By the Commission:

On October 23, 2006, Mr. Radziewicz filed a complaint alleging billing errors in Plainfield, Illinois on the part of Northern Illinois Gas Company.

Pursuant to notice given in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Commission, this matter came on for status hearings before a duly authorized Administrative Law Judge (“ALJ”) of the Commission at its offices in Chicago, Illinois on December 19, 2006, and on January 25, 2007. Mr. Radziewicz did not appear at any of these hearings, even though he was properly notified by the Clerk of the Commission. He also made no attempt to file a motion or otherwise notify the ALJ that he would not be able to attend the hearings. As a result, at the conclusion of the hearing on January 25, 2007, the record was marked “Heard and Taken.” A proposed order issued on January 29, 2007. Neither party filed a Brief on Exceptions.

Analysis and Conclusions

Based on the foregoing, it is apparent that Mr. Radziewicz does not intend to proceed with this matter. The Commission’s rules provide that complaints that are not prosecuted diligently may be dismissed for want of prosecution. (83 Ill. Adm. Code Sec. 200.550) Based upon the foregoing, this matter should be dismissed for want of prosecution, without prejudice.

Findings and Ordering Paragraphs

The Commission, having considered the record and being fully advised in the premises, is of the opinion and finds that:
(1) Northern Illinois Gas Company is a “public utility” as is defined in the Public Utilities Act;
the Commission has subject-matter jurisdiction and jurisdiction over the parties;

the recitals of fact and conclusions of law in the prefatory portion of this Order are supported by the record and are hereby adopted as findings of fact and conclusions of law;

the Complaint filed by Jeffrey Radziewicz on October 23, 2006, should be dismissed, without prejudice, for want of prosecution.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Complaint filed by Jeffrey Radziewicz on October 23, 2006, is dismissed, without prejudice.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, subject to the provisions of Section 10-113 of the Public Utilities Act and 83 Ill. Adm. Code Section 200.800, this Order is final; it is not subject to the Administrative Review Law.

By Order of the Commission this 6th day of March, 2007.

(SIGNED) CHARLES E. BOX

Chairman