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Advice Letter 2623-G

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Subject: Public Purpose Program surcharge tariff revisions correction to Schedule G-NT

Dear Ms de la Torre:

Advice Letter 2623-G is effective March 1, 2005. A copy of the advice letter is returned herewith for your records.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S H Gallagher".

Sean H. Gallagher, Director
Energy Division



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April 15, 2005

Advice 2623-G

(Pacific Gas and Electric Company ID U39G)

**Subject: Public Purpose Program (PPP) Surcharge Tariff Revisions
Correction to Gas Rate Schedule G-NT**

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) hereby submits for filing revisions to its gas tariffs. The affected tariff sheets are listed on the enclosed Attachment I.

Purpose

The purpose of this filing is to make a minor correction to PG&E's gas Schedule G-NT. Certain language referring to the gas Public Purpose Program (PPP) inadvertently was not deleted in Advice 2613-G. Similar language is now contained in the new gas Schedule G-PPPS.

Background

On February 22, 2005, PG&E filed Advice 2613-G implementing new gas Schedule G-PPPS approved in Advice 2574-G in order to separate gas PPP surcharges from the transportation rates paid by applicable customer classes. Schedule G-PPPS also describes customers that are exempt from the surcharge in accordance with Public Utilities (PU) Code Section 896.

Tariff Revisions

PG&E is submitting gas Schedule G-NT – *Gas Transportation Service to Noncore End-Use Customers*, to delete the language now found in Schedule G-PPPS.

Protests

Anyone wishing to protest this filing may do so by sending a letter by **May 4, 2005**, which is 20 days from the date of this filing. The protest must state the grounds upon which it is based, including such items as financial and service impact, and should be submitted expeditiously. Protests should be mailed to:

IMC Branch Chief – Energy Division
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, 4th Floor
San Francisco, California 94102

Facsimile: (415) 703-2200
E-mail: jjr@cpuc.ca.gov

Protests also should be sent by e-mail and facsimile to Mr. Jerry Royer, Energy Division, as shown above, and by U.S. mail to Mr. Royer at the above address. The protest should be sent via both e-mail and facsimile to PG&E on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission at the address shown below.

Pacific Gas and Electric Company
Attention: Brian K. Cherry
Director, Regulatory Relations
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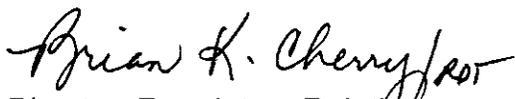
Effective Date

PG&E requests that this advice letter be approved effective **March 1, 2005**, which is the same effective date requested in Advice 2613-G.

Notice

In accordance with General Order 96-A, Section III, Paragraph G, a copy of this advice letter is being sent electronically and via U.S. mail to parties shown on the attached list and the parties on the service list for Rulemaking 02-10-001. Address changes should be directed to Rose de la Torre at (415) 973-4716. Advice letter filings can also be accessed electronically at:

<http://www.pge.com/tariffs>


Director, Regulatory Relations

cc: Service List – R. 02-10-001

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. **Pacific Gas and Electric Company**

Utility type: ENERGY

Contact Person: Rose de la Torre

ELC GAS

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PLC HEAT WATER

E-mail: rxdd@pge.com

EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

(Date Filed/ Received Stamp by CPUC)

ELC = Electric

GAS = Gas

PLC = Pipeline

HEAT = Heat

WATER = Water

Advice Letter (AL) #: **2623-G**

Subject of AL: Public Purpose Program (PPP) Surcharge Tariff Revisions Correction
to Gas Rate Schedule G-NT

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): PUBLIC PURPOSE PROGRAM, TRANSPORTATION,
SURCHARGES

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

If AL filed in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #:
D.04-08-010

Does AL replace a withdrawn or rejected AL? If so, identify the prior AL n/a

Summarize differences between the AL and the prior withdrawn or rejected AL¹: _____

Resolution Required? Yes No

Requested effective date: 3/01/2005 No. of tariff sheets: 2

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: G-NT

Service affected and changes proposed¹: _____

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

jjr@cpuc.ca.gov and jnj@cpuc.ca.gov

Utility Info (including e-mail)

Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Attention: Brian K. Cherry

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San Francisco, CA 94177

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¹ Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

**ATTACHMENT I
ADVICE 2623-G**

Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.	Title of Sheet	Cancelling Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.
23106-G	Rate Schedules -- G-NT -- Gas Transportation Service to Noncore End-Use Customers	22975-G
23107-G	Table of Contents -- Rate Schedules --	23056-G



SCHEDULE G-NT—GAS TRANSPORTATION SERVICE TO NONCORE END-USE CUSTOMERS

APPLICABILITY: This rate schedule* applies to the transportation of natural gas to Noncore End-Use Customers on PG&E's Backbone, Local Transmission and/or Distribution Systems. To qualify for service under this schedule, a Customer must be classified as a Noncore End-Use Customer, as defined in Rule 1. To initially qualify for noncore status, a non-residential Customer must have maintained an average monthly use, through a single meter, in excess of 20,800 therms during the previous twelve (12) months, excluding those months during which usage was 200 therms or less. Certain noncore customers served under this schedule may be restricted from converting to a core rate schedule. See Rule 12 for details on core and noncore reclassification.

Customers on Schedule G-NT must procure gas supply from a supplier other than PG&E.

TERRITORY: Schedule G-NT applies everywhere within PG&E's natural gas Service Territory.

RATES: The applicable Customer Access Charges and Distribution Level Transportation Rate specified below is based on the Customer's Average Monthly Usage, as defined in Gas Rule 1. Usage through multiple noncore gas meters on a single premises will be combined to determine Average Monthly Usage.

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1. Customer Access Charge:

The applicable Per-Day Customer Access Charge is multiplied by the number of days in the billing period.

<u>Average Monthly Use (Therms)</u>	<u>Per Day</u>
0 to 5,000	\$ 1.94663
5,001 to 10,000	\$ 5.79814
10,001 to 50,000	\$ 10.79178
50,001 to 200,000	\$ 14.16296
200,001 to 1,000,000	\$ 20.54926
1,000,001 and above	\$174.31134

* PG&E's gas tariffs are available on-line at www.pge.com.

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RATE SCHEDULES

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