

## STATE OF INDIANA

## INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION



| IN THE MATTER OF AN ORDER  | ) |           |              |
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| APPROVING UTILITY ARTICLES | ) | APPROVED: | MAY 2 2 2019 |
| PURSUANT TO 170 IAC 1-6.   | ) |           | •            |

The Indiana Administrative Code provides for Thirty-Day Administrative Filing Procedures and Guidelines pursuant to the authority of Ind. Code 8-1-1-3 and Ind. Code 8-1-2-42. The thirty-day filing process is available for certain routine and non-controversial requests to facilitate expedited consideration of these matters by the Commission. The rule sets forth the requirements for the thirty-day administrative filings.

The thirty-day filings received pursuant to 170 IAC 1-6 and ripe for Commission action are attached hereto and collectively referred to as the Utility Articles. There are no controversial filings in the Utility Articles approved today.

Pursuant to the rule, the Commission Technical Divisions have submitted their recommendations to the Commission. Therefore, the Commission finds that the requirements of 170 IAC 1-6 have been met and that the Utility Articles attached are hereby approved.

## HUSTON, FREEMAN, KREVDA, OBER, AND ZIEGNER CONCUR:

APPROVED: MAY 2 2 2019

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Order as approved.

Mary M. Becerra

Secretary of the Commission



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## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Commission Chairman James F. Huston

Commissioners Freeman, Krevda, Ober, and Ziegner

FROM:

Commission Technical Divisions

DATE:

May 17, 2019

RE:

30-Day Utility Articles for Conference on Wednesday May 22, 2019 @ 10:00 a.m.

The following thirty-day filings have been submitted to the Commission. Each item was reviewed by the appropriate Commission Technical Divisions and all regulations were met in accordance with 170 IAC 1-6 Thirty-Day Administrative Filing Procedures and Guidelines. Therefore, the following filings listed below and attached hereto are recommended to be considered by the Commission at the next conference:

| Attachment<br>Number | 30-Day<br>Filing No. | Name of Utility Company                        | Type of Request                                                                                                                                                                            | Date Received |
|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1                    | 50264                | South Eastern Indiana Natural Gas Co., Inc.    | Propose a new tariff for<br>purpose of amortizing<br>\$176,222 of EADIT over<br>19.65                                                                                                      | 4/3/2019      |
| 2                    | 50267                | Northern Indiana Public Service<br>Co Electric | The revision impacts NIPSCO's Customers participating in Rider 775 that are receiving electric service under Rates 732, 733 or 734 of IURC Electric Service Tariff, Original Volume No. 13 | 4/17/2019     |

Submitted By: Jane Steinhauer

Director, Energy Division

Filing Party:

South Eastern Indiana Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("South Eastern")

30-Day Filing ID No.:

50264

Date Filed:

April 3, 2019

Filed Pursuant To:

170 IAC 1-6 and Cause No. 45032

Request:

South Eastern requests to revise portions of its IURC No. G-11 tariff to reflect the amortization of \$176,222 in Excess Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes over 19.65 years as a result of the Commission's investigation into the impacts of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 and the subsequent Order in Cause No. 45032 S13. The rate adjustment will result in \$8,968 being amortized annually and will lead to a \$12,324 annual reduction to South Eastern's revenue requirement after being adjusted for taxes and fees.

**Customer Impact:** 

Rate reductions as shown below.

| Rate                                   | Therms Per<br>Month | Current Distribution Charge (\$/therm) | Proposed Distribution Charge (\$/therm) |
|----------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| RS – Residential Sales                 | First 51            | \$0.67493                              | \$0.66533                               |
| Service                                | Over 51             | \$0.47086                              | \$0.46416                               |
| GS – General Sales<br>Service          | First 51            | \$0.55821                              | \$0.55125                               |
|                                        | Next 205            | \$0.39459                              | \$0.38967                               |
|                                        | Over 256            | \$0.30537                              | \$0.30156                               |
| STS – School<br>Transportation Service | First 51            | \$0.55821                              | \$0.55125                               |
|                                        | Next 205            | \$0.39459                              | \$0.38967                               |
|                                        | Over 256            | \$0.30537                              | \$0.30156                               |

Tariff Pages Affected:

First Revised Sheet Nos. 10, 20, and 30.

**Staff Recommendations:** 

Requirements met. Staff recommends approval.

Submitted By: Jane Steinhauer

Director, Energy Division

Filing Party:

Northern Indiana Public Service Co. LLC ("NIPSCO")

30-Day Filing ID No.:

50267

**Date Filed:** 

April 17, 2019

Filed Pursuant To:

170 IAC 1-6-1 and Order No. 43969

Request:

Proposed revision to Rider 775, Interruptible Industrial Service; Rates 732, 733 or 734, Demand Credit, Option A. NIPSCO requests to decrease the price paid to Interruptible Customers from \$1.06 per kilowatt to \$0.30 per kilowatt, effective June 1, 2019.

**Customer Impact:** 

NIPSCO does not currently have any customers under Option A.

**Tariff Pages Affected:** 

Rider 775, Interruptible Industrial Service Rider, Third Revised

Sheet No. 124.

Staff Recommendations: NIPSCO offers its Industrial Service customers an option to participate in an interruptible program managed by NIPSCO. In Commission Order No. 43566, Indiana end-use customers were not permitted to participate in an RTO's demand response programs directly; however, the regulated electric utilities were ordered to provide an interruptible tariff rate that mirrored that of their respective RTO. The Commission's Order in Cause No. 43969 (approved December 21, 2011) approved the use of the 30-Day process to update the credit amount offered under this tariff as the Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO) updated its credit amounts. The Commission approved revisions to this demand credit in 30-day filings the past five years.

> The 2018/2019 MISO Planning Resource Auction Results match the proposed change to the Interruptible Industrial Service Rider. Staff recommends approval.