows: FEC File Validator Version 6.1.1.3 Developed for the Federal Election Commission by NIC Technologies, Incorporated, 1996-2007 Portions Copyright (C) Micro Focus, 1984-1997 === Identification Section == Committee ID: C00442707 Committee Name: Integrys Energy Group Inc PAC Filing Type: F1MN Filing Date: 20080602 Software/Ver#: FECfile / Ver# 6.1.1.3(f20) === Results Section ==== Page 1

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463 May 22, 2008

Bradley Johnson, Treasurer Integrys Energy Group Inc. PAC 130 E Randolph Chicago, IL 60601

Response Due Date: June 23, 2008

Identification Number: C00442707

Reference: April Monthly Report (3/1/08-3/31/08)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following item:

Your filings disclose that your committee may have satisfied the criteria for becoming a multicandidate committee; however, the Commission has no record of a FORM 1M (Notification of Multicandidate Status) filed by your committee. Please be advised that once a political committee meets the certification requirements of 11 CFR (0.5(e)) or becomes affiliated with an existing multicandidate committee, whether or not that political committee has certified its status as a multicandidate committee, it automatically attains multicandidate status and must file a FORM 1M (Notification of Multicandidate Status) within ten (10) calendar days. 11 CFR (0.2, 0)

For further guidance on multicandidate status by affiliation, see 11 CFR §110.2(a)(1). Please submit a FORM 1M to disclose the required information for the public record. A copy of FEC FORM 1M can be downloaded from the FEC website at <u>http://www.fec.gov</u>, or requested through the FEC Fax line at (202) 501-3413.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an

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enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.

<u>Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and</u> reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1140.

Sincerely, Rican kents

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