## APPLICATION OF QUESTAR)GAS COMPANY FOR AUTHORITY)TO FILE A CHANGE IN ITS)EXISTING TARIFF)APPLICATION

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> APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS

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## - BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

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Pursuant to Utah Code Ann. § 54-4-1 et seq. and Utah Administrative Code § R746-100 et seq., Questar Gas Company (Questar Gas or Company), respectfully requests the Utah Public Service Commission (Commission) to approve changes in its existing PSCU Tariff No. 400 (Tariff) as more specifically set forth herein. The following table summarizes the proposed changes:

Section	Description
2.03 FS Rate Schedule	Load Factor based on three year average.
5.01 Transportation	Contract dates for initial service agreement are
Conditions of Service	defined.
	Provision (9) outlines the meter specifications
5.07 TS Rate Schedule	needed for a customer to receive transportation
	service.

1. Section 2.03 FS Rate Schedule. The Company seeks to clarify the FS Classification Provision (1) that explains the calculation of the customer's load factor. The Company is proposing to use three calendar years of data in the calculation in order to minimize the effects of usage fluctuations from year-to-year. Currently, the Tariff requires the actual or estimated average daily usage must be at least 40% of the peak winter day as defined in the glossary. The change to this provision will require the average daily usage over the last three years to be greater than 40%. The three year average will help to mitigate the effect of weather on actual usage and should help customers to calculate a load factor that is more reflective of usage over time.

2. Section 5.01 Conditions of Service. The Company proposes to add language clarifying the process that a customer must complete in order to receive transportation service from the Company. Currently the Tariff requires that the Company receive a written request from a potential customer by March 1<sup>st</sup>, to be effective July 1<sup>st</sup>.

The Company is proposing to add specific dates for contracting, planning, and installation of telemetry to occur. Also, dates have been added outlining when Questline Access Agreements must be received. These dates have been added in response to feedback from customers and will make the planning process easier for both customers and the Company.

4. **Section 5.07.** The Company is proposing to add TS class provision (9). This provision requires that customers have a certain size meter in order to qualify to receive TS service. The meter must be large enough that the volumes may be telemetered. The provision specifies the type of meter that will be required.

5. The three proposed changes are attached hereto in legislative and in final format as QGC Exhibits 1 and 2 respectively.

WHEREFORE, Questar Gas respectfully requests that the Commission, in accordance with its rules and procedures and the Company's Tariff:

1. Enter an order authorizing Questar Gas to implement the proposed Tariff changes to be effective January 21, 2013.

DATED the 6th day of December 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

QUESTAR GAS COMPANY

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