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November 28, 2022

Advice 6774-E

(Pacific Gas and Electric Company ID U 39 E)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Final Tariff Sheets for Implementation of the New Line-Item Discount Schedule D-MEDICAL Effective December 1, 2022, in Compliance With Decision 22-04-004

Purpose

The purpose of this advice letter is to provide final tariff sheets for Schedule D-MEDICAL, a new rate approved by the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC, or Commission) in Decision (D.) 22-04-004,¹ which will become effective December 1, 2022.

Background

Currently, the benefits received by PG&E's Medical customers are inextricably tied to the customer taking service on a tiered rate schedule like PG&E's default TOU rate, Schedule E-TOU-C, or its simple tiered (non-TOU) rate, Schedule E-1. This is because the benefits are provided to Medical customers via augmented baseline allowances that are only applicable to tiered rates.² In A.20-10-006, PG&E proposed to offer an additional option, Schedule D-MEDICAL, for Medical customers who wish to take service on a non-tiered TOU rate that would retain the approximate value of the benefits they receive on tiered rates, on average, via a 12 percent line-item discount.

D.22-04-004 approved an all-party settlement agreement (Settlement) that was submitted to the Commission in February 2021 that endorsed PG&E's proposed option for its

¹ D.22-04-004 was issued in PG&E's Application (A.) 20-10-006 (Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Approval to Provide Eligible Residential Medical Customers on Non-Tiered Rates a Medical Baseline Benefit Through a Line-Item Discount).

² Medical customers typically have their baseline allowances augmented by 500 kilowatt-hours, which allows them to have a greater percentage of their total kWh usage billed at the lowest Tier 1 rate.

Medical customers to receive a 12 percent line-item discount on non-tiered TOU rates.³ The Settlement also included additional protections for existing Medical customers selecting a non-tiered TOU rate. Subsequently, on September 2, 2022, PG&E submitted Advice 6688-E which included *pro forma* tariff language for new Schedule D-MEDICAL. On September 29, 2022, the Commission's Energy Division approved Advice 6688-E with that tariff language, to become effective December 1, 2022.

In this advice letter, in Attachment 1, PG&E is submitting final tariff sheets for Schedule D-MEDICAL. These sheets contain the identical *pro forma* tariff language approved in Advice 6688-E.

Protests

Anyone wishing to protest this submittal may do so by letter sent electronically via E-mail, no later than December 19, 2022, which is 21 days⁴ after the date of this submittal. Protests must be submitted to:

CPUC Energy Division
ED Tariff Unit
E-mail: EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov

The protest shall also be electronically sent to PG&E via E-mail at the address shown below on the same date it is electronically delivered to the Commission:

Sidney Bob Dietz II
Director, Regulatory Relations
c/o Megan Lawson
E-mail: PGETariffs@pge.com

Any person (including individuals, groups, or organizations) may protest or respond to an advice letter (General Order 96-B, Section 7.4). The protest shall contain the following information: specification of the advice letter protested; grounds for the protest; supporting factual information or legal argument; name and e-mail address of the protestant; and statement that the protest was sent to the utility no later than the day on which the protest was submitted to the reviewing Industry Division (General Order 96-B, Section 3.11).

³ Motion for Adoption of the Medical Baseline Settlement Agreement in Pacific Gas and Electric's Application for Approval to Provide Eligible Residential Medical Customers on Non-Tiered Rates a Medical Baseline Benefit Through a Line-Item Discount, February 6, 2021. The parties to the Settlement Agreement were the Public Advocates Office of the CPUC (Cal Advocates), The Utility Reform Network (TURN), the Center for Accessible Technology (CforAT), and PG&E.

⁴ The 20-day protest period concludes on a weekend; therefore, PG&E is moving this date to the following business day.

Effective Date

Pursuant to General Order (GO) 96-B, Rule 5.2, this advice letter is submitted with a Tier 1 designation. PG&E requests that this Tier 1 advice submittal become effective on December 1, 2022.

Notice

In accordance with General Order 96-B, Section IV, a copy of this advice letter is being sent electronically to parties shown on the attached list and the parties on the service list for A.20-10-006. Address changes to the General Order 96-B service list should be directed to PG&E at email address PGETariffs@pge.com. For changes to any other service list, please contact the Commission's Process Office at (415) 703-2021 or at Process_Office@cpuc.ca.gov. Send all electronic approvals to PGETariffs@pge.com. Advice letter submittals can also be accessed electronically at: <http://www.pge.com/tariffs/>.

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Sidney Bob Dietz II
Director, Regulatory Relations

Attachments:

Attachment 1: Final Tariff Language for Schedule D-MEDICAL

cc: Service List A.20-10-006



ADVICE LETTER SUMMARY

ENERGY UTILITY



MUST BE COMPLETED BY UTILITY (Attach additional pages as needed)

Company name/CPUC Utility No.: Pacific Gas and Electric Company (ID U39 E)

Utility type:

- ELC GAS WATER
 PLC HEAT

Contact Person: Kimberly Loo

Phone #: (415)973-4587

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E-mail Disposition Notice to: KELM@pge.com

EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

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

(Date Submitted / Received Stamp by CPUC)

Advice Letter (AL) #: 6774-E

Tier Designation: 1

Subject of AL: Final Tariff Sheets for Implementation of the New Line-Item Discount Schedule D-MEDICAL Effective December 1, 2022, in Compliance With Decision 22-04-004

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Compliance

AL Type: Monthly Quarterly Annual One-Time Other:

If AL submitted in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #: D.22-04-004

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 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: 12/1/22

No. of tariff sheets: 3

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: See Attachment 1

Service affected and changes proposed¹: N/A

Pending advice letters that revise the same tariff sheets: N/A

¹Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

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

California Public Utilities Commission
Energy Division Tariff Unit Email:
EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov

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Clear Form

Cal P.U.C. Sheet No.	Title of Sheet	Cancelling Cal P.U.C. Sheet No.
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54753-E*	ELECTRIC TABLE OF CONTENTS Sheet 3	54745-E



ELECTRIC SCHEDULE D-MEDICAL
LINE-ITEM DISCOUNT FOR MEDICAL CUSTOMERS

Sheet 1

(N)
(N)

APPLICABILITY: This schedule is applicable to single-phase and polyphase residential service in single-family dwellings and in flats and apartments separately metered by PG&E, where the applicant qualifies for PG&E's Medical program under the eligibility and certification criteria set forth in Electric Rule 19, Sections B through E. As described in Advice Letter 6688-E, Schedule D-MEDICAL is being implemented in phases. In the initial phase, beginning December 1, 2022, Schedule D-MEDICAL will be available, on an optional basis, to non-net energy metering customers taking service on PG&E's non-tiered time-of-use (TOU) pro-electrification rate, Schedule E-ELEC. In future phases, it will become available to customers taking service on net energy metering and net billing tariffs, and to customers taking service on PG&E's remaining open non-tiered TOU rates (Schedules EV2-A and E-TOU-D).

(N)

A Medical program customer who was (1) taking service on a tiered electric rate schedule that includes a Medical discount prior to the establishment of Schedule D-MEDICAL and (2) who subsequently enrolls into Schedule E-ELEC is eligible to return to its previous tiered rate schedule, so long as that schedule is open to new customers, if the request is made to PG&E before the date exactly one year after the Schedule D-MEDICAL first becomes effective.

TERRITORY: This rate schedule applies everywhere PG&E provides electric service.

RATES: Customers taking service on this rate schedule will receive a 12 percent discount on their total bundled charges on their otherwise applicable rate schedule (except for the California Climate Credit, which will not be discounted). The MEDICAL discount will be calculated for direct access and community choice aggregation customers based on the total charges as if they were subject to bundled service rates. Discounts will be applied as a residual reduction to distribution charges, after D-MEDICAL customers are exempted from the Wildfire Fund Charge rate component.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

- 1. OTHERWISE APPLICABLE SCHEDULE:** The Special Conditions of the Customer's otherwise applicable rate schedule will apply to this schedule.
- 2. ELIGIBILITY:** To be eligible to receive D-MEDICAL the applicant must qualify under the criteria set forth in PG&E's Electric Rules 19, Sections B through E, and meet the certification requirements thereof to the satisfaction of PG&E. Qualifying Direct Access, Community Choice Aggregation Service, and Transitional Bundled Service customers on applicable rate schedules are also eligible to take service on Schedule D-MEDICAL. Applicants may qualify for D-MEDICAL at their primary residence only.

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