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February 16, 2024

VIA EMAIL

Honorable Mary D. Long Administrative Law Judge PA Public Utility Commission Suite 220, Piatt Place 301 Fifth Avenue Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Re: PA Public Utility Commission, *et al.* v. Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Docket Nos. R-2023-3044549, *et al.*

Dear Judge Long:

On December 29, 2023, Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC, which includes Peoples Natural Gas Division ("PNGD") and Peoples Gas Division ("PGD") (collectively, "Peoples" or "the Company") filed Original Tariff GAS – PA PUC No. 48 ("PA PUC No. 48"), along with supporting exhibits, standard data responses and testimony required to be submitted in conjunction with a tariff change seeking a general rate increase.

Peoples has since discovered that there were two errors and one omission with respect to its December 29, 2023 base rate filing. Specifically, Peoples discovered that Exhibit 1, Schedule 6 – *Gas Stored Underground* – was inadvertently excluded from the December 29, 2023 filing. Additionally, Peoples has discovered errors in Exhibit 4, Schedule 22, and Exhibit 4, Schedule 1, page 11.

Attached is Exhibit 1, Schedule 6, which was omitted from the original filing. Also attached is Exhibit 4, Schedule 22, and Exhibit 4, Schedule 1, page 11, which contained errors reflected in the original filing. Those errors have since been corrected and are reflected in the enclosed. Clean and redline versions of the corrections to Exhibit No. 4, Schedules 22 and 1 (page 11) are being provided. Peoples intends to submit the enclosed clean versions of Exhibit 4, Schedules 22 and 1 (page 11) for the record in this proceeding, as well as the previously omitted Exhibit 1, Schedule 6 – *Gas Stored Underground*.

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Copies will be provided as indicated on the Certificate of Service.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicholas A. Stobbe

NAS/kls Attachments

cc: Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary (*Letter and Certificate of Service only*)
Certificate of Service

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been served upon the following persons, in the manner indicated, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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Date: February 16, 2024

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EXHIBIT NO. 1 Schedule 6

Witness: Dawn Folks

Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC § 53.53 II.C

1. Provide test year monthly balances for "Current Gas Storage" and notes financing such storage.

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Please see the attached schedule for Current Gas Storage. Gas storage is financed utilizing the Intercompany Demand Note Agreement with PNG Companies as discussed at Exhibit 16, Schedule 15 - 53.53.II.A.17.

Witness: Dawn Folks

Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Exhibit 1, Schedule 6: 53.53 II.C.1 - Gas Stored - Current 12 Months Ended August 31, 2023

Inventory of Gas Stored Underground - Current

Month	Year	Pe	eoples Natural Gas	F	Peoples Gas		Combined
September	2022	\$	138,544,068	\$	27,258,423	\$	165,802,491
October	2022	\$	150,044,386	\$	29,842,554	\$	179,886,940
November	2022	\$	139,994,064	\$	25,674,243	\$	165,668,308
December	2022	\$	121,180,022	\$	18,434,970	\$	139,614,992
January	2023	\$	88,929,591	\$	13,392,356	\$	102,321,946
February	2023	\$	66,662,101	\$	8,451,996	\$	75,114,097
March	2023	\$	40,952,076	\$	3,924,122	\$	44,876,198
April	2023	\$	42,774,859	\$	3,963,310	\$	46,738,170
May	2023	\$	47,322,842	\$	4,770,265	\$	52,093,107
June	2023	\$	52,087,458	\$	5,869,638	\$	57,957,096
July	2023	\$	56,783,008	\$	7,578,281	\$	64,361,289
August	2023	\$	58,570,104	\$	9,073,667	\$	67,643,771
Total		\$	1,003,844,580	\$	158,233,825	\$	1,162,078,404
12 Month Average		\$	83,653,715	\$	13,186,152	\$	96,839,867

EXHIBIT NO. 4 Sch. 22, Pages 1-4 (Revised)

Volume 1

Exhibit No. 4, Schedule No. 22-REVISED Page 1 of 4 Witness: Rudy Hanechak

Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC

§ 53.53 III.E

- 34. Prepare a 3-column schedule of expenses, as described below for the following periods (supply sub-accounts, if significant, to clarify basic accounts):
 - a. Column 1—Test Year
 - b. Column 2 and 3—The two previous years

Provide the annual recorded expense by accounts. (Identify all accounts used but not specifically listed below.)

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Refer to Attachment A for Combined Refer to Attachment B for PNG Refer to Attachment C for PGC

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Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Combined Attachment A

Twelve Months Ended

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Cost Element Description	Aug	ust 31, 2023	Au	gust 31, 2022	Au	gust 31, 2021			
		(1)		(2)		(3)			
Labor	\$	55,181,109	\$	59,716,376	\$	62,215,680			
APIP/Incentive Compensation		6,823,130		6,246,352		8,674,441			
Pension		4,497,434		6,640,392		2,516,547			
Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions		1,229,997		1,390,793		2,431,486			
Other Employee Benefits		16,406,605		16,923,896		19,091,664			
Outside Services - Contracted		24,124,704		21,607,671		21,437,907			
Outside Services - IT		8,596,499		8,688,036		8,587,260			
Outside Services - A&G		4,407,530		5,316,396		4,787,184			
Building Leases		3,902,706		4,118,802		3,415,734			
Corporate Insurance		5,213,687		4,710,028		5,035,015			
Injuries and Damages		1,173,800		2,841,375		2,361,748			
Travel		931,017		697,498		481,494			
Licenses & Permits		677,424		(553,209)		3,066,056			
Utilities & Fuel Used in Company Operations		2,938,901		2,923,474		3,029,402			
Public Relations		1,516,137		2,185,568		2,264,248			
Fleet		1,099,110		461,400		1,833,132			
Materials & Supplies		10,459,149		10,183,753		10,651,564			
Other O&M		15,762,631		8,571,642		4,333,655			
Uncollectible Accounts		14,518,575		14,711,145		21,022,912			
Subtotal		179,460,145		177,381,391		187,237,128			
Total USP Rider		12,891,002		14,597,937		2,330,064			
Total Operation and Maintenance Expense	\$	192,351,147	\$	191,979,328	\$	189,567,192			

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Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Peoples Natural Gas Division Attachment B

Twelve Months Ended

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Cost Element Description		ust 31, 2023	Aug	gust 31, 2022	August 31, 2021				
		(1)		(2)		(3)			
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Labor	\$	45,572,427	\$	50,798,655	\$	50,767,035			
APIP/Incentive Compensation		6,471,016		5,917,791		8,230,000			
Pension		4,497,434		6,640,392		2,694,110			
Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions		1,229,997		1,390,793		2,353,424			
Other Employee Benefits		15,791,330		16,337,366		18,620,678			
Outside Services - Contracted		21,567,899		19,573,007		18,825,788			
Outside Services - IT		7,646,196		7,856,242		8,019,995			
Outside Services - A&G		3,735,604		4,620,118		4,462,039			
Building Leases		3,433,344		3,715,685		3,173,115			
Corporate Insurance		4,418,865		4,047,987		4,410,555			
Injuries and Damages		1,064,530		2,502,944		2,021,529			
Travel		852,692		624,235		430,015			
Licenses & Permits		649,395		(440,017)		2,698,501			
Utilities & Fuel Used in Company Operations		2,424,797		2,429,613		2,649,273			
Public Relations		1,413,159		2,065,011		2,232,151			
Fleet		864,407		540,664		1,531,917			
Materials & Supplies		9,113,593		8,930,560		9,635,885			
Other O&M		14,175,508		7,310,404		4,399,956			
Uncollectible Accounts		13,030,674		12,219,811		19,414,613			
Subtotal		157,952,865		157,081,261		166,570,578			
Total USP Rider		11,560,342		12,872,050		2,695,750			
Total Operation and Maintenance Expense	\$	169,513,207	\$	169,953,312	\$	169,266,329			

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Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Peoples Gas Division

Twelve Months Ended

Cost Element Description	Aug	ust 31, 2023	Aug	ust 31, 2022	Aug	ust 31, 2021
		(1)		(2)		(3)
Labor	\$	9,608,682	\$	8,917,720	\$	11,448,645
APIP/Incentive Compensation	Ψ	352,114	Ψ	328,561	Ψ	444,441
Pension		0		0		(177,563)
Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions		(0)		(0)		78,062
Other Employee Benefits		615,275		` /		470,986
Outside Services - Contracted		2,556,804	586,531			2,612,119
Outside Services - Contracted Outside Services - IT		950,303	2,034,664			
			831,795			567,265
Outside Services - A&G	671,926		696,278			325,145
Building Leases		469,361		403,117		242,619
Corporate Insurance	794,823		662,042			624,460
Injuries and Damages		109,270		338,431		340,219
Travel		78,325		73,263		51,479
Licenses & Permits		28,029		(113,192)		367,555
Utilities & Fuel Used in Company Operations		514,104		493,861		380,128
Public Relations		102,979		120,557		32,097
Fleet		234,703		(79,264)		301,216
Materials & Supplies		1,345,557		1,253,194		1,015,679
Other O&M		1,587,123		1,261,238		(66,302)
Uncollectible Accounts		1,487,901		2,491,334		1,608,299
Subtotal		21,507,280		20,300,129		20,666,550
Total USP Rider		1,330,660		1,725,886		(365,687)
Total Operation and Maintenance Expense	\$	22,837,940	\$	22,026,016	\$	20,300,863

Attachment C

EXHIBIT NO. 4 Sch. 22, Pages 1-4 (Redline)

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Witness: Andrew Wachter

Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC

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Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Combined Attachment A

Twelve Months Ended

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Cost Element Description	Au	gust 31, 2023	August 31, 2022		Aug	ust 31, 2021		
		(1)		(2)		(3)		
Labor	\$	60,920,126	55,181,1	09 4 9,114,520	5 9,7 16 ,37	6 62,215,680		
APIP/Incentive Compensation	Ψ	6,823,130	•	7,036,861		, ,		
Pension		4,497,434		6,730,30				
Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions		1,229,997		, ,	4 1,390,793	, ,		
Other Employee Benefits		16,406,605		22,747,650		, ,		
Outside Services - Contracted		24,124,704		28,597,523				
Outside Services - IT		8,596,499		7,272,132				
Outside Services - A&G		4,407,530		4,194,530				
Building Leases		3,902,706		3,460,219				
Corporate Insurance		5,213,687		3,506,146				
Injuries and Damages		1,173,800		2,178,449				
Travel		931,017		353,905	697,49	8 481,494		
Licenses & Permits		677,424		20,583	3 (553,20	9) 3,066,056		
Utilities & Fuel Used in Company Operations		2,938,901		2,179,703	3 2,923,474	3,029,402		
Public Relations		1,516,137		1,632,445	2,185,568	2,264,248		
Fleet		1,099,110		2,672,276	461,400	1,833,132		
Materials & Supplies		10,459,149		11,414,685	5 10,183,75	3 10,651,564		
Other O&M		14,841,451	15,762,63					
Uncollectible Accounts		9,700,738	14,518,5	75 6,295,62 9) 14,711,145	14,531,377 ^{21,022,912}		
Subtotal	\ <u></u>	179,460,145		177,381,391	<u> </u>	187,237,128		
Total USP Rider		12,891,002		14,597,937	7	2,330,064		
Total Operation and Maintenance Expense	\$	192,351,147	\$	191,979,328	3 \$	189,567,192		

Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Peoples Natural Gas Division Attachment B

	Twelve Months Ended							
Cost Element Description	August 31, 2023	August 31, 2022	August 31, 2021					
	(1)	(2)	(3)					
Labor	\$ 50,922,716							
APIP/Incentive Compensation	6,471,016	6,753,162						
Pension	4,497,434	6,730,305						
Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions	1,229,997	920,924	1,390,793 2,353,424					
Other Employee Benefits	15,791,330	22,234,494	16,337,366 18,620,678					
Outside Services - Contracted	21,567,899	24,662,169	19,573,007 18,825,788					
Outside Services - IT	7,646,196	6,556,057	7,856,242 8,019,995					
Outside Services - A&G	3,735,604	3,622,409	4,620,118 4,462,039					
Building Leases	3,433,344	3,129,013	3,715,685 3,173,115					
Corporate Insurance	4,418,865	2,962,206	4,047,987 4,410,555					
Injuries and Damages	1,064,530	1,903,319	2,502,944 2,021,529					
Travel	852,692	290,075	624,235 430,015					
Licenses & Permits	649,395	88,664	(440,417) 2,698,501					
Utilities & Fuel Used in Company Operations	2,424,797	1,773,915	2,429,613 2,649,273					
Public Relations	1,413,159	1,533,130	2,065,011 2,232,151					
Fleet	864,407	2,664,649						
Materials & Supplies	9,113,593	9,991,543	8,930,560 9,635,885					
Other O&M	13,154,977	14,175,508 14,984,986	7,310,404					
Uncollectible Accounts	8,700,915	13,030,674 4,894,699	12,219,811					
Subtotal	157,952,865	157,081,261	166,570,578					
Total USP Rider	11,560,342	12,872,050	2,695,750					
Total Operation and Maintenance Expense	\$ 169,513,207	\$ 169,953,312	\$ 169,266,329					

Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Peoples Gas Division Attachment C

Twelve Months Ended

Cost Element Description	Aug	ust 31, 2023	Augi	ust 31, 2022	<u>Augus</u>		
^	(1)			(2)		(3)	
			9,608,682	,608,682			
Labor	\$	9,997,410	\$	7,728,984	8,917,720 \$	11,448,645	
APIP/Incentive Compensation		352,114		283,698	328,561	444,441	
Pension		0		0		(177,563)	
Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions		(0)		(0)		78,062	
Other Employee Benefits		615,275		513,156	586,531	470,986	
Outside Services - Contracted		2,556,804		3,935,354	2,034,664	2,612,119	
Outside Services - IT		950,303		716,075	831,795	567,265	
Outside Services - A&G		671,926		572,121	696,278	325,145	
Building Leases		469,361		331,205		242,619	
Corporate Insurance		794,823		543,940	662,042	624,460	
Injuries and Damages		109,270		275,130	338,431	340,219	
Travel		78,325		63,830	73,263	51,479	
Licenses & Permits		28,029		(68,081)	(113,192)	367,555	
Utilities & Fuel Used in Company Operations		514,104		405,787	493,861	380,128	
Public Relations		102,979		99,315	120,557	32,097	
Fleet		234,703		7,627	(79,264)	301,216	
Materials & Supplies		1,345,557		1,423,142	1,253,194	1,015,679	
Other O&M		1,686,474	1,587,123	2,067,913	1,261,238	1,156,661	66,302)
Uncollectible Accounts		999,823	1,487,901	ı ,,,,,1,400,931	2,491,334.	385,337 _{1,6} (0 8;299
Subtotal		21,507,280		20,300,129	2	0,666,550	
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Total USP Rider		1,330,660		1,725,886		87)	
Total Operation and Maintenance Expense		22,837,940		22,026,016	\$ 2	0,300,863	

EXHIBIT NO. 4 Schedule 1 (Revised)

Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions

Line					
No.	Description	PNG	PGC	(Combined
		(1)	(2)		(3)
1	HTY Net Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions	\$ 1,229,997	\$ (0)	\$	1,229,997
2	Prior PBOPS Expense Amortization	\$ (1,016,131)	\$ 2,650,250	\$	1,634,119
3	HTY Adjusted PBOPS Net Expense (Ln 1 + Ln 2)	\$ 213,866	\$ 2,650,250	\$	2,864,116
4	FTY Net Expense	\$ 1,256,374	\$ -	\$	1,256,374
5	FTY Adjustment (Ln 4 - Ln 1)	\$ 26,377	\$ 0	\$	26,377
6	FTY Adjusted PBOPS Net Expense (Ln 3 + Ln 5)	\$ 240,243	\$ 2,650,250	\$	2,890,493
7	FPFTY Net Expense	\$ 1,256,374	\$ -	\$	1,256,374
8	FPFTY Adjustment (Ln 7 - Ln 4)	\$ 	\$ 	\$	
9	FPFTY Adjusted PBOPS Net Expense (Ln 6 + Ln 8)	\$ 240,243	\$ 2,650,250	\$	2,890,493
10	Amount To Be Tracked (Ln 9 - Ln 2)			\$	1,256,374

EXHIBIT NO. 4 Sch. 1, Page 11 (Redline)

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Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions

Line					
No.	<u>Description</u>	PNG	PGC	<u>(</u>	<u>Combined</u>
		(1)	(2)		(3)
1	HTY Net Post Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions	\$ 1,229,997	\$ (0)	\$	1,229,997
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4	FTY Net Expense 1,256,374	\$ 779,921	\$ -	\$	779,921 1,256,374
5	FTY Adjustment (Ln 4 - Ln 1) 26,377	\$ (450,075)	\$ 0	\$	(450,075) 26,377
6	FTY Adjusted PBOPS Net Expense (Ln 3 + Ln 5) 240,243	\$ (236,209)	\$ 2,650,250	\$	2,414,041 2,890,493
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9	FPFTY Adjusted PBOPS Net Expense (Ln 6 + Ln 8) 240,243	\$ (236,209)	\$ 2,650,250	\$	2,414,041 2,890,493
10	Amount To Be Tracked (Ln 9 - Ln 2)			\$	779,921 1,256,374