**BEFORE THE**

**PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission : R-2023-3037933

Office of Consumer Advocate : C-2023-3038846

Office of Small Business Advocate : C-2023-3038885

Philadelphia Industrial And Commercial Gas : C-2023-3039059

User Group :

Grays Ferry Cogeneration Partnership and : C-2023-3038727

Vicinity Energy Philadelphia, Inc. :

James M. Williford : C-2023-3039130 :

v. :

:

Philadelphia Gas Works :

Grays Ferry Cogeneration Partnership and : C-2021-3029259

Vicinity Energy Philadelphia, Inc. : :

v. :

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Philadelphia Gas Works :

**BRIEFING ORDER**

1. That main briefs in the above-captioned matters are due on or before July 27, 2023, and reply briefs are due on or before August 7, 2023. Any settlement documents, whether settled in whole or in part, are due on or before August 4, 2023, with Statements in Support from all signatories.

2. That the parties are directed to submit a common outline for the main brief on or before Wednesday, July 19, 2023.

3. That the parties are directed to submit rate case charts to be attached to the Main Briefs for approval by the Bureau of Technical Utility Services on or before Wednesday, July 19, 2023.[[1]](#footnote-1)

4. Each brief shall contain a table of contents with page references to a summary of argument and to each topic addressed in the argument.

5. That main briefs shall not exceed 100 pages in length.

6. That all main briefs must include Proposed Findings of Fact and Proposed Conclusions of Law.

7. That reply briefs shall not exceed 75 pages in length[[2]](#footnote-2).

8. That all briefs must address the issues raised by the Commission’s Opinion and Order of April 20, 2023, in Grays Ferry Cogeneration Partnership and Vicinity Energy Philadelphia Inc. v. Philadelphia Gas Works, Docket No. C-2021-3029259 (April 20, 2023 Order):

a) the proper rate class for Grays Ferry Cogeneration Partnership and Vicinity Energy Philadelphia, Inc., including, if necessary, whether a special rate class is appropriate,

b) the appropriate methodology to determine Philadelphia Gas Works’ actual cost of service for Grays Ferry Cogeneration Partnership and Vicinity Energy Philadelphia, Inc.

c) whether and, if so, to what extent Philadelphia Gas Works’ transportation service to Grays Ferry Cogeneration Partnership and Vicinity Energy Philadelphia, Inc., utilizes PGW’s low pressure distribution system, and if so, what impact does such use have upon the Philadelphia Gas Work’s actual cost of service and the resulting “just and reasonable” rate for Grays Ferry Cogeneration Partnership and Vicinity Energy Philadelphia, Inc.

d) whether Philadelphia Gas Works should be held to its prior position in base rate proceedings that Grays Ferry Cogeneration Partnership and Vicinity Energy Philadelphia, Inc., do not utilize Philadelphia Gas Works’ distribution system.

See, April 20, 2023 Order, Ordering Paragraph # 6.

9. That the Recommended Decision in this case shall be prepared and issued after the receipt of main briefs and reply briefs.

Date: July 17, 2023 /s/

Eranda Vero

Administrative Law Judge

/s/

Arlene Ashton

Administrative Law Judge

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1. The starting point of Table I “Income Summary” shall be the utility’s final pro forma showing at present rates. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. The Table of Contents, Proposed Findings of Fact, Proposed Conclusions of Law, and any History of the Proceedings will not be counted towards the page numbers set for the briefs. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)