
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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December 3, 2015

Advice Letter: 4888-G

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

SUBJECT: Localized Firm Curtailment on November 3, 2015

Dear Mr. Newsom:

Advice Letter 4888-G is effective as of November 3, 2015.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Edward Randolph".

Edward Randolph
Director, Energy Division



Ronald van der Leeden
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November 3, 2015

Advice No. 4888
(U 904 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Localized Firm Curtailment on November 3, 2015

Purpose

Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) hereby submits this Advice Letter to notify the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) and affected parties of a curtailment event in its service territory.¹

Information

A. Facts Underlying and Reasons for the Curtailment

SoCalGas initiated a localized firm curtailment on noncore customers beginning at 12:01 a.m. on Tuesday, November 3, 2015 through 11:59 p.m. on Wednesday, November 4, 2015 in order to complete Pipeline Safety Enhancement Program work. Affected firm customers will not have gas service available during the curtailment.

The outage is associated with Pipeline Safety Enhancement Program work that is needed to perform a valve replacement on a transmission pipeline.

SoCalGas' affected customers are located in the city of Riverside, in the area south of the Santa Ana River, west of Wilderness Avenue, east of Acorn Street, and north of Jurupa Avenue. Refer to the map provided in Attachment A showing the general affected area.

B. Compliance with SoCalGas' Tariffs

This curtailment was instituted in accordance with Section E.2 of Rule No. 30, Transportation of Customer-Owned Gas, and Section C.1 of Rule No. 23, Continuity of

¹ SoCalGas is submitting this Advice Letter pursuant to Decision (D.) 91-09-026.

Service and Interruption of Delivery.

C. Efforts by SoCalGas to Minimize or Alleviate the Curtailment

SoCalGas provided advanced notification to affected customers of the pipeline maintenance and planned curtailment through their Account Managers. A subsequent notice was posted on Envoy on October 6, 2015.² SoCalGas also made efforts to coordinate work around customers' schedules and scheduled the outage in the fall to minimize impact to customers.

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 received within 20 days of the date of this Advice Letter which is November 23, 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

Copies of the protest should also be sent via e-mail to the attention of the Energy Division Tariff Unit (EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov). A copy of the protest shall 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
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 General Order (GO) 96-B. It is in compliance with Ordering Paragraph 1 of D.91-09-026. Therefore, SoCalGas respectfully requests that it be made effective on November 3, 2015, which is the date of filing.

²<https://scgenvoy.sempra.com/index.html#nav=/Public/ViewExternalEbb.getMessageLedger%3FfolderId%3D1%26rand%3D437>

Notice

A copy of this Advice Letter is being sent to SoCalGas' GO 96-B service list, the Commission's service lists for R.11-02-019 and A.11-11-002, and the list of affected customers, which is being submitted under the confidentiality provisions of GO 66-C and Section 583 of the Public Utilities Code. Address change requests to the GO 96-B should be directed by electronic mail to tariffs@socalgas.com 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 COMPLETED BY UTILITY (Attach additional pages as needed)

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

Utility type:

ELC

GAS

PLC

HEAT

WATER

Contact Person: Sid Newsom

Phone #: (213) 244-2846

E-mail: SNewsom@semprautilities.com

EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

ELC = Electric

GAS = Gas

PLC = Pipeline

HEAT = Heat

WATER = Water

(Date Filed/ Received Stamp by CPUC)

Advice Letter (AL) #: 4888

Subject of AL: Localized Firm Curtailment on November 3, 2015

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Curtailment

AL filing type: Monthly Quarterly Annual One-Time Other

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

D.91-09-026

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 AL¹: N/A

Does AL request confidential treatment? If so, provide explanation: No

Resolution Required? Yes No

Tier Designation: 1 2 3

Requested effective date: 11/3/2015

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: N/A

Service affected and changes proposed¹: N/A

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

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San Francisco, CA 94102

EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov

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¹ Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

ATTACHMENT A

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Map of the Affected Area

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