

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF Greenville

Personally appeared before me R.C. Jarrell who being duly sworn says that he saw W. Harold Rice and Catherine Rice

sign, seal and as his act and deed deliver the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein mentioned and that he with Jane Rice witnessed the execution and delivery thereof.

Sworn to before me this 29 day of October 1951 R.C. Jarrell
R.C. Jarrell

Madah M. Bray
Notary Public of South Carolina



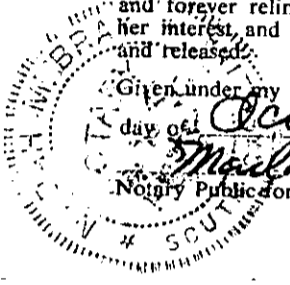
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RENUNCIATION OF DOWER

I, Madah M. Bray, do hereby certify unto whom it may concern, that Mrs. Catherine Rice, the wife of the within-named W. Harold Rice did this day appear before me, and upon being privately and separately examined by me, did declare that she does freely, voluntarily and without any compulsion, dread, or fear of any person or persons whomsoever, renounce, release and forever relinquish unto the within-named PIEDMONT NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC., its successors and assigns, all her interest, and estate, and also all her right and claim of Dower of, in or to all and singular the premises within mentioned and released.

Given under my Hand and Seal this 29 day of October 1951 Catherine Rice

Madah M. Bray (L.S.)
Notary Public for South Carolina



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Notary Public of South Carolina