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Advice Letter 4687

Rasha Prince, Director Regulatory Affairs Southern California Gas 555 W. Fifth Street, GT14D6 Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011

Subject: Schedule No. G-CPS August 2014 Cash-Out Rates.

Dear Ms. Prince:

Advice Letter 4687 is effective September 3, 2014.

Sincerely,

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September 3, 2014

Advice No. 4687 (U 904 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Schedule No. G-CPS August 2014 Cash-Out Rates

Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) hereby submits revisions to its Schedule No. G-CPS, California Producer Service (G-CPS), applicable throughout its service territory, as shown on Attachment A.

<u>Purpose</u>

This routine filing updates the Imbalance Cash-out Rates in G-CPS with rates for August 2014 as authorized by the California Public Utilities Commission's (Commission) approval, on February 11, 2014, of SoCalGas' Advice No. (AL) 4177-A which was filed in compliance with Resolution (Res.) G-3489 and is consistent with Decision (D.) 07-08-029 and D.10-09-001.

Background

SoCalGas filed AL 4177-A to implement the modifications ordered in Res. G-3489, D.07-08-029, and D.10-09-001. Consistent with these documents, SoCalGas included its new tariff, G-CPS, to cover SoCalGas' costs associated with providing services to California Producers. G-CPS also provides the rate calculation methodology for the monthly California Producer Imbalance Cash-out rates using gas price indices published by the Intercontinental Exchange (ICE).

<u>Information</u>

On February 11, 2014, the Commission approved G-CPS as part of AL 4177-A, along with other tariffs and agreement forms. The methodology that SoCalGas uses to determine the Imbalance Cash-out Rates is described in G-CPS, Special Condition 5.

The Imbalance Cash-out Rates will be filed on or before the third business day of each month to be effective on the date filed. This filing updates the August 2014 Imbalance Cash-out Rates and includes the previous month's Imbalance Cash-out Rates. The Imbalance Cash-out Rates are reflected in the attached G-CPS tariff sheets.

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, which is September 23, 2014. 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 Attn: Tariff Unit 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102

A copy of the protest should also be sent via e-mail to the attention of the Energy Division Tariff Unit (<u>EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov</u>). A copy of the protest should also be sent via both e-mail <u>and</u> facsimile to the address shown below on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission.

Attn: Sid Newsom Tariff Manager - GT14D6 555 West Fifth Street Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011 Facsimile No. (213) 244-4957

E-mail: snewsom@SempraUtilities.com

Effective Date

SoCalGas believes this Advice Letter is subject to Energy Division disposition and should be classified as Tier 1 (effective pending disposition) pursuant to GO 96-B. SoCalGas respectfully requests that the tariff sheets filed herein be effective September 3, 2014, which is the date filed, and are to be applicable to the period of July 2014 through August 2014.

Notice

A copy of this AL is being sent to SoCalGas' GO 96-B service list and the Commission's service list in A.04-08-018, California Producer Access. Address change requests to the GO 96-B should be directed by electronic mail to tariffs@socalgas.com or call 213-244-3387. For changes to all other service lists, please contact the Commission's Process Office at 415-703-2021 or by electronic mail at Process Office@cpuc.ca.gov.

Rasha Prince
Director – Regulatory Affairs

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. SOU | THERN CALIFO | RNIA GAS COMPANY (U 904G) | |
| Utility type: | Contact Person: Si | d Newsom | |
| ☐ ELC | Phone #: (213) 244-2846 | | |
| ☐ PLC ☐ HEAT ☐ WATER | E-mail: SNewsom@semprautilities.com | | |
| EXPLANATION OF UTILITY T | YPE | (Date Filed/ Received Stamp by CPUC) | |
| ELC = Electric GAS = Gas PLC = Pipeline HEAT = Heat W | VATER = Water | | |
| Advice Letter (AL) #: 4687 | | | |
| Subject of AL: Schedule No. G-CPS A | —— ugust 2014 Cash-Oı | at Rates | |
| | | | |
| Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): | Compliance; Non- | Core | |
| AL filing type: Monthly Duarter | ly 🗌 Annual 🗌 On | e-Time 🗌 Other | |
| If AL filed in compliance with a Comm | ission order, indicat | e relevant Decision/Resolution #: | |
| _G-3489 | | | |
| Does AL replace a withdrawn or rejector | ed AL? If so, identif | Ty the prior AL <u>No</u> | |
| Summarize differences between the AI | and the prior with | drawn or rejected AL¹: N/A | |
| | | | |
| Does AL request confidential treatmen | t? If so, provide exp | lanation: No | |
| Resolution Required? Yes No | | Tier Designation: ⊠ 1 □ 2 □ 3 | |
| Requested effective date: 9/3/14 | | No. of tariff sheets: $\underline{4}$ | |
| Estimated system annual revenue effective | ct: (%): N <u>/A</u> | | |
| Estimated system average rate effect (| %): N/A | | |
| When rates are affected by AL, include (residential, small commercial, large C | | showing average rate effects on customer classes ting). | |
| Tariff schedules affected: Schedule G | | | |
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| Service affected and changes proposed ¹ : N/A | | | |
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| 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: | | | |
| CPUC, Energy Division | | outhern California Gas Company | |
| Attention: Tariff Unit | | Attention: Sid Newsom | |
| 505 Van Ness Ave., | | 55 West 5th Street, GT14D6 | |
| San Francisco, CA 94102 | | Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011 | |
| EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov | | <u>SNewsom@semprautilities.com</u> Tariffs@socalgas.com | |
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 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

ATTACHMENT A Advice No. 4687

| Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. | Title of Sheet | Cancelling Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. | |
|--------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--|
| Revised 50692-G | Schedule No. G-CPS, CALIFORNIA PRODUCER SERVICE, Sheet 7 | Revised 50631-G | |
| Revised 50693-G | Schedule No. G-CPS, CALIFORNIA PRODUCER SERVICE, Sheet 8 | Revised 50632-G | |
| Revised 50694-G | TABLE OF CONTENTS | Revised 50633-G | |
| Revised 50695-G | TABLE OF CONTENTS | Revised 50691-G | |

Revised Revised LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA CANCELING

CAL. P.U.C. SHEET NO. CAL. P.U.C. SHEET NO.

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Schedule No. G-CPS **CALIFORNIA PRODUCER SERVICE**

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SPECIAL CONDITIONS (Continued)

5. (Continued)

Cash-out Rates Using Daily Index – SoCal Border as Reported by ICE:

| | 150% of 7-Day Average | 50% of 7-Day Average | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| July 2014 | of High Daily Indices | of Low Daily Indices | Average Daily Index |
| Flow Date | (\$/therm) | (\$/therm) | (\$/therm) |
| 1 | 0.70521 | 0.22929 | 0.47293 |
| 2 | 0.70511 | 0.22929 | 0.47181 |
| 3 | 0.70382 | 0.22836 | 0.46762 |
| 4 | 0.69739 | 0.22689 | 0.44824 |
| 5 | 0.69675 | 0.22671 | 0.44824 |
| 6 | 0.69611 | 0.22654 | 0.44824 |
| 7 | 0.69546 | 0.22636 | 0.44824 |
| 8 | 0.69204 | 0.22493 | 0.45553 |
| 9 | 0.68764 | 0.22314 | 0.44693 |
| 10 | 0.68405 | 0.22164 | 0.44653 |
| 11 | 0.68598 | 0.22111 | 0.44377 |
| 12 | 0.68577 | 0.22021 | 0.43713 |
| 13 | 0.68555 | 0.21932 | 0.43713 |
| 14 | 0.68534 | 0.21843 | 0.43713 |
| 15 | 0.68448 | 0.21793 | 0.44450 |
| 16 | 0.68470 | 0.21814 | 0.44971 |
| 17 | 0.68368 | 0.21793 | 0.44803 |
| 18 | 0.67725 | 0.21686 | 0.42799 |
| 19 | 0.67039 | 0.21557 | 0.41566 |
| 20 | 0.66354 | 0.21429 | 0.41566 |
| 21 | 0.65668 | 0.21300 | 0.41566 |
| 22 | 0.65100 | 0.21114 | 0.41995 |
| 23 | 0.64564 | 0.20904 | 0.41615 |
| 24 | 0.64179 | 0.20739 | 0.41647 |
| 25 | 0.64232 | 0.20654 | 0.41479 |
| 26 | 0.64446 | 0.20596 | 0.40926 |
| 27 | 0.64661 | 0.20539 | 0.40926 |
| 28 | 0.64875 | 0.20482 | 0.40926 |
| 29 | 0.64907 | 0.20468 | 0.41488 |
| 30 | 0.64779 | 0.20407 | 0.41198 |
| 31 | 0.64618 | 0.20371 | 0.41098 |
| Average for the Month | N/A | N/A | 0.43418 |

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Schedule No. G-CPS **CALIFORNIA PRODUCER SERVICE**

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SPECIAL CONDITIONS (Continued)

5. (Continued)

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| | 150% of 7-Day Average | 50% of 7-Day Average | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| August 2014 | of High Daily Indices | of Low Daily Indices | Average Daily Index |
| Flow Date | (\$/therm) | (\$/therm) | (\$/therm) |
| 1 | 0.64693 | 0.20357 | 0.41937 |
| 2 | 0.64779 | 0.20371 | 0.41945 |
| 3 | 0.64864 | 0.20386 | 0.41945 |
| 4 | 0.64950 | 0.20400 | 0.41945 |
| 5 | 0.64854 | 0.20371 | 0.41776 |
| 6 | 0.64875 | 0.20400 | 0.41819 |
| 7 | 0.64896 | 0.20443 | 0.41858 |
| 8 | 0.64811 | 0.20493 | 0.41950 |
| 9 | 0.64661 | 0.20486 | 0.41118 |
| 10 | 0.64511 | 0.20479 | 0.41118 |
| 11 | 0.64361 | 0.20471 | 0.41118 |
| 12 | 0.64425 | 0.20525 | 0.41978 |
| 13 | 0.64532 | 0.20575 | 0.42177 |
| 14 | 0.64532 | 0.20539 | 0.41287 |
| 15 | 0.64468 | 0.20461 | 0.41077 |
| 16 | 0.64275 | 0.20386 | 0.40040 |
| 17 | 0.64082 | 0.20311 | 0.40040 |
| 18 | 0.63889 | 0.20236 | 0.40040 |
| 19 | 0.63686 | 0.20104 | 0.40427 |
| 20 | 0.63450 | 0.20025 | 0.41091 |
| 21 | 0.63321 | 0.19982 | 0.41005 |
| 22 | 0.63429 | 0.19989 | 0.41332 |
| 23 | 0.63429 | 0.20036 | 0.40545 |
| 24 | 0.63429 | 0.20082 | 0.40545 |
| 25 | 0.63429 | 0.20129 | 0.40545 |
| 26 | 0.63536 | 0.20186 | 0.41544 |
| 27 | 0.63643 | 0.20221 | 0.41565 |
| 28 | 0.63814 | 0.20293 | 0.41712 |
| 29 | 0.63686 | 0.20343 | 0.41833 |
| 30 | 0.63943 | 0.20407 | 0.41833 |
| 31 | 0.64200 | 0.20471 | 0.41833 |
| Average for the Month | N/A | N/A | 0.41322 |

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