

Via Electronic Submission

March 7, 2012

Secretary of the Commission and Director of Electricity Division Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission 101 W. Washington St., Suite 1500E Indianapolis, IN 46204

RE: Revised Annual IPL Cogeneration Filing

Under 170 IAC 1-6, the Thirty-Day Administrative Filing Procedures and Guidelines Rule, Indianapolis Power & Light Company (IPL) submits herewith for filing a revision to our Tariff No. E-16 entitled:

Rate CGS - Cogeneration and Small Power Production 17th Revised Sheet No. 122

IPL is filing this tariff revision pursuant to 170 IAC 4-4.1, the Cogeneration and Alternate Energy Production Facilities Rule. Specifically, Section 10 requires that on or before February 28 of each year a generating electric utility shall file with the Commission a standard offer for purchase of energy and capacity at rates derived from the appropriate sections of this rule.

This tariff revision supersedes the 16th Revised Sheet included with IPL's annual cogeneration filing made February 25, 2011 and approved March 30, 2011. The Company's standard offer and form contract for the purchase of energy and capacity from cogeneration and alternate energy production facilities operating within IPL's service territory has not been revised since the last filing.

Only the affected tariff sheet is submitted for approval in this filing. All other tariff sheets of Rate CGS and the riders for maintenance, back-up and supplementary power remain unchanged from those previously approved.

This filing also includes a mark-up of the existing tariff sheet, and supporting documentation and assumptions consistent with prior Annual IPL Cogeneration Filings. In addition, this filing contains the Determination of Average System Losses for the Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2011, a Verified Statement by IPL concerning notification of customers regarding the proposed revision of Rate CGS, a copy of such notification, and proof of publication.

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On March 6, 2012, IPL identified an error in the rate of return calculation; specifically, the Common Equity amount was inadvertently not updated from the previous year's calculation. This error had a minor impact on the weighted cost of capital, which affected the carrying charge rate, and ultimately the capacity payment on the tariff.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 317-261-8781, at the address on the letterhead, or at Matt.Inman@aes.com.

Respectfully submitted,

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Senior Regulatory Analyst

Enclosures

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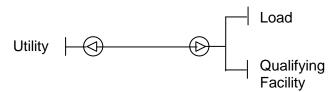
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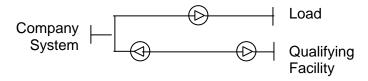
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- (2) Where such measurement is appropriate for measurement of energy, the circuit shall include at minimum two monodirectional meters in a series arrangement between, at one side, the Company system and, on the other side, the Qualifying Facility and any load associated with it:



Where such is appropriate for measurement of energy, the circuit shall include a (3) monodirectional meter between the on-site load and the Company and, in a series arrangement, two monodirectional meters between the Qualifying Facility and the Company system:



- (4) The meter measuring purchases by the Company shall be of a design to record time periods, and shall be capable of electronically transmitting instantaneous readings.
- Other metering arrangements shall be the subject of negotiations between the Company and the (5) **Qualifying Facility.**

RATE FOR PURCHASE:

The rate the Company will pay each Qualifying Facility for energy and capacity purchased will be established in advance by written contract with the Company as filed and approved by the Commission and will be based on the RATE FOR PURCHASE on file from time to time with the Commission, adjusted as outlined in the remaining parts of this section. Unless otherwise agreed the RATES FOR PURCHASE shall be:

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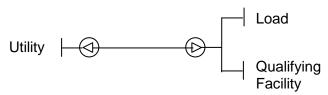
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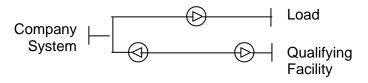
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RATES FOR PURCHASE OF CAPACITY

C	unadjusted monthly capacity payment per kW	\$ 7.30
C_{a}	adjusted monthly capacity payment	\$ 7.30
D	present value carrying charges \$1 investment	\$ 1.41
V	investment avoidable unit \$ per kW	\$ 770
n	expected life avoidable unit (years)	30
i_p	annual escalation rate for avoidable unit	2.5%
i_o	annual escalation rate O & M expense	2.5%
r	cost of capital	8.67%
O	annual O&M expense per kW avoidable unit	\$ 11.08
L	line losses	5.49%
t	year of the contract	1
f	carrying charge rate	13.36%
tu	in-service year avoidable unit	2012
tq	in-service year QF	2012
Y	year of capacity payment	2012

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CARRYING CHARGE RATE CALCULATION

r	rate of return		8.67%	
A	Ad Valorum tax rate		1.14%	
P	insurance rate		0.15%	
d	sinking fund depreciation rate		0.78%	
	$d = \frac{r}{(1+r)^n - 1}$			
T	federal and state composite income tax rate		40.525%	
D	book depreciation rate		3.33%	
b	marginal interest rate on debt capital		6.07%	
L	debt ratio		53.22%	
n	service life of the deferrable unit		30	
carrying charge rate = $r + A + P + d + (T / (1-T)) * (r + d - D) * ((r-bL) / r) = 13.36\%$				

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RATE OF RETURN CALCULATION December 31, 2011

Amount	Percentage of	Marginal Cost	Weighted
<u>(000)</u>	Capital Structure	of Capital	<u>Cost</u>
956,492	53.22%	6.07%	3.23%
59,135	3.29%	5.43%	0.18%
781,595	43.49%	12.10%	<u>5.26%</u>
1,797,222	100.00%		<u>8.67%</u>
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IPL's last general rate case was concluded with the Commission's approval of a Settlement Agreement. The Settlement Agreement was silent on the issue of rate of return. The Commission's Order approving the Settlement Agreement made no specific finding regarding the cost of common equity or its application in a book weighted or market weighted capital structure. Consequently, IPL and the OUCC have for many years utilized the rate of 12.1% for purposes of IPL's calculation of its AFUDC rate and its CGS rate.

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ESTIMATED INVESTMENT AND O&M EXPENSES

Estimated Investment Cost per kW for Avoidable Unit

Plant Capital Cost 160 MW CT

Total Capital Requirement (includes AFUDC) \$ 770 per kW

Annual O&M Expenses per kW for Avoidable Unit

Fixed \$8.00 per kW/yr\$

Variable \$ 3.08 per kW/yr

Total \$/kW/yr \$ 11.08

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AVOIDED ENERGY COST CALCULATION BASED ON MIDAS GOLD PRODUCTION RUN

				Off Peak Period	
Avoided Cost per Midas	Per kWh	\$	0.0274	\$	0.0239
Average System Losses for Year Ended December 31, 2011 Line losses factor 1 / (1-(losses/2))			5.485% 1.02820		5.485% 1.02820
Avoided Cost adjusted for line losses	Per kWh	\$	0.0282	\$	0.0246

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Determination of Average System Losses Based on Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2011

Line <u>No.</u>	Description	KWH	Line <u>No.</u>	
	Sources of Energy			
	Generation (Excludes Station Use)			
1	Steam	14,810,666,000	1	
2	Nuclear	-	2	
3	Hydro	-	3	
4	Other	50,728,000	4	
5	Total Net Generation	14,861,394,000	5	
6	Purchases (Net) - Wind	394,993,000	6	
7	Interchanges (Net)	(175,208,000)	7	
8	Transmission for/by Others - Wheeling (Net)	0	8	
9	Total KWH Available	15,081,179,000	9	
	Disposition of Energy			
10	Billed & Unbilled Sales to Retail Customer	14,229,013,424	10	
11	Sales for Resale (Wholesale)	0	11	
12	Company Use (Office, Maintenance Bldgs., etc.)	24,947,535	12	
13	Total KWH Accounted for	14,253,960,959	13	
14	Total Energy Losses (9 less 13)	827,218,041	14	
15	Average System Losses (14 Divided by 9 in %)	5.485%	15	

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Verified Statement of Indianapolis Power & Light Company (IPL)

Concerning Notification of Customers Affected by the Revision of Rate CGS

In the Annual IPL Cogeneration Filing

Indianapolis Power & Light Company complied with the Notice Requirements under 170

IAC 1-6-6 in the following manner:

- beginning on February 17, 2012 and continuing through the filing date, the attached

notice was posted in the Customer Service Office at 2102 N. Illinois Street

- beginning on February 17, 2012 and continuing through the filing date, the same notice

was posted on IPL's website under the Pending section of the Rates, Rules and

Regulations area

- a legal notice placed in the Indianapolis Star on February 17, 2012 as evidenced by the

attached Publishers Affidavit; and

- beginning on the filing date, a copy of the Annual IPL Cogeneration filing will be

included on IPL's website under the Pending section of the Rates, Rules and Regulations

area

I affirm under penalties for perjury that the foregoing representations are true to the best

of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Dated this 27th day of February, 2012

Matt Inman

Senior Regulatory Analyst

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on or about February 27, 2012, Indianapolis Power & Light Company expects to submit a revision to its Tariff No. E-16 entitled Rate CGS - Cogeneration and Small Power Production, 17th Revised Sheet No. 122 ("Rate CGS"). The revision to Rate CGS will affect any customer taking electric service under the Company's standard offer and form contract for the purchase of energy and capacity from cogeneration and alternate energy production facilities operating within IPL's service territory. IPL expects approval of the filing on or about April 11, 2012.

This notice is provided to the public pursuant to 170 IAC 1-6-6. The contact information, to which an objection should be made, is as follows:

Secretary Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission 101 W. Washington Street, Suite 1500 East Indianapolis, Indiana 46204 Telephone:(317) 232-2700

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Email: <u>uccinfo@oucc.in.gov</u>

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State of Indiana SS: MARION County

My commission expires:

Personally appeared before me, a notary public in and for said county and state, the undersigned Kerry Dodson who, being duly sworn, says that SHE is clerk of the INDIANAPOLIS NEWSPAPERS a DAILY STAR newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the English language in the city of INDIANAPOLIS in state and county aforesaid, and that the printed matter attached hereto is a true copy, which was duly published in said paper for 1 time(s), between the dates of:

02/17/2012 and 02/17/2012 Clerk Title Subscribed and sworn to before me on 02/17/2012 Notary Public

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