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Advice Letter 2680-G

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Subject: Consolidation of Approved Changes to Gas Preliminary Statement Part C.12.b

Dear Ms de la Torre:

Advice Letter 2680-G is effective July 1, 2005. A copy of the advice letter is sent herewith for your records.

Sincerely,

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

Sean H. Gallagher
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Advice 2680-G
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**Subject: Consolidation of Approved Changes to Gas Preliminary
Statement Part C.12.b**

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

This purpose of this advice letter is to consolidate approved revisions to Preliminary Statement (PS) C—*Gas Accounting Terms and Definitions*, Part C.12.b, effective July 1, 2005, onto one tariff sheet. The particular section being updated in this consolidation is entitled Revision Dates – Annual Gas True-up of Balancing Accounts (AGT) and is labeled Part C.12.b in Advice 2440-G-C and Part C.11.b in Advice 2646-G. Since 2440-G-C was more recently approved, PG&E rightfully incorporates the approved changes into Part C.12.b. The revisions in this advice letter were approved by the Commission as follows:

Advice 2440-G-C Filed August 24, 2005, effective July 1, 2005
Establish New Public Purpose Program Surcharge Gas
Accounts

Advice 2646-G Filed June 23, 2005, effective July 1, 2005
Core Monthly Procurement Rate Changes – Biennial Cost
Allocation Proceeding (D.05-06-029)

Protests

Anyone wishing to protest this filing may do so by sending a letter by **December 19, 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:

CPUC - Energy Division
Attention: Tariff Unit
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California 94102

Facsimile: (415) 703-2200
E-mail: jjr@cpuc.ca.gov and jjn@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 at the address shown below on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission.

Pacific Gas and Electric Company
Attention: Brian K. Cherry
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San Francisco, California 94177

Facsimile: (415) 973-7226
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Notice

In accordance with General Order 96-A, Section III, Paragraph G, a copy of this advice letter is being sent electronically and sent via U.S. mail to parties shown on the attached list. Address change requests should also be directed to Rose de la Torre at (415) 973-4716. Advice letter filings can be accessed electronically at:
<http://www.pge.com/tariffs>

Brian K. Cherry, Sr.
Director, Regulatory Relations

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. Pacific Gas and Electric Company (ID39G)

Utility type:

ELC GAS
 PLC HEAT WATER

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EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

ELC = Electric GAS = Gas
PLC = Pipeline HEAT = Heat WATER = Water

(Date Filed/ Received Stamp by CPUC)

Advice Letter (AL) #: **2680-G**

Subject of AL: Consolidation of Approved Changes to Gas Preliminary Statement Part C.12.b

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): CONSOLIDATE TARIFFS

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

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

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: **07-01-05**

No. of tariff sheets: None

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: __Preliminary Statement Part C - Gas Accounting Terms and Definitions

Service affected and changes proposed¹: _____

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 filing, unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, and shall be sent to:

CPUC, Energy Division

Utility Info (including e-mail)

Attention: Tariff Unit

505 Van Ness Ave.,

San Francisco, CA 94102

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

¹ Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

**ATTACHMENT 1
Advice 2680-G**

Cal P.U.C. Sheet No.	Title of Sheet	Cancelling Cal P.U.C. Sheet No.
23561-G	Preliminary Statement Part C--Gas Accounting Terms and Definitions	23349-G, 23262-G
23562-G	Table of Contents -- Preliminary Statements	23437-G
23563-G	Table of Contents -- Rate Schedules	23477-G



PRELIMINARY STATEMENT
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C. GAS ACCOUNTING TERMS AND DEFINITIONS (Cont'd.)

12. REVISION DATES: PG&E's application for the Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding (BCAP) shall be filed based on a schedule set forth by the CPUC. PG&E's Procurement rate shall be updated monthly.

a. Core Procurement Rate Change

Per Decision 97-10-065, an advice filing to change core procurement rates will be filed monthly. The filing will update certain forecasted procurement costs and the amortization component of the procurement rate. PG&E will continue to provide a Weighted Average Cost of Gas (WACOG) forecast in its BCAP for ratemaking purposes.

Per Decision 03-12-008, noncore customers switching to core service are subject to a crossover procurement rate, as specified in Schedule G-CPX, for the first twelve (12) regular monthly billing periods. Schedule G-CPX is filed by advice letter monthly.

b. Annual Gas True-up of Balancing Accounts (AGT)

Per Decision 05-06-029, an advice filing to change core and noncore transportation rates will be filed 45 days prior to the end of each calendar year for rates effective January 1. The filing will update the customer class charge components of transportation rates to recover all transportation-related balancing and memorandum account balances for costs that the Commission has authorization to be recovered in rates.

To determine the change in the customer charge components of transportation rates, PG&E will rely on the following:

- 1) The December 31 forecasted balance for each transportation balancing and memorandum account to be updated in the AGT will be determined based on the most recent recorded balance plus a forecast of the costs and revenues, including interest, through December 31.
- 2) The customer class charge components will be calculated by dividing the forecasted December 31 balancing account balances by the annual average adjusted BCAP throughput.

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ABAG Power Pool	Department of Water & Power City	Northern California Power Agency
Accent Energy	DGS Natural Gas Services	Office of Energy Assessments
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CA League of Food Processors	Gas Transmission Northwest Corporation	Sequoia Union HS Dist
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California Energy Commission	Goodin, MacBride, Squeri, Schlotz &	Sierra Pacific Power Company
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