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Advice Letter 4947

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Subject: Localized Partial Firm Curtailment on April 6, 2016

Dear Mr. van der Leeden:

Advice Letter 4947 is effective as of April 6, 2016.

Sincerely,

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April 6, 2016

Advice No. 4947 (U 904 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Localized Partial Firm Curtailment on April 6, 2016

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 partial firm curtailment on noncore customers beginning at 3:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 6, 2016 through 3:00 a.m. on Friday, April 8, 2016 in order to complete Pipeline Safety Enhancement Plan work. Affected firm customers will have reduced gas service available during the curtailment.

SoCalGas' affected customers are located in the city of Lakewood area, south of South Street, west of the 605 Freeway, north of Carson Street, and east of Bellflower Boulevard.

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 Service and Interruption of Delivery.

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

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. The most recent notice was posted on Envoy on March 25, 2016.²

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 April 26, 2016. 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 (<u>EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov</u>). 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 April 6, 2016, which is the date filed.

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²https://scgenvoy.sempra.com/index.html#nav=/Public/ViewExternalEbb.getMessageLedger%3Ffolderld%3D1%26rand%3D94

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. 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.

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:	Contact Person: Sid Newsom	
☐ ELC	Phone #: (213) 244-2846	
☐ PLC ☐ HEAT ☐ WATER	E-mail: SNewsom@semprautilities.com	
EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE		(Date Filed/ Received Stamp by CPUC)
ELC = Electric GAS = Gas PLC = Pipeline HEAT = Heat W		
Advice Letter (AL) #: 4947		
Subject of AL: Localized Partial Firm Curtailment on April 6, 2016		
Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Curtailment		
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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		
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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: 4/6/16		No. of tariff sheets: <u>0</u>
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		Southern California Gas Company
Attention: Tariff Unit		Attention: Sid Newsom
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San Francisco, CA 94102		Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011
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 $^{^{\}scriptscriptstyle 1}$ Discuss in AL if more space is needed.