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Advice No. 5336
(U 904G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Expedited Advice Letter Approval for Interstate Capacity Contract

Purpose

Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) respectfully requests approval by the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC or Commission) of an interstate capacity contract.

Background

Under the interstate capacity acquisition procedure approved in Decision (D.) 04-09-022, contracts for interstate capacity supported by the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA) and The Utility Reform Network (TURN) may be submitted for approval to the Commission by an Expedited Advice Letter. ORA has been consulted and does not oppose the capacity contract as described. TURN has been consulted and does not offer an opinion on the capacity contract as described.

Description of Contract

The terms of the contract are confidential and are described in Attachment A. This submittal will not create any deviations from SoCalGas' tariffs, cause withdrawal of service from any present customer, or impose any more or less restrictive conditions.

Confidentiality

Due to the confidential nature of the contract which contains market-sensitive negotiated core capacity contract terms, a Confidential Attachment A, pursuant to General Order (GO) 66-D, Section 583 of the Public Utilities Code, and D.17-09-023 is being provided to Energy Division and ORA, and to TURN under the confidentiality

provisions of a non-disclosure agreement. A declaration requesting confidential treatment is being provided to the Commission concurrently with this Advice Letter, pursuant to D.17-09-023.

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 10 days of the date this Expedited Advice Letter was submitted with the Commission, which is August 13, 2018. 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 email to the attention of Jean Spencer (jean.spencer@cpuc.ca.gov) and 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 addresses shown below on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission.

Attn: Ray B. Ortiz
Tariff Manager - GT14D6
555 West Fifth Street
Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011
Facsimile No.: (213) 244-3837
E-Mail: ROrtiz@semprautilities.com

Attn: Pamela Wu
Regulatory Case Manager - GT14D6
555 West Fifth Street
Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011
Facsimile No: (213) 244-3718
E-Mail: PWu@semprautilities.com

Effective Date

SoCalGas believes that this submittal is subject to Energy Division disposition and should be classified as Tier 2 (effective after staff approval) pursuant to GO 96-B. SoCalGas respectfully requests that this submittal become effective on August 24, 2018, which is 21 calendar days after the date submitted.

Notice

A copy of this Advice Letter is being sent to SoCalGas' GO 96-B service list and the Commission's service list in R.04-01-025. Address change requests to the GO 96-B service list should be directed by e-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 e-mail at Process_Office@cpuc.ca.gov.

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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: Ray B. Ortiz

Phone #: (213) 244-3837

E-mail: ROrtiz@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) #: 5336

Subject of AL: Expedited Advice Letter Approval for Interstate Capacity Contract

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Contracts, Capacity

AL filing type: Monthly Quarterly Annual One-Time Other Periodic

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

D.04-09-022

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: See the Declaration of Confidentiality.

Resolution Required? Yes No

Tier Designation: 1 2 3

Requested effective date: 8/24/18

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: N/A

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:

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¹ Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

ATTACHMENT A

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Terms of Capacity Contract

This Attachment is being provided only to the Energy Division and Office of Ratepayer Advocates under the confidentiality provisions of the General Order 66-C, Section 583 of the Public Utilities Code, and D.16-08-024 and to The Utility Reform Network under a nondisclosure agreement.

