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Action Request Response

- **To:** Public Service Commission of Utah
- From: Utah Division of Public Utilities
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- **Date:** March 12, 2021
- **Re: Docket No. 21-057-T02,** In the Matter of the Review of the Carrying Charges Applied to Various Dominion Energy Utah Account Balances.

Recommendation (Approve)

The Division of Public Utilities ("Division") recommends the Utah Public Service Commission ("Commission") approve Dominion Energy Utah's ("DEU") proposed changes to Utah Natural Gas tariff 500, Section 8.07 revising the carrying charge from 3.88% to 3.04%.

Discussion

On March 1, 2021, DEU filed revised tariff sheets to implement the annual carrying charge update. In response to the Commission's action request to the Division dated March 1, 2021, the Division reviewed the filing and has determined the proposed carrying charge of 3.04 percent was correctly calculated pursuant to the Commission's Order dated February 23, 2017 in Docket No. 17-057-T01 ("Order"), and complies with the new deadlines.



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Conclusion

Based on the Division's investigation, the Division recommends the Commission approve the revised Utah Natural Gas tariff 500, Section 8.07, decreasing the carrying charge to 3.04 percent with an effective date of April 1, 2021.

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