### PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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July 1, 2015 Advice Letter: 4804-G

Southern California Gas Company Attention: Sid Newsom 555 West Fifth Street, GT14D6 Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011

**SUBJECT:** Notification of the Creation of New Affiliates

Dear Mr. Newsom:

Advice Letter 4804-G is effective as of May 8, 2015.

Sincerely,

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May 8, 2015

Advice No. 4804 (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 A.

D.97-12-088, as subsequently modified by various decisions, adopted rules governing the relationship between California's natural gas local distribution companies and electric utilities and certain of their affiliates. For the purposes of a gas utility, the Rules apply to all utility transactions with affiliates engaging in the provision of a product that uses gas or the provision of services that relate to the use of gas. However, regardless of the foregoing, where explicitly provided, the Rules also apply to a utility's parent holding company and to all of its affiliates, whether or not they engage in the provision of a product that uses gas or electricity or the provision of services that relate to the use of gas or electricity.<sup>1</sup>

No unusual or unique circumstances exist that would require affiliate transaction rule implementation measures for these affiliates beyond those already identified

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In accordance with D.06-12-029, only certain Rules apply to holding companies that are not engaged in the provision of gas- or electricity-related products and/or services.

by the utility. Therefore, SoCalGas will apply the provisions of its 2014 Compliance Plan Advice No. 4658 to all transactions with these affiliates. If the Commission modifies or requires the modification of Advice No. 4658, SoCalGas will apply all such changes, or the provisions of such amended plans, to the 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, which is May 28, 2015. 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

A copy of the protest should also be sent via e-mail to the attention of the Energy Division Tariff Unit (<a href="mailto:EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov">EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov</a>). A copy of the protest should also be sent via both e-mail <a href="mailto:and">and</a> 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, and since this filing is being made in compliance with D.97-12-088, SoCalGas therefore respectfully requests that it become effective on May 8, 2015, which is the date filed.

### **Notice**

A copy of this advice letter is being sent to SoCalGas' GO 96-B service list. Address change requests to the GO 96-B should be directed by electronic mail to <a href="mailto:tariffs@socalgas.com">tariffs@socalgas.com</a> or call 213-244-3387.

Ronald van der Leeden Director – Regulatory Affairs

Attachments

# CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

### ADVICE LETTER FILING SUMMARY ENERGY UTILITY

MUST BE COMPLE	CTED BY UTILITY (A	ttach additional pages as needed)						
Company name/CPUC Utility No. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY (U 904G)								
Utility type:	Contact Person: Sid Newsom							
☐ ELC	Phone #: (213) 244-2846							
☐ PLC ☐ HEAT ☐ WATER	E-mail: SNewsom@semprautilities.com							
EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TY		(Date Filed/ Received Stamp by CPUC)						
ELC = Electric GAS = Gas		(Bute Their Received Stamp by 61 66)						
	VATER = Water							
Advice Letter (AL) #: 4804								
Subject of AL: Notification of the Crea	ntion of New Affiliat	es						
<b>Keywords (choose from CPUC listing):</b>	Affiliates							
AL filing type:   Monthly   Quarter	AL filing type:   Monthly  Quarterly  Annual  One-Time  Other  Periodic							
If AL filed in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #:								
_D97-12-088, as modified by D98-08-035 and further modified by D06-12-029								
Does AL replace a withdrawn or rejected AL? If so, identify the prior AL No								
•	Summarize differences between the AL and the prior withdrawn or rejected AL <sup>1</sup> : N/A							
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Does AL request confidential treatmen	t? If so, provide exp	lanation: No						
Resolution Required?   Yes   No		Tier Designation: ⊠ 1 □ 2 □ 3						
Requested effective date: May 8, 2015		No. of tariff sheets: 0						
Estimated system annual revenue effect	ct: (%): N <u>/A</u>							
Estimated system average rate effect (9	%): 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: None								
Service affected and changes proposed¹: N/A								
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Pending advice letters that revise the same tariff sheets: None								
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.,		555 West 5th Street, GT14D6						
San Francisco, CA 94102		Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011						
EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov		SNewsom@semprautilities.com						
		Tariffs@socalgas.com						

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}$  Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

# SoCalGas Advice No. 4804 Attachment A Notification of the Creation of New Affiliates

New Affiliate Name	Address of Headquarters	Primary Officers	Contact Person	<b>Business Activity Description</b>	Effective Date	Covered Affiliate?
Black Oak Getty Wind Holdings	101 Ash Street San Diego, CA 92101	Kevin Sagara - President Justin Bird - VP & Secretary	Ramon Gonzales Manager - Accounting Systems & Compliance 555 W. 5th Street GT15B1 Los Angeles, CA 90013	The purpose of this company is to act as a holding company; to directly or indirectly participate as a shareholder/member and/or investor in all types of entities, whether of commercial or any other nature, domestic or foreign.	3/13/2015	Yes <sup>1</sup>
Sempra LNG ECA Liquefaction, LLC	101 Ash Street San Diego, CA 92101	Octavio Simoes - President Justin Bird - VP & Secretary	Ramon Gonzales Manager - Accounting Systems & Compliance 555 W. 5th Street GT15B1 Los Angeles, CA 90013	Operating Company - Engaging in any lawful act or activity for which limited partnerships may be formed under the Act including, without limitation, the acquisition and disposition of assets in connection with the proposed development of natural gas liquefaction capacity at the Energia Costa Azul liquefied natural gas receipt terminal located near Ensenada, Baja California, Mexico.	3/20/2015	Yes
Black Oak Wind, LLC	101 Ash Street San Diego, CA 92101	Kevin Sagara - President	Ramon Gonzales Manager - Accounting Systems & Compliance 555 W. 5th Street GT15B1 Los Angeles, CA 90013	The purpose of this company is to act as a holding company; to directly or indirectly participate as a shareholder/member and/or investor in all types of entities, whether of commercial or any other nature, domestic or foreign.	3/25/2015	Yes <sup>1</sup>
Getty Wind Company	101 Ash Street San Diego, CA 92101	Kevin Sagara - President	Ramon Gonzales Manager - Accounting Systems & Compliance 555 W. 5th Street GT15B1 Los Angeles, CA 90013	The purpose of this company is to develop, own and operate wind power generation facilities.	3/25/2015	Yes

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New Affiliate Name	Address of Headquarters	Primary Officers	Contact Person	Business Activity Description	Effective Date	Covered Affiliate?
Fundacion	Av. Paseo de la	Juan Rodriguez	Ramon Gonzales	A nonprofit organization that will benefit all	4/6/2015	Yes <sup>1</sup>
IEnova, A.C.	Reforma #342 Piso 24 Col. Juárez, Delegación Cuauhtémoc México, D.F. C.P. 06600	Castandeda - President	Manager - Accounting Systems & Compliance 555 W. 5th Street GT15B1 Los Angeles, CA 90013	activities to help people, sectors and regions with limited resources; indigenous communities and vulnerable groups, which include age, sex or disability problems.		

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