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January 7, 2022

<u>Advice No. 5924</u> (U 904 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

### <u>Subject</u>: Quarterly Summary of Maintenance Related Curtailments – October 1, 2021, through December 31, 2021

#### <u>Purpose</u>

Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) hereby submits this Advice Letter (AL) to notify the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission or CPUC) and affected parties of curtailment events in its service territory.<sup>1</sup>

#### **Background**

SoCalGas Rule No. 23, Section J, provides the following:

The Utility shall submit an Advice Letter to the Commission's Energy Division within five business days from the conclusion of a non-maintenance-related curtailment. The filing shall state the facts underlying and the reasons for the curtailment, shall demonstrate that the type of curtailment being declared complies with the Utility's tariffs, and shall set forth efforts the Utility has taken to minimize or alleviate the curtailment. The filing shall be served by electronic mail or overnight mail on affected noncore customers and posted by the Utility on its Electronic Bulletin Board. The Utility shall submit an Advice Letter to the Commission's Energy Division within five business days from the end of each calendar quarter providing the same information for all maintenance-related curtailments over the reporting period.

This AL submission is being made consistent with that requirement and covers all maintenance-related curtailments that occurred during the period of October 1, 2021, through December 31, 2021. The following table summarizes the maintenance-related curtailments that occurred over the reporting period. Each event is described in more

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> SoCalGas is submitting this AL pursuant to Decision (D.) 16-07-008.

detail in the following sections. Attachment A includes a list of affected customers for each event.

Curtailment Event Start Date	Curtailment Event End Date	Affected Area
October 22, 2021, 7:00 a.m.	October 22, 2021, 4:30 p.m.	Orcutt
November 2, 2021, 12:01 a.m.	November 5, 2021, 11:25 a.m.	El Segundo
November 16, 2021, 7:00 a.m.	November 16, 2021, 3:56 p.m.	El Segundo
November 17, 2021, 6:00 a.m.	November 19, 2021, 9:00 p.m.	Lost Hills

#### October 22, 2021 Curtailment Event Information (Orcutt)

#### A. Facts Underlying and Reasons for the Curtailment

SoCalGas initiated a localized curtailment of service in the area of Orcutt at 7:00 a.m. on October 22, 2021. The localized curtailment of service ended at 4:30 p.m. on October 22, 2021. SoCalGas implemented this localized curtailment in order to perform maintenance work.

A list of the affected customers is provided in Attachment A.

#### B. Compliance with SoCalGas' Tariffs

This curtailment was instituted in accordance with Section E.2 of Rule No. 30, Interruption of Service, and Section C.1 of Rule No. 23, Effectuation of Curtailment. Accordingly, each affected noncore customer was provided a maximum usage during the curtailment event.

#### C. Efforts by SoCalGas to Notify Affected Customers

SoCalGas notified the affected customers of the curtailment of service through their Account Manager and via the ENVOY® electronic bulletin board (ENVOY®).<sup>2</sup> Notices were posted on ENVOY® on September 23, 2021, October 9, 2021, and October 25, 2021.<sup>3</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Curtailment notices may be accessed on ENVOY® under Critical Notices, available at: <u>https://scgenvoy.sempra.com/#nav=/Public/ViewExternalEbb.getMessageLedger%3FfolderId%3D</u> <u>1%26rand%3D26</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The Orcutt curtailment event was originally posted for the city of Santa Maria. The ENVOY® curtailment notices for Santa Maria were posted on April 21, 2021, April 23, 2021, July 15, 2021, August 20, 2021, and September 15, 2021.

#### November 2, 2021 – November 5, 2021 Curtailment Event Information (El Segundo)

#### A. Facts Underlying and Reasons for the Curtailment

SoCalGas initiated a localized curtailment of service in the area of El Segundo at 12:01 a.m. on November 2, 2021. The localized curtailment of service ended at 11:25 a.m. on November 5, 2021. SoCalGas implemented this localized curtailment in order to perform maintenance work.

A list of the affected customers is provided in Attachment A.

#### B. Compliance with SoCalGas' Tariffs

This curtailment was instituted in accordance with Section E.2 of Rule No. 30, Interruption of Service, and Section C.1 of Rule No. 23, Effectuation of Curtailment. Accordingly, each affected noncore customer was provided a maximum usage during the curtailment event.

#### C. Efforts by SoCalGas to Notify Affected Customers

SoCalGas notified the affected customers of the curtailment of service through their Account Manager and via ENVOY®. Notices were posted on ENVOY® on September 2, 2021, and November 5, 2021.

#### November 16, 2021 Curtailment Event Information (El Segundo)

#### A. Facts Underlying and Reasons for the Curtailment

SoCalGas initiated a localized curtailment of service in the area of El Segundo at 7:00 a.m. on November 16, 2021. The localized curtailment of service ended at 3:56 p.m. on November 16, 2021. SoCalGas implemented this localized curtailment in order to perform maintenance work.

A list of the affected customers is provided in Attachment A.

#### B. Compliance with SoCalGas' Tariffs

This curtailment was instituted in accordance with Section E.2 of Rule No. 30, Interruption of Service, and Section C.1 of Rule No. 23, Effectuation of Curtailment. Accordingly, each affected noncore customer was provided a maximum usage during the curtailment event.

#### C. Efforts by SoCalGas to Notify Affected Customers

SoCalGas notified the affected customers of the curtailment of service through their Account Manager and via ENVOY®. Notices were posted on ENVOY® on October 20, 2021, and November 17, 2021.

#### November 17, 2021 – November 19, 2021 Curtailment Event Information (Lost Hills)

#### A. Facts Underlying and Reasons for the Curtailment

SoCalGas initiated a localized curtailment of service in the area of Lost Hills at 6:00 a.m. on November 17, 2021. The localized curtailment of service ended at 9:00 p.m. on November 19, 2021. SoCalGas implemented this localized curtailment in order to perform maintenance work.

A list of the affected customers is provided in Attachment A.

#### B. Compliance with SoCalGas' Tariffs

This curtailment was instituted in accordance with Section E.2 of Rule No. 30, Interruption of Service, and Section C.1 of Rule No. 23, Effectuation of Curtailment. Accordingly, each affected noncore customer was provided a maximum usage during the curtailment event.

#### C. Efforts by SoCalGas to Notify Affected Customers

SoCalGas notified the affected customers of the curtailment of service through their Account Manager and via ENVOY®. Notices were posted on ENVOY® on November 3, 2021, and November 20, 2021.

#### **Confidentiality**

Due to the confidential nature of the information in Attachment A, a declaration requesting confidential treatment is included. The List of the Affected Customers in Attachment A is only being provided to Energy Division under the confidentiality provisions of General Order (GO) 66-D Revision 1, Section 583 of the Public Utilities Code, and D.17-09-023.

#### <u>Protest</u>

Anyone may protest this AL 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 AL, which January 27, 2022. 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 (<u>EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov</u>). Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, SoCalGas is currently unable to receive protests or comments to this AL via U.S. mail or fax. Please submit protests or comments to this AL via e-mail to the addresses shown below on the

same date it is mailed or e-mailed to the Commission.

Attn: Grisel Juarez Velazquez Sr. Regulatory Tariff Administrator 555 West Fifth Street – GT14D6 Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011 Facsimile No.: (213) 244-4957 E-mail: <u>GJuarezVelazquez@socalgas.com</u> E-mail: <u>Tariffs@socalgas.com</u>

#### Effective Date

SoCalGas believes this AL is subject to Energy Division disposition and should be classified as Tier 1 (effective pending disposition) pursuant to GO 96-B. It is in compliance with D.16-07-008. Therefore, SoCalGas respectfully requests that it be made effective for service on January 7, 2022, which is the date submitted.

#### <u>Notice</u>

A copy of this AL is being sent to SoCalGas' GO 96-B service list and the Commission's service lists for A.15-06-020 and A.18-07-024. Address change requests to the GO 96-B service list should be directed by e-mail to <u>Tariffs@socalgas.com</u> or call 213-244-2837. For changes to all other service lists, please contact the Commission's Process Office at 415-703-2021 or by e-mail at <u>Process Office@cpuc.ca.gov</u>.

<u>/s/ Joseph Mock</u> Joseph Mock Director – Regulatory Affairs

Attachments



# California Public Utilities Commission

## ADVICE LETTER SUMMARY ENERGY UTILITY



MUST BE COMPLETED BY UTILITY (Attach additional pages as needed)					
Company name/CPUC Utility No.:					
Utility type: ELC GAS WATER PLC HEAT	Contact Person: Phone #: E-mail: E-mail Disposition Notice to:				
EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE ELC = Electric GAS = Gas PLC = Pipeline HEAT = Heat WATER = Water	(Date Submitted / Received Stamp by CPUC)				
Advice Letter (AL) #:	Tier Designation:				
Subject of AL:					
Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): AL Type: Monthly Quarterly Annual One-Time Other: If AL submitted in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #:					
Does AL replace a withdrawn or rejected AL? I	f so, identify the prior AL:				
Summarize differences between the AL and th	e prior withdrawn or rejected AL:				
Confidential treatment requested? Yes	No				
If yes, specification of confidential information: Confidential information will be made available to appropriate parties who execute a nondisclosure agreement. Name and contact information to request nondisclosure agreement/ access to confidential information:					
Resolution required? Yes No					
Requested effective date:	No. of tariff sheets:				
Estimated system annual revenue effect (%):					
Estimated system average rate effect (%):					
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:					
Service affected and changes proposed <sup>1</sup> :					
Pending advice letters that revise the same tariff sheets:					

Protests and all other correspondence regarding this AL are due no later than 20 days after the date of this submittal, unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, and shall be sent to:

CPUC, Energy Division Attention: Tariff Unit 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102 Email: <u>EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov</u>	Name: Title: Utility Name: Address: City: State: Telephone (xxx) xxx-xxxx: Facsimile (xxx) xxx-xxxx: Email:
	Name: Title: Utility Name: Address: City: State: Telephone (xxx) xxx-xxxx: Facsimile (xxx) xxx-xxxx: Email:

#### ATTACHMENT A

Advice No. 5924

List of Affected Customers

Confidential and Protected Materials Pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 583, General Order 66-D, and D.17-09-023

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

#### DECLARATION OF RASHA PRINCE REGARDING CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN DATA/DOCUMENTS PURSUANT TO D.17-09-023

I, Rasha Prince, do declare as follows:

1. I am the Director of Customer Energy Solutions for Southern California Gas Company ("SoCalGas"). I have been delegated authority to sign this declaration by Donny Widjaja, Vice President of Customer Solutions. I have reviewed the confidential information included within Attachment A to Advice No. 5924 submitted concurrently herewith (AL 5924 Attachment A). I am personally familiar with the facts in this Declaration and, if called upon to testify, I could and would testify to the following based upon my personal knowledge and/or information and belief.

I hereby provide this Declaration in accordance with Decision ("D.") 17-09 023 and General Order ("GO") 66-D Revision 1<sup>1</sup> to demonstrate that the confidential

information ("Protected Information") provided in the AL 5924 Attachment A is within the scope of data protected as confidential under applicable law.

3. In accordance with the narrative justification described in Attachment A, the Protected Information should be protected from public disclosure.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> GO 66-D was modified by D.19-01-028 to create GO 66-D Revision 1 which became effective February 1, 2019.

Executed this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January 2022, at Los Angeles.

Rasha Prince

Rasha Prince Director, Customer Energy Solutions

### ATTACHMENT A

#### SoCalGas Request for Confidentiality on the following information in its response to AL 5924 Attachment A

Location of Protected Information	Legal Citations	Narrative Justification
Items highlighted in grey in AL 5924 Attachment A	<ul> <li>CPRA Exemption, Gov't Code § 6254(k) ("Records, the disclosure of which is exempted or prohibited pursuant to federal or state law")</li> <li>Civil Code § 1798.80 et seq. (process for protecting customer records)</li> <li>Civil Code § 1798.98 (protecting energy usage data)</li> </ul>	When curtailments are called, information regarding affected customers should be limited to a geographical area. Information regarding an individual customer's rate or gas reductions could influence competition in the gas market, signal customers about product continuity, and violate a customer's privacy.
	<ul> <li>Evid. Code § 1060</li> <li>Civil Code § 3426 et seq.</li> <li>CPRA Exemption, Gov't Code § 6254.7(d)</li> <li>CPRA Exemption, Gov't Code § 6255(a) (Balancing Test)</li> </ul>	Data is market-sensitive information that, if revealed, would place customers at an unfair business disadvantage because it provides market sensitive information regarding customer usage data.