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PETITION OF INDIANA GAS COMPANY, INC. D/B/A)
VECTREN ENERGY DELIVERY OF INDIANA, INC.)
FOR AUTHORITY TO IMPLEMENT ITS 2017-2019)
FINANCING PROGRAM BY (1) ISSUING NOT TO)
EXCEED \$200,000,000 IN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL)
AMOUNT OF SECURED OR UNSECURED LONG-)
TERM DEBT ISSUED TO UNAFFILIATED LENDERS)
OR DEBT IN THE FORM OF UNSECURED)
PROMISSORY NOTES TO VECTREN UTILITY)
HOLDINGS, INC. ("VUHI"), ITS IMMEDIATE)
PARENT COMPANY, PURSUANT TO THE)
PREVIOUSLY APPROVED FINANCIAL SERVICES)
AGREEMENT; (2) EXECUTING AND DELIVERING)
EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS RELATING TO)
SUCH LONG-TERM DEBT; (3) ENTERING INTO)
INTEREST RATE RISK MANAGEMENT)
TRANSACTIONS; (4) ISSUING AND SELLING NOT)
TO EXCEED \$180,000,000 OF COMMON AND/OR)
PREFERRED STOCK; AND (5) USING THE NET)
PROCEEDS FROM THE FINANCING PROGRAM TO)
REIMBURSE ITS TREASURY AND, THEREAFTER,)
TO REPAY AND REFUND OUTSTANDING LONG-)
TERM DEBT, REPAY ITS SHORT-TERM DEBT, AND)
FINANCE ITS CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM.)

CAUSE NO. 44863

You are hereby notified that on this date the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission ("Commission") has caused the following entry to be made:

On October 25, 2016, Indiana Gas Company, Inc. d/b/a Vectren Energy Delivery of Indiana, Inc. ("Petitioner") filed an *Unopposed Motion for Adoption of Procedural Schedule and Request for Waiver of Prehearing Conference* ("Motion"). In support of its Motion, Petitioner represented that counsel for the Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor ("OUCC") had been contacted and that both parties agreed on a proposed schedule, which schedule was included in the Motion.

The Presiding Officers, having reviewed the Motion, now grant said Motion and, consistent therewith, vacate the Prehearing Conference and Preliminary Hearing scheduled for November 1, and establish the following procedural schedule in this matter:

1. **Petitioner's Prefiling Date.** Petitioner prefiled with the Commission the prepared testimony and exhibits constituting its case-in-chief on October 6, 2016; therefore, the prefiling of Petitioner's case-in-chief has been completed.

2. **The OUCC and Intervenors' Prefiling Date.** The OUCC and all Intervenors shall prefile with the Commission the prepared testimony and exhibits constituting their respective cases-in-chief on or before December 19, 2016. Copies of same shall be served upon all parties of record.

3. **Petitioner's Rebuttal Prefiling Date.** Petitioner shall prefile with the Commission its prepared rebuttal testimony on or before January 9, 2017. Copies of same shall be served upon all parties of record.

4. **Cross-Answering Prefiling Date.** Any party wishing to submit cross-answering testimony shall prefile such prepared testimony and supporting exhibits on or before January 9, 2017. Copies of same shall be served upon all parties of record.

5. **Evidentiary Hearing on the Parties' Cases-In-Chief.** In the event this Cause is not settled, the cases-in-chief of Petitioner, the OUCC, and any Intervenors shall be presented in an evidentiary hearing in this Cause to commence at 10:00 a.m. on January 31, 2017, in Room 224 of the PNC Center, 101 West Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana. At such time, the direct evidence of the respective parties shall be presented and their respective witnesses examined. Thereafter, Petitioner shall present its prefiled rebuttal evidence as well as any additional rebutting evidence adduced on cross-examination of the OUCC's or Intervenors' witnesses. If the parties reach settlement, the agreement and supporting testimony and exhibits shall be submitted to the Commission at least ten business days prior to the scheduled evidentiary hearing.

6. **Sworn Testimony.** Any witness testimony to be offered into the record of this proceeding shall be made under oath or affirmation. In accordance with 170 IAC 1-1.1-18(h), if the prefiled testimony of a witness is to be offered into evidence at the evidentiary hearing and the witness sponsoring the prefiled testimony is not required to, and does not, attend the evidentiary hearing, the prefiled testimony shall be accompanied by the witness's sworn affidavit or written verification at the time the evidence is offered into the record.

7. **Discovery.** Discovery is available for all parties and shall be conducted on an informal basis. Any response or objection to a discovery request shall be made within ten calendar days of the receipt of such request. The parties have agreed on electronic service.

8. **Prefiling of Workpapers.** When prefiling technical evidence with the Commission, each party shall file copies of the work papers used to produce that evidence within two business days after the prefiling of the technical evidence. Copies of same shall also be provided to any other party requesting such in writing. When submitting workpapers to the Commission, two copies of each document shall be filed with the Secretary of the Commission.

9. **Number of Copies/Corrections.** Filings with the Commission shall comply with General Administrative Order 2016-2. Any corrections to prefiled testimony shall be made in writing as soon as possible after discovery of the need to make such corrections.

10. **Objections to Prefiled Testimony and Exhibits.** Any objections to the admissibility of prefiled testimony or exhibits shall be filed with the Commission and served on all parties of record no less than two business days prior to the date scheduled for commencement of the hearing at which the testimony or exhibit will be offered into the record.

11. **Intervenors.** Any party permitted to become an Intervenor in this Cause shall be bound by the record as it stands at the time its Petition to Intervene is granted, pursuant to 170 IAC 1-1.1-11.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



David E. Ziegner, Commissioner



Carol Sparks Drake, Administrative Law Judge

Date: October 28, 2016