BEFORE THE

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission : R-2022-3031211

Office of Small Business Advocate : C-2022-3031632

Office of Consumer Advocate : C-2022-3031767

Pennsylvania State University : C-2022-3031957

Columbia Industrial Intervenors : C-2022-3032178

Jose A. Serrano : C-2022-3031821

Constance Wile : C-2022-3031749

Richard C. Culbertson : C-2022-3032203

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 v. :

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Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania, Inc :

# **PREHEARING ORDER #5**

On March 18, 2022, Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania, Inc. (Columbia), filed Supplement No. 337 to Tariff Gas Pa. P.U.C. No. 9 to become effective May 17, 2022, containing proposed changes in rates, rules, and regulations calculated to produce $82.2 million in additional annualrevenues. Columbia’s filing is docketed at R-2022-3031211.

On April 27, 2022, the Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC) filed a Petition to Intervene at docket number R-2022-3031211.

 On May 6, 2022, Columbia filed an Answer to the Petition to Intervene of NRDC at docket number R-2022-3031211, stating they did not oppose the intervention of NRDC for the purpose of examining the issues related to Columbia’s base rate case filing.

On May 17, 2022, we issued Prehearing Order # 4, granting NRDC’s Petition to Intervene.

On May 27, 2022, Andrew J. Karas, Esq., on behalf of NRDC, filed a Motion to Admit Counsel *Pro Hac Vice*, pursuant to 52 Pa.Code §§ 1.22 and 1.23 and Pa. B.A.R. 301(a), on behalf of John A. Heer, Esq., requesting that Mr. Heer be admitted for purposes of representing NRDC in this proceeding. By e-mail sent to all parties to this proceeding, we instructed parties to file any answer to NRDC’s Motion to Admit Counsel *Pro Hac Vice* by no later than June 7, 2022. To date, no answer opposing this Motion has been filed.

# ORDER

 THERERFORE,

 IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* filed on May 27, 2022 by Andrew J. Karas, Esq., on behalf of John A. Heer, Esq. is granted; and
2. That John A. Heer, Esq. is admitted *Pro Hac Vice* to represent NRDC in this proceeding pursuant to 52 Pa.Code §§ 1.22 and 1.23 and Pa. B.A.R. 301(a).

Date: June 8, 2022 /s/

 Christopher P. Pell

 Deputy Chief Administrative Law Judge

 /s/

 John M. Coogan

 Administrative Law Judge

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