

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Application of Questar Gas Company to Adjust Rates for Natural Gas Service in Utah	<u>DOCKET NO. 05-057-06</u>
In the Matter of the Application of Questar Gas Company to Adjust Rates for Natural Gas Service in Utah	<u>DOCKET NO. 05-057-11</u> <u>ORDER SETTING FINAL RATES</u>

ISSUED: June 4, 2015

SYNOPSIS

Based on the memorandum of the Division of Public Utilities providing the results of its audit, the Commission makes final the rates and charges originally set as interim by previous orders.

These matters are before the Public Service Commission of Utah (“Commission”) on the recommendations of the Division of Public Utilities (“Division”) to make final the interim rates ordered as just and reasonable and in the public interest by the Commission in prior orders in these matters. These rates are set to recover gas-related costs associated with Questar Gas Company’s (“Questar”) 191 Gas Balancing Account (“191 Account”). Upon our review of these dockets, we discovered that we failed to issue final orders following review of the Division’s audits. We do so now.

On May 6, 2005, Questar submitted a 191 Account Application in Docket No. 05-057-06 requesting rate changes reflecting a gas cost-related revenue increase of \$115.402 million. In an order dated May 31, 2005, the Commission approved this application on an interim basis pending the completion of an audit by the Division.

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On September 8, 2005, as amended on October 25, 2005, the Company submitted an additional 191 Account Application for 2005 in Docket No. 05-057-11, requesting rate changes reflecting a gas cost-related revenue increase of \$196.481 million. In an order dated October 28, 2005, the Commission approved this application on an interim basis pending the completion of an audit by the Division.

In a memorandum filed on December 12, 2007, the Division informed the Commission it had completed its audit of the Company's 191 Account for 2005 in January 2006; however, the Wexpro accounting monitor's report for 2005 was not provided to the Division until November 14, 2007. Based on the results of these audits, in which no exceptions were identified, the Division recommends the Commission approve the interim rates set in these dockets on a permanent basis.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

Based on Questar's applications, our previous decisions, and the audit reports and recommendation of the Division, we find the requested 191 Account rate changes in these matters are just and reasonable and in the public interest.

ORDER

The interim rates requested by Questar Gas Company to recover costs associated with the 191 Account in Docket Nos. 05-057-06 and 05-057-11 are approved as final.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, this 4th day of June, 2015.

/s/ David R. Clark, Commissioner

/s/ Thad LeVar, Commissioner

Attest:

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg
Commission Secretary
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Notice of Opportunity for Agency Review or Rehearing

Pursuant to §§ 63G-4-301 and 54-7-15 of the Utah Code, an aggrieved party may request agency review or rehearing of this Order by filing a written request with the Commission within 30 days after the issuance of this Order. Responses to a request for agency review or rehearing must be filed within 15 days of the filing of the request for review or rehearing. If the Commission does not grant a request for review or rehearing within 20 days after the filing of the request, it is deemed denied. Judicial review of the Commission's final agency action may be obtained by filing a petition for review with the Utah Supreme Court within 30 days after final agency action. Any petition for review must comply with the requirements of §§ 63G-4-401 and 63G-4-403 of the Utah Code and Utah Rules of Appellate Procedure.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that on the 4th day of June, 2015, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served upon the following as indicated below:

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