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May 2, 2008

By U.S. Mail

Thomas E. Skains Chief Executive Officer Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. 4720 Piedmont Row Drive, Charlotte, North Carolina 28210

> RE: Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. File No. 1-6196 Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended October 31, 2007 Filed on December 28, 2007

> > Forms 10-Q for the quarters ended January 31, 2007, April 30, 2007 and July 31, 2007 $\,$

Definitive Schedule 14A Filed January 22, 2008

Dear Mr. Skains:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and related filings and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Michael Moran Branch Chief Accountant