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In the Appeal of	) DOCKET NO. OPA-PA 08-003
TOWN HOUSE DEPARTMENT STORES, INC., dba ISLAND BUSINESS SYSTEMS & SUPPLIES,	REQUEST FOR A DECISION ON THE RECORD
APPELLANT	) ) )

Appellant has, on February 27, 2008, filed its Waiver of Hearing. The time allowed in this matter for filing comments on the Agency Report was March 3, 2008 (see OPA online Status Report). The Agency, GPSS, has failed to request a hearing by said date, thus the matter shall be submitted for decision on the record without hearing. (2 GAR § 12108(a).)

Appellant timely filed, on February 27, 2008, its Comment on the Agency Report. "Any rebuttal an Agency may care to make shall be filed with the Public Auditor within five (5) working days after receipt by the Public Auditor of the comments to which rebuttal is directed...." (2 GAR 12104(c)(4).) Said time limit expired March 5, 2008.

Appellant requests that the record be closed and that this Appeal be submitted for decision in due course, allowing for any courtesies extended to any party's counsel or Hearing Officer due to offisland exigencies.

Dated: March 6, 2008

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