Review of the Carrying Charges Applied to Various Enbridge Gas Utah Account Balances DOCKET NO. 25-057-T02

ORDER

ISSUED: March 28, 2025

## **BACKGROUND**

On February 28, 2025, Enbridge Gas Utah (EGU) filed a verified application ("Application") with the Public Service Commission (PSC) for approval to revise its Natural Gas Tariff No. 700 ("Tariff") to update its annual carrying charge ("Carrying Charge") set forth in Tariff Section 8.07, Calculation of Carrying Charge. EGU seeks to increase the Carrying Charge from 5.35 percent to 5.40 percent, effective April 1, 2025.1

On March 3, 2025, the PSC issued a Notice of Filing and Comment Period, and on March 11, 2025, the Division of Public Utilities (DPU) filed comments recommending the PSC approve the Application. No other comments were filed.

DPU comments<sup>2</sup> that EGU's calculations of the proposed Carrying Charge are correct and consistent with the calculation methodology approved by the PSC.<sup>3</sup> Based on its analysis and review, DPU states the proposed charge of 5.40 percent is just, reasonable, and in the public interest, and recommends the PSC approve EGU's

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> According to the Application, the Carrying Charge applies to accounts 182.3, 182.4, 182.45, 191.1, 191.4, 191.5, 191.8, 191.9, and 235.1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> DPU's reference to "tariff 600," "Tariff 600," and "Schedule 600" in its comments appear to be typos.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See In the Matter of a Request for Agency Action to Review the Carrying Charges Applied to Various Questar Gas Company Account Balances, Docket No. 17-057-T01, Order issued February 23, 2017 (the "Carrying Charge Order").

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revised Tariff, which increases the Carrying Charge to 5.40 percent, effective April 1, 2025.

# DISCUSSION, FINDINGS, AND CONCLUSIONS

The PSC finds, consistent with DPU's comments, that EGU correctly calculated the Carrying Charge in accordance with the PSC-approved methodology, and filed its Application updating the Carrying Charge before the March 1 deadline.<sup>4</sup>

Based on these findings, the PSC's review of the Application and Tariff, DPU's comments and recommendation, and in the absence of any opposition, the PSC concludes the revised Tariff is consistent with the Carrying Charge Order.

## ORDER

The revised Section 8.07 of EGU's Tariff is approved as filed, effective April 1, 2025.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, March 28, 2025.

/s/ Jerry D. Fenn, Chair

/s/ David R. Clark, Commissioner

/s/ John S. Harvey, Ph.D., Commissioner

Attest:

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg PSC Secretary

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Id.

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## Notice of Opportunity for Agency Review or Rehearing

Pursuant to Utah Code Ann. §§ 63G-4-301 and 54-7-15, a party may seek agency review or rehearing of this written order by filing a request for review or rehearing with the PSC within 30 days after the issuance of the 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 PSC fails to grant a request for review or rehearing within 30 days after the filing of a request for review or rehearing, it is deemed denied. Judicial review of the PSC'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 Utah Code Ann. §§ 63G-4-401, 63G-4-403, and the Utah Rules of Appellate Procedure.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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