PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco CA 94102-3298



### Southern California Gas Company GAS (Corp ID 904) Status of Advice Letter 6205G As of November 22, 2023

Subject: Quarterly Summary of Medium-Large Commercial and Industrial Customers Participating in the COVID-19 Disconnection Moratorium July 1, 2023 September 30, 2023

Division Assigned: Energy Date Filed: 10-13-2023 Date to Calendar: 10-23-2023 Authorizing Documents: D2104015

Disposition:AcceptedEffective Date:10-13-2023

Resolution Required: No

Resolution Number: None

Commission Meeting Date: None

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To: Energy Company Filing Advice Letter

From: Energy Division PAL Coordinator

Subject: Your Advice Letter Filing

The Energy Division of the California Public Utilities Commission has processed your recent Advice Letter (AL) filing and is returning an AL status certificate for your records.

The AL status certificate indicates:

Advice Letter Number Name of Filer CPUC Corporate ID number of Filer Subject of Filing Date Filed Disposition of Filing (Accepted, Rejected, Withdrawn, etc.) Effective Date of Filing Other Miscellaneous Information (e.g., Resolution, if applicable, etc.)

The Energy Division has made no changes to your copy of the Advice Letter Filing; please review your Advice Letter Filing with the information contained in the AL status certificate, and update your Advice Letter and tariff records accordingly.

All inquiries to the California Public Utilities Commission on the status of your Advice Letter Filing will be answered by Energy Division staff based on the information contained in the Energy Division's PAL database from which the AL status certificate is generated. If you have any questions on this matter please contact the:

Energy Division's Tariff Unit by e-mail to edtariffunit@cpuc.ca.gov



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October 13, 2023

<u>Advice No. 6205-G</u> (U 904 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

#### <u>Subject</u>: Quarterly Summary of Medium-Large Commercial and Industrial Customers Participating in the COVID-19 Disconnection Moratorium – July 1, 2023 through September 30, 2023

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

In compliance with Ordering Paragraph (OP) 2 of Decision (D.) 21-04-015, Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) hereby submits this Advice Letter to provide a quarterly report to the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission or CPUC) summarizing the number of medium-large commercial and industrial customers participating in the COVID-19 disconnection moratorium and the financial amount of the under-collected and unpaid bills that have accrued, from July 1, 2023 through September 30, 2023.

#### **Background**

On December 21, 2020, the Commission initiated an expedited Phase 3 of the Rulemaking (R.) 18-03-011 proceeding to provide disaster relief for medium-large commercial and industrial investor-owned utility (IOU) customers, at a time when the coronavirus remains prevalent.

On April 19, 2021, the Commission adopted a COVID-19 disconnection moratorium for medium-large commercial and industrial customers of California's four large IOUs: Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), Southern California Edison Company (SCE), San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E), and SoCalGas.<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to OP 2 of D.21-04-015, the four large IOUs are directed to each submit quarterly reports to the Energy Division via a Tier 1 Advice Letter summarizing the number of medium-large commercial and industrial customers participating in the COVID-19 disconnection moratorium and the financial amount of the under-collected and nonpayment bills that have accrued within 15 days of the last day of each quarter.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See D.21-04-015, OP 6.

#### Compliance Reporting

Reporting Requirement	Data as of September 30, 2023
Number of Medium-Large Commercial and Industrial Customers Participating in the COVID-19 Disconnection Moratorium as of September 30, 2023 <sup>2,3</sup>	231
Total Arrearage Amount of Medium-Large Commercial and Industrial Customers Participating in the COVID-19 Disconnection Moratorium as of September 30, 2023 (greater than 30 days)	\$4,055,321.75
Total Amount Recorded in the Medium-Large Commercial and Industrial COVID-19 Disconnection Moratorium Memorandum Account (CDMMA) as of September 30, 2023 <sup>4</sup>	\$0

#### Protests

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 submitted electronically and must be received within 20 days after the date of this Advice Letter, which is November 2, 2023. Protests should be submitted to the attention of the Energy Division Tariff Unit at:

E-mail: <u>EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov</u>

In addition, protests and all other correspondence regarding this Advice Letter should also be sent electronically to the attention of:

Attn: Gary Lenart Regulatory Tariff Manager E-mail: <u>GLenart@socalgas.com</u> E-mail: <u>Tariffs@socalgas.com</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Number of SoCalGas' Medium-Large Commercial and Industrial Customers on an active payment plan on September 30, 2023.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> On July 6, 2021, Energy Division clarified that "the M/L customers who should be included in the first quarterly report are all non-residential core customers …who are enrolled and current on a payment plan as of June 29, 2021."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> SoCalGas has not recorded any costs in the Medium-Large Commercial and Industrial COVID-19 Disconnection Moratorium Memorandum Account. SoCalGas' Advice No. 5810-A established the CDMMA to record expenses for medium-large commercial and industrial customers during the COVID-19 disconnection moratorium from December 30, 2020 through September 30, 2021, approved by the Commission on October 12, 2021.

#### Effective Date

This submittal is subject to Energy Division disposition and should be classified as Tier 1 (effective pending disposition) pursuant to General Order (GO) 96-B and OP 2 of D.21-04-015. Therefore, SoCalGas respectfully requests that this submittal be approved and made effective October 13, 2023, the date submitted.

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

A copy of this Advice Letter is being sent to SoCalGas' General Order (GO) 96-B service list and the Commission's service list in R.18-03-011. Address change requests to the GO 96-B service list should be directed via e-mail to <u>Tariffs@socalgas.com</u> or call 213-244-2424. For changes to all other service lists, please contact the Commission's Process Office at 415-703-2021 or via 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 WATER = Water PLC = Pipeline HEAT = Heat	(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? If so, identify the prior AL:		
Summarize differences between the AL and the 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:
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