



**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA**  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
COMMONWEALTH KEYSTONE BUILDING  
400 NORTH STREET  
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA 17120

March 7, 2022

Docket No. A-2016-2570761  
Utility Code: 1719260

**CERTIFIED**

MARK GUNTER  
MATHESON TRI-GAS INC  
203 W CREEK RD  
ST MARYS PA 15857

**RE: Act 127 Pennsylvania Pipeline Operator Annual Registration Form**

Dear Mr. Gunter:

On February 23, 2022, Matheson Tri-Gas Inc.'s registration for renewal of the Act 127 Pennsylvania Pipeline Operator Annual Registration in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania was accepted for filing with the Public Utility Commission. The registration form was incomplete. In order for us to complete our analysis of your application, the Energy Industry Group requires answers to the attached question(s).

Please be advised that you are directed to forward the requested information to the Commission within **30** days of receipt of this letter. Pipeline operators who fail to respond may be referred to the Commission's Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement and may be subject to civil penalties of up to \$10,000 a day that the violation persists. If Matheson Tri-Gas Inc. no longer owns or operates equipment or facilities within the Commonwealth for the transportation of gas or hazardous liquids by pipeline or pipeline facility regulated under federal pipeline safety laws, it should notify the Commission along with necessary proof. For guidance with Act 127 compliance, please refer to the Commission's website link at:  
[http://www.puc.pa.gov/utility\\_industry/natural\\_gas/pipeline\\_safety.aspx](http://www.puc.pa.gov/utility_industry/natural_gas/pipeline_safety.aspx).

The Commission strongly encourages submission through efilings with the Secretary of the Commission by opening an efilings account through the Commission's website and accepting eservice at <https://efiling.puc.pa.gov>. The Commission is accepting all public documents through our efilings system at this time.

If your filing contains confidential material, you are required to either file by overnight delivery or submit to the Secretary's Share Point File system to ensure the timely filing of your submission. Filers should contact the Secretary's Bureau in advance to gain access to the Share Point File system. Make sure to reference the Docket Number listed above when filing your response and mark the materials "CONFIDENTIAL" in bold or highlighted manner if any of the requested information is deemed to be of a confidential nature.

The overnight address for hard-copy or confidential responses is:

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
400 North Street  
Harrisburg, PA 17120

**Your answers should be verified per 52 Pa Code § 1.36.** Accordingly, you must provide the following statement with your responses:

*I, [print name of appropriate company representative], hereby state that the facts above set Forth are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

In addition, to expedite completion of the Act 127 registration, please send a copy of your response to Lee Yalcin at [lyalcin@pa.gov](mailto:lyalcin@pa.gov). If any problems arise that prevent a full timely response or if any clarification of these data requests is needed, please contact Lee Yalcin of the Bureau of Technical Utility Services via e-mail at [lyalcin@pa.gov](mailto:lyalcin@pa.gov) (preferred) or (717) 787-6723.

Sincerely,



Rosemary Chiavetta  
Secretary

Enclosure

Matheson Tri-Gas Inc.  
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Data Requests

1. Reference Act 127 registration, Section 12, Operational Information – Registrant indicated that it added nitrogen pipeline mileage to the registration from which has been in service since 1980. For reporting years ending 2020 and 2021, registrant submitted the following:

Year	Non-HCA Intrastate	Class 1 Transmission and Distribution (T&D)
2020	2.4 miles	2.4 miles
2021	zero	5.5 miles

- a. Please confirm if the 2.4 miles of Non-HCA Intrastate pipeline reported in 2020 were reclassified as Class 1 T&D pipelines in 2021. If not, please explain what happened to the 2.4 miles of Non-HCA Intrastate pipelines miles reported in 2020.
- b. Please confirm if the difference of .7 miles ( $5.5 - 2.4 - 2.4$ ) is due to the addition of the nitrogen lines as mentioned in Section 12 of the registration form for year ending 2021.