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February 24, 2010

Advice Letter 835

Don Soderberg, Vice-President/Pricing
Southwest Gas Corporation
P O Box 98510
Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510

Subject: **Revision of Rule No. 5.C**

Dear Mr. Soderberg:

Advice Letter 835 is effective February 8, 2010.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Julie A. Fitch".

Julie A. Fitch, Director
Energy Division



SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

Donald L. Soderberg, Vice President/Pricing

January 8, 2010

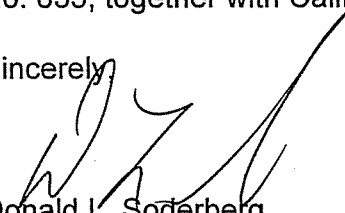
Attention: Julie Fitch, Director
California Public Utilities Commission
Energy Division
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4004
San Francisco, CA 94102

Subject: Southwest Gas Corporation (U 905 G)
Advice Letter No. 835

Dear Ms. Fitch:

Enclosed herewith are five (5) copies of Southwest Gas Corporation's Advice Letter No. 835, together with California Gas Tariff Sheet Nos. 7043-G through 7052-G.

Sincerely,



Donald L. Soderberg

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Enclosures



SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

Advice Letter No. 835

January 8, 2010

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Southwest Gas Corporation (Southwest) (U 905 G) tenders herewith for filing revisions to its tariff, which affect the following tariff sheets:

California Gas Tariff

<u>Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.</u>	<u>Title of Sheet</u>	<u>Canceling Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.</u>
7043-G	Rule No. 5 – Special Information Required on Forms	2803-G
7044-G	Customer Bill (Form 927.0 09/2008)	6501-G
7045-G	Customer Bill – Disconnect Notice (Form 927.10 09/2008)	6507-G
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Purpose

The purpose of this filing is to revise Rule No. 5.C – *Deposit Receipts* for clarity and to be consistent with current company practices. This filing will also update all applicable customer forms affected as a result of this change.



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Background

Pursuant to Southwest's existing Rule No. 5.C, information about customer deposits is provided on receipts for cash deposits only. Southwest seeks to expand its practice and provide deposit information to those customers who pay deposits through their monthly bill statements. As such, Southwest requests authorization to update Rule No. 5.C accordingly. Southwest is also adding Form 955.1 – *Customer Receipt (Automated)* to its tariff. This form is an automated version of Form 955.0.

This filing will not increase any rate or charge, cause the withdrawal of service, or conflict with any other schedules or rules.

Effective Date

Southwest believes this Advice Letter is subject to Energy Division disposition and should be classified as Tier 2 (effective after staff approval) pursuant to General Order 96-B. Southwest respectfully requests that the tariff sheets filed herein be made effective as soon as possible and no later than February 8, 2010.

Protest

Anyone wishing to protest this filing may do so by sending a letter within 20 days of the filing. The protest should set forth the grounds upon which it is based and should be submitted expeditiously. There is no restriction on who may file a protest. Protests should be mailed or faxed to:

Investigation, Monitoring & Compliance Program Manager
California Public Utilities Commission, Energy Division
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4002
San Francisco, CA 94102
Facsimile: 415-703-2200

Copies should also be mailed to the attention of Director, Energy Division, Room 4004 at the same address as above, and mailed or faxed to:

Mr. John P. Hester, Senior Vice President
Regulatory Affairs and Energy Resources
Southwest Gas Corporation
P.O. Box 98510
Las Vegas, Nevada 89193-8510
Facsimile: 702-876-7037

Notice

Southwest believes noticing requirements set forth in General Rule 4.2 of GO 96-B are not applicable since this filing will not increase any rate or charge, cause the withdrawal of service, or conflict with any other schedules or rules.



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Service

In accordance with GO 96-B, General Rule 4.3, Southwest is mailing copies of this advice letter and related tariff sheets to the utilities and interested parties shown on the attached list.

Respectfully submitted,

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

By 
Donald L. Soderberg

Attachments

DISTRIBUTION LIST

Advice Letter No. 835

In Conformance with GO 96-B, General Rule 4.3

Southern California Edison Company

Pacific Gas & Electric Company

Sierra Pacific Power Company

San Diego Gas & Electric Company

Southern California Gas Company

Southern California Water Company

Duane Morris, LLP

Director/Division of Ratepayer Advocates

RULE NO. 5

SPECIAL INFORMATION REQUIRED ON FORMS
(Continued)

C. DEPOSIT RECEIPTS

Each bill or customer receipt for deposit to establish or reestablish credit for service will contain the following statement:

“Deposits — If you are an existing customer, your deposit will be credited to your account, with any applicable interest, after continuous service and timely payment of bills in accordance with the Company’s commission approved rules. If your service has been discontinued, either at your request or by the Company, your deposit, plus any applicable interest, will be refunded to you, less the amount of any unpaid bills.”

D. DISCONTINUANCE OF SERVICE NOTICE

On each notice of discontinuance of service for nonpayment of bills will be provided the substance of Rule No. 11(A).

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 Las Vegas, Nevada 89193-8510
 California Gas Tariff

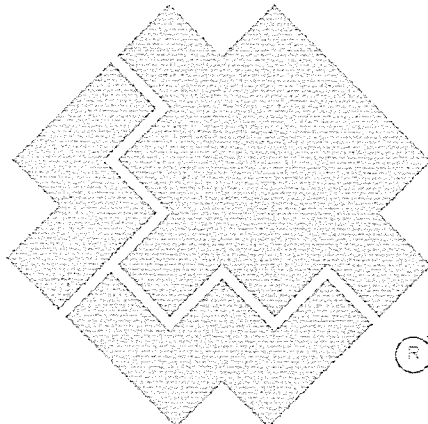
Canceling _____ Revised Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. 7044-G
 _____ Revised Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. 6501-G

CUSTOMER BILL (FORM 927.0 09/2008)



PLEASE RETAIN THIS TOP PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS

Service Address:
 Rate Schedule:
 Your Local Office Is

ACCOUNT NUMBER	CYCLE	DATE MAILED	PAST DUE AFTER	PLEASE PAY AMOUNT DUE
				
Previous Balance	Payments & Adjustments	Balance Forward	Current Bill	Current Balance
				AMOUNT DUE

PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR RULES AND REGULATIONS • RETURN BOTTOM PORTION WITH PAYMENT



ACCOUNT NUMBER	CYCLE	DATE MAILED	PAST DUE AFTER	AMOUNT DUE

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
 PO Box 98890
 Las Vegas NV 89150-0101

This bill is now due and payable. Please make check payable to SWG and write account number on front of check or money order. Do not send cash through the mail or place cash in the night depository.
IF ACTUAL COPY OF FORM IS REQUIRED, PLEASE NOTIFY COMPANY

Advice Letter No. 835 Issued by John P. Hester Date Filed January 8, 2010
 Decision No. _____ Senior Vice President Effective _____
 Resolution No. _____

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
 P.O. Box 98510
 Las Vegas, Nevada 89193-8510
 California Gas Tariff

Canceling _____ Revised _____ Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. 7045-G
 Revised _____ Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. 6507-G

CUSTOMER BILL — DISCONNECT NOTICE (FORM 927.10 09/2008)



PLEASE RETAIN THIS TOP PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS

Service Address:
 Rate Schedule:
 Your Local Office Is

ACCOUNT NUMBER	CYCLE	DATE MAILED	PAST DUE AFTER	PLEASE PAY	AMOUNT DUE
					
Previous Balance	Payments & Adjustments	Balance Forward	Current Bill	Current Balance	AMOUNT DUE

PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR RULES AND REGULATIONS • RETURN BOTTOM PORTION WITH PAYMENT

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 Las Vegas, Nevada 89193-8510
 California Gas Tariff

Canceling _____ Revised _____ Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. 7046-G
 Revised _____ Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. 6508-G

CUSTOMER BILL — FINAL NOTICE (FORM 927.11 09/2008)



PLEASE RETAIN THIS TOP PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS

Service Address:
 Rate Schedule:

Your Local Office Is

ACCOUNT NUMBER	CYCLE	DATE MAILED	PAST DUE AFTER	PLEASE PAY AMOUNT DUE

Previous Balance	Payments & Adjustments	Balance Forward	Current Bill	Current Balance	AMOUNT DUE

PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR RULES AND REGULATIONS • RETURN BOTTOM PORTION WITH PAYMENT

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 Las Vegas, Nevada 89193-8510
 California Gas Tariff

Canceling _____ Revised _____ Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. 7047-G
 _____ Revised _____ Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. 5534-G

CUSTOMER RECEIPT (FORM 955.0 01/2010)



SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
CUSTOMER RECEIPT

CA	CK	MO	CC	Total Amount Paid	Date

Account Number/General Ledger Number	Name
Service Address	Receipt Stamp

- Gas Bill\$ _____ Remarks
- Deposit*\$ _____
- Connect Charge.....\$ _____
- Return Check\$ _____
- _____ ...\$ _____
- _____ ...\$ _____

*See reverse for further information.

Balance Due After This Payment \$ _____

Form 955.0 (01/2010) 320 Front

Distribution: White- Cashier Canary- Customer Pink- Office Field Log (Arizona only)

 This deposit receipt is not transferable or negotiable and is void when the deposit is refunded or applied to the account. Please retain receipt copy.

FOR ALL SERVICE AREAS:

Deposits - If you are an existing customer, your deposit will be credited to your account, with any applicable interest, after continuous service and timely payment of bills in accordance with the Company's commission approved rules. If your service has been discontinued, either at your request or by the Company, your deposit, plus any applicable interest, will be refunded to you, less the amount of any unpaid bills.

 For more information visit our web site at www.swgas.com or call toll free at (877) 860-6020.

Form 955.0 (01/2010) 320 Reverse

IF ACTUAL COPY OF FORM IS REQUIRED, PLEASE NOTIFY COMPANY

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 Senior Vice President

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Las Vegas, Nevada 89193-8510
California Gas Tariff

Canceling _____ Original Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. 7048-G
_____ Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No. _____

CUSTOMER RECEIPT (AUTOMATED) (FORM 955.1 01/2010)

Visit our web site at:
www.swgas.com

Form 955.1 (01/2010) 320 Front

This deposit receipt is not transferable or negotiable and is void when the deposit is refunded or applied to the account. Please retain receipt copy.

FOR ALL SERVICE AREAS:

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