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Advice No. 3623
(U 904 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Notification of the Creation of New Affiliates

Purpose

Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) hereby notifies the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) of the creation of new affiliates as defined in the Commission's Affiliate Transaction Rules (the Rules).

Background

In accordance with Commission Decision No. (D.) 97-12-088, in OIR 97-04-011/OII 97-04-012, Appendix A, Rule VI.B, as modified by D.98-08-035, SoCalGas is required to notify the Commission of the creation of any new affiliate addressed by these Rules. Accordingly, SoCalGas is hereby notifying the Commission of the formation of affiliates as shown on the enclosed Attachment B.

No unusual or unique circumstances exist that would require affiliate transaction rule implementation measures for the new affiliates beyond those already identified by the utility. Therefore, SoCalGas will apply the provisions of its 2005 Compliance Plan Advice No. 3571 to all transactions with the new affiliates included herein. If the Commission modifies or requires the modification of Advice No. 3571, SoCalGas will apply all such changes, or the provisions of such amended plans, to the newly formed affiliates included herein.

This filing will not increase or decrease any rate or charge, conflict with any schedules or rules, or cause the withdrawal of service.

Protest

Anyone may protest this Advice Letter to the Commission. The protest must state the grounds upon which it is based, including such items as financial and service impact, and should be submitted expeditiously. The protest must be made in writing and must be received within 20 days of the date this Advice Letter. There is no restriction on who may file a protest. The address for mailing or delivering a protest to the Commission is:

CPUC Energy Division
Attention: Tariff Unit
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102

Copies of the protest should also be sent via e-mail to the attention of both Jerry Royer (jjr@cpuc.ca.gov) and to Honesto Gatchalian (jnj@cpuc.ca.gov) of the Energy Division. A copy of the protest should also be sent via both e-mail and facsimile to the address shown below on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission.

Attn: Sid Newsom
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555 West Fifth Street
Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011
Facsimile No. (213) 244-4957
E-mail: snewsom@SempraUtilities.com

Effective Date

SoCalGas believes that this filing is subject to Energy Division disposition and since this filing is being made in compliance with D.97-12-088, SoCalGas therefore respectfully requests that it become effective on April 14, 2006, which is the date filed.

Notice

A copy of this advice letter is being sent to the parties listed on Attachment A, which includes the interested parties in R.97-04-011 and I.97-04-012.

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Attachments

CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

ADVICE LETTER FILING SUMMARY ENERGY UTILITY

MUST BE COMPLETED BY UTILITY (Attach additional pages as needed)

Company name/CPUC Utility No. **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY/ U 904 G**

Utility type:

ELC GAS
 PLC HEAT WATER

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EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

ELC = Electric GAS = Gas
PLC = Pipeline HEAT = Heat WATER = Water

(Date Filed/ Received Stamp by CPUC)

Advice Letter (AL) #: 3623

Subject of AL: Notification of the Creation of New Affiliates

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Affiliate

AL filing type: Monthly Quarterly Annual One-Time Other _____

If AL filed in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #:

D97-12-088; D98-08-035

Does AL replace a withdrawn or rejected AL? If so, identify the prior AL _____

Summarize differences between the AL and the prior withdrawn or rejected AL¹: _____

Resolution Required? Yes No

Requested effective date: 04/14/06 No. of tariff sheets: 0

Estimated system annual revenue effect (%): N/A

Estimated system average rate effect (%): N/A

When rates are affected by AL, include attachment in AL showing average rate effects on customer classes (residential, small commercial, large C/I, agricultural, lighting).

Tariff schedules affected: _____

Service affected and changes proposed¹: _____

Pending advice letters that revise the same tariff sheets: _____

Protests and all other correspondence regarding this AL are due no later than 20 days after the date of this filing, unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, and shall be sent to:

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¹ Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

ATTACHMENT A

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(See Attached Service Lists)

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Attachment B
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New Affiliate Name	Address of Headquarters	Primary Officers	Contact Person	Business Activity Description	Effective Date	Covered Affiliate?
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Rockies Express Pipeline, LLC	500 Dallas, Suite 1000 Houston, TX 77002	TBD	Norma G. Jasso Affiliate Compliance Manager Affiliate Compliance Department 8330 Century Park Court San Diego, CA 92123	Acquire, own, develop and operate the Rockies Express Pipeline Project and the Entrega Gas Project.	2/23/2006	Yes (Reclassified from a non-covered affiliate to a covered affiliate)
Entrega Gas Pipeline, LLC	TBD	TBD	Norma G. Jasso Affiliate Compliance Manager Affiliate Compliance Department 8330 Century Park Court San Diego, CA 92123	Operational pipeline beginning at Meeker Hub in Rio Blanco County, Colorado and terminating at the Cheyenne Hub in Weld County, Colorado.	2/23/2006	Yes
Rockies Express Pipeline, LLC merged into Entrega Gas Pipeline, LLC	500 Dallas, Suite 1000 Houston, TX 77002	TBD	Norma G. Jasso Affiliate Compliance Manager Affiliate Compliance Department 8330 Century Park Court San Diego, CA 92123	Acquire, own, develop and operate the Rockies Express Pipeline Project and the Entrega Gas Project.	4/11/2006	Yes

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