

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Joint Notice and Application of Questar Gas Company and Dominion Resources, Inc. of Proposed Merger of Questar Corporation and Dominion Resources, Inc.	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>DOCKET NO. 16-057-01</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>SCHEDULING ORDER, DIRECTIVE TO STIPULATE TO DATE FOR TECHNICAL CONFERENCE, AND NOTICES OF HEARING AND PUBLIC WITNESS HEARING</u></p>
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ISSUED: March 18, 2016

Pursuant to the Notice of Filing and Scheduling Conference issued on March 3, 2016, the Commission held a scheduling conference in this docket on March 17, 2016. Representatives of Questar Gas Company (Questar), Dominion Resources, Inc. (collectively, Applicants), the Governor's Office of Energy Development, the Division of Public Utilities, the Office of Consumer Services, and the Utah Association of Energy Users were present. Those in attendance agreed to a schedule, which the Commission approves and adopts as follows:

**SCHEDULE**

ITEM	DEADLINE/DATE/TIME/LOCATION
Direct Testimony of Non-Applicants	<b>Thursday, July 7, 2016</b>
Deadline to File Petition to Intervene	<b>Thursday, July 14, 2016</b>
Rebuttal Testimony of All Parties	<b>Thursday, July 28, 2016</b>
Surrebuttal Testimony of All Parties	<b>Thursday, August 18, 2016</b>
Hearing	<b>Monday, August 22, 2016 (with Tuesday and Wednesday, August 23 and 24, 2016 reserved, if needed) at 9:00 a.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah</b>
Public Witness Hearing	<b>Monday, August 22, 2016, at 5:00 p.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah</b>

**DISCOVERY**

Parties shall respond to requests for data or discovery within 14 calendar days of receipt until July 7, 2016, and 7 days thereafter. Parties shall serve discovery requests and responses on applicable parties by electronic mail. In the event a document filed with the Commission or produced in response to a discovery request cannot reasonably be transmitted by electronic mail, the party filing the document shall file an electronic copy of the document on CD (or, if an electronic copy is not available, a paper copy) with the Commission by hand delivery and shall serve an electronic copy of the document on CD (or, if an electronic copy is not available, a paper copy) on each applicable party by hand delivery if the party being served is in the same metropolitan area as the serving party, or by overnight courier if the party being served is located in a different metropolitan area from the serving party.

**DIRECTIVE TO STIPULATE TO DATE FOR TECHNICAL CONFERENCE**

Participants in the scheduling conference agreed that a technical conference would be productive and jointly requested the Commission instruct the parties to stipulate to a date for such conference to be held on a business day between April 21, 2016 and May 15, 2016. The parties shall stipulate to a date for the technical conference and file such stipulation with the Commission on or before April 7, 2016. After the Commission receives the stipulation, it will issue a notice of technical conference specifying the stipulated date and time. Questar noted its desire to receive questions in advance of the technical conference; thus, the stipulation should also include how many days before the technical conference questions should be submitted and to whom.

**NOTICE OF HEARING**

The Commission will conduct a hearing on **Monday, August 22, 2016 (with Tuesday and Wednesday, August 23 and 24, 2016 reserved if needed) beginning at 9:00 a.m.** The hearing will be held in the **Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Bldg., 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah.** All parties must have their witnesses in attendance and prepared to testify.

Individuals wishing to participate in the hearing by telephone should contact the Public Service Commission two days in advance by calling (801) 530-6716 or (toll-free) 1-866-PSC-UTAH (1-866-772-8824). Participants attending by telephone should then call the Public Service Commission at the same number listed above five minutes prior to the hearing to ensure participation.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals needing special accommodations (including auxiliary communicative aids and services) during this hearing should notify the Commission at 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111, (801) 530-6716, at least three working days prior to the hearing.

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC WITNESS HEARING**

The Commission will conduct the Public Witness Hearing in this docket on **Monday, August 22, 2016, beginning at 5:00 p.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah.** The Public Witness Hearing is scheduled to run from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Individuals planning to address the Commission at the Public Witness Hearing must be present by 5:15 p.m.; however, the Public Witness Hearing will

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continue until all individuals who are present by 5:15 p.m. have had a reasonable opportunity to address the Commission.

The Commission may limit presentation of testimony or comments that are unduly repetitious at the Public Witness Hearing. The Commission desires to provide an opportunity for all individuals who desire to provide testimony or comment. As such, the Commission may limit the length of testimony or comment. Individuals wishing to provide public witness testimony or comment must appear at hearing at the appointed time. Individuals may offer comment or sworn testimony and should note that individuals presenting sworn testimony are subject to cross-examination. Any individual wishing to present a statement of position to the Commission who is unable to do so during the Public Witness Hearing may file a written statement of position with the Commission at its office, Fourth Floor, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111, in person, by mail, by electronic mail to [psc@utah.gov](mailto:psc@utah.gov), or by facsimile to 801-530-6796. Please indicate that the statement pertains to Docket No. 16-057-01.

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DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, March 18, 2016.

/s/ Melanie A. Reif  
Presiding Officer

Attest:

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg  
Commission Secretary  
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that on March 18, 2016, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was delivered upon the following as indicated below:

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