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**Southwest Gas Corporation**  
**GAS (Corp ID 905)**  
**Status of Advice Letter 1247G**  
**As of March 2, 2023**

Subject: Clean-Up Submission to Revise Rule No. 2 - Description of Service

Division Assigned: Energy

Date Filed: 01-06-2023

Date to Calendar: 01-16-2023

Authorizing Documents: None

<b>Disposition:</b>	<b>Accepted</b>
<b>Effective Date:</b>	<b>02-06-2023</b>

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- Disposition of Filing (Accepted, Rejected, Withdrawn, etc.)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  
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# **SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION**

January 6, 2023

## **Advice Letter No. 1247-G**

(U 905 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

### **Subject: Clean-Up Submission to Revise Rule No. 2 – Description of Service**

Southwest Gas Corporation (Southwest Gas or Company) hereby submits for approval by the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) revisions to its California Gas Tariff. The tariff sheet being modified as a result of this submission is provided in Attachment A.

### **Purpose**

The purpose of this Advice Letter is to request Commission approval to make a non-substantial “clean-up” revision to the tariff, as described below.

### **Background**

Southwest Gas’ tariffs reflect and represent the outcome of numerous Commission decisions, resolutions, rulings, general orders, code changes, laws, and policy changes that have occurred over the years. Occasionally, Southwest Gas submits a “clean-up” Advice Letter for Commission approval to revise tariff language to make clarifying changes, correct minor and/or inadvertent errors, and remove obsolete information.

### **Requested Tariff Revision to Rule No. 2 – Description of Service**

Southwest Gas revises the “Elevation Range” in Rule No. 2, Section C.4 – Altitude Zone 2 with the correct elevation range (200-599) for the stated standard barometric pressure. A redlined version of the tariff is contained in Attachment B.

This Advice Letter will not increase any rate or charge, cause the withdrawal of service, or conflict with any other schedule or rule.

### **Effective Date**

Southwest Gas believes this submittal Advice Letter should be classified as Tier 2 (Effective After Energy Division Disposition) pursuant to General Order (GO) 96-B. Southwest Gas respectfully requests that this Advice Letter be made effective February 6, 2023, which is thirty (30) calendar days after the date submitted.



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### **Protest**

Anyone may protest this Advice Letter to the Commission's Energy Division. The protest must state the grounds upon which it is based with specificity and must be sent no later than 20 days after the date of this Advice Letter submission. Protests are to be submitted electronically to the Commission's Energy Division at:

Email: [edtariffunit@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:edtariffunit@cpuc.ca.gov)

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

Ms. Valerie J. Ontiveroz  
Regulatory Manager/California  
Email: [valerie.ontiveroz@swgas.com](mailto:valerie.ontiveroz@swgas.com)  
[regserve@swgas.com](mailto:regserve@swgas.com)

### **Notice**

Southwest Gas believes it is exempt from the notice requirements set forth in General Rule 4.2 of GO 96-B, since this Advice Letter will not increase any rate or charge, cause the withdrawal of service, or conflict with any other schedule or rule that are currently in effect.

Respectfully submitted,  
SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

By:   
Valerie J. Ontiveroz

Attachments

**Distribution List**

Advice Letter No. 1247-G

In conformance with GO 96-B, General Rule 4.3

The following individuals or entities have been served by electronic mail:

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ATTACHMENT A  
Advice Letter No. 1247-G

Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.	Title of Sheet	Canceling Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.
1st Revised Sheet No. 166	Rule No. 2 – Description of Service ( <i>Continued</i> )	Original Sheet No. 166

RULE NO. 2

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE  
*(Continued)*

C. DETERMINATION OF THERMS TO BE BILLED *(Continued)*

4. All Other Accounts *(Continued)*

TABULATION OF STANDARD BAROMETRIC PRESSURE

<u>Altitude Zone No.</u>	<u>Elevation Range</u>	<u>Standard Barometric Pressure</u>
1	-200 – 199	14.73
2	200 – 599	14.52
3	600 – 999	14.32
4	1000 – 1399	14.11
5	1400 – 1799	13.91
6	1800 – 2199	13.72
7	2200 – 2599	13.52
8	2600 – 2999	13.33
9	3000 – 3399	13.14
10	3400 – 3799	12.95
11	3800 – 4199	12.77
12	4200 – 4599	12.58
13	4600 – 4999	12.41
14	5000 – 5399	12.23
15	5400 – 5799	12.05
16	5800 – 6199	11.88
17	6200 – 6599	11.71
18	6600 – 6999	11.54
19	7000 – 7399	11.38
20	7400 – 7799	11.21
21	7800 – 8199	11.06
22	8200 – 8599	10.90
23	8600 – 8999	10.74
24	9000 – 9399	10.59

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**ATTACHMENT B**

**Redlined Version of Tariff**



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*(Continued)*

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# 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:

<sup>1</sup>Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

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## ENERGY Advice Letter Keywords

Affiliate	Direct Access	Preliminary Statement
Agreements	Disconnect Service	Procurement
Agriculture	ECAC / Energy Cost Adjustment	Qualifying Facility
Avoided Cost	EOR / Enhanced Oil Recovery	Rebates
Balancing Account	Energy Charge	Refunds
Baseline	Energy Efficiency	Reliability
Bilingual	Establish Service	Re-MAT/Bio-MAT
Billings	Expand Service Area	Revenue Allocation
Bioenergy	Forms	Rule 21
Brokerage Fees	Franchise Fee / User Tax	Rules
CARE	G.O. 131-D	Section 851
CPUC Reimbursement Fee	GRC / General Rate Case	Self Generation
Capacity	Hazardous Waste	Service Area Map
Cogeneration	Increase Rates	Service Outage
Compliance	Interruptible Service	Solar
Conditions of Service	Interutility Transportation	Standby Service
Connection	LIEE / Low-Income Energy Efficiency	Storage
Conservation	LIRA / Low-Income Ratepayer Assistance	Street Lights
Consolidate Tariffs	Late Payment Charge	Surcharges
Contracts	Line Extensions	Tariffs
Core	Memorandum Account	Taxes
Credit	Metered Energy Efficiency	Text Changes
Curtable Service	Metering	Transformer
Customer Charge	Mobile Home Parks	Transition Cost
Customer Owned Generation	Name Change	Transmission Lines
Decrease Rates	Non-Core	Transportation Electrification
Demand Charge	Non-firm Service Contracts	Transportation Rates
Demand Side Fund	Nuclear	Undergrounding
Demand Side Management	Oil Pipelines	Voltage Discount
Demand Side Response	PBR / Performance Based Ratemaking	Wind Power
Deposits	Portfolio	Withdrawal of Service
Depreciation	Power Lines	