

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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June 27, 2016

**Advice Letter 4967-G**

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Southern California Gas  
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**SUBJECT: Localized Firm Curtailment on May 21, 2016**

Dear Mr. van der Leeden:

Advice Letter 4967-G is effective as of May 23, 2016.

Sincerely,

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

Edward Randolph  
Director, Energy Division



**Ronald van der Leeden**  
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May 23, 2016

Advice No. 4967  
(U 904 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

**Subject: Localized Firm Curtailment on May 21, 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.<sup>1</sup>

**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 Saturday, May 21, 2016 through 11:59 p.m. on Sunday, May 22, 2016 or until work is completed in order to complete Pipeline & Construction Management work. Affected firm customers will not have gas service available during the curtailment.

SoCalGas' affected customers are located in the city of El Segundo area, south of El Segundo Boulevard, west of Sepulveda Boulevard, north of Rosecrans Avenue, and east of the Pacific coastline. 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 Service and Interruption of Delivery.

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<sup>1</sup> 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 April 20, 2016.<sup>2</sup>

#### **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 June 12, 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 ([EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto: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](mailto: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 May 23, 2016, which is the date filed.

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<sup>2</sup>[https://scgenvoy.sempra.com/index.html#nav=/Public/ViewExternalEbb.getMessageLedger%3Ffol  
derId%3D1%26rand%3D329](https://scgenvoy.sempra.com/index.html#nav=/Public/ViewExternalEbb.getMessageLedger%3FfolderId%3D1%26rand%3D329).

**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](mailto:tariffs@socalgas.com) or call 213-244-3387.

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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) #: 4967

Subject of AL: Localized Firm Curtailment on May 21, 2016

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 AL<sup>1</sup>: N/A

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

Resolution Required?  Yes  No

Tier Designation:  1  2  3

Requested effective date: 5/23/16

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 proposed<sup>1</sup>: 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  
Attention: Tariff Unit  
505 Van Ness Ave.,  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
[EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov)

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Attention: Sid Newsom  
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<sup>1</sup> Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

**ATTACHMENT A**

**Advice No. 4967**

**Map of the Affected Area**

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