



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

April 9, 2026

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Matthew L. Homsher, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

**Re: Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission v. PECO Energy Company – Gas Division /
R-2026-3060860**

Dear Secretary Homsher:

Enclosed please find the Complaint, Public Statement, and Verification, on behalf of the Office of Small Business Advocate (“OSBA”), in the above-referenced proceeding.

Copies will be served on all known parties in this proceeding, as indicated on the attached Certificate of Service.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

/s/ Rebecca Lyttle

Rebecca Lyttle
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Attorney ID No. 201399

Enclosures

cc: Justin Bieber
Joseph Kubas
Parties of Record

consumers of utility services in matters before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (“Commission”).

5. This Complaint is filed against the rates, terms, and other provisions of PECO’s Tariff Gas – Pa. P.U.C. No. 7 (“Tariff No. 7”), which was filed with the Commission on March 30, 2026, by the PECO Energy Company – Gas Division (“PECO Gas” or the “Company”). The rates set forth in Tariff No. 7, if approved by the Commission, would increase the Company’s annual distribution revenues by approximately \$81 million.

6. After preliminary review of the materials filed by PECO Gas in support of the proposed Tariff No. 7, Complainant believes, and therefore avers, that those materials may be insufficient to justify the rate increase requested and that the Company’s present and proposed rates, rules, and conditions of service may be unjust, unreasonable, unduly discriminatory, and otherwise contrary to law, particularly as they pertain to Small Business customers.

7. Complainant believes, and therefore avers, that the Company’s proposed tariff changes and proposed rates, rate design, and revenue allocation are or may be unjust, unreasonable, and unlawfully discriminatory in violation of, *inter alia*, Sections 1301 and 1304 of the Public Utility Code, 66 Pa. C.S. §§1301 and 1304, and contrary to appropriate public policy and sound ratemaking considerations and may not be supported by the materials filed by PECO Gas.

8. In view of the foregoing, the Small Business Advocate respectfully requests that the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission:

- A. Suspend and investigate the operation of Tariff No. 7;
- B. At the conclusion of such investigation, reject the proposed new rates and other tariff changes in Tariff No. 7 to the extent required to make certain

that PECO Gas's rates are lawful, just, reasonable, and not unduly discriminatory to Small Business customers; and

- C. Grant such other relief as may be necessary or appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: April 9, 2026

In view of the foregoing, the Small Business Advocate will participate in proceedings before the Public Utility Commission to investigate the reasonableness of the proposed base rate tariff filings. The Small Business Advocate will ask the Commission to deny any proposed new rates and other tariff changes that apply to Small Business customers that are not proven by PECO Gas to be lawful, just, reasonable, and not discriminatory to the Company's Small Business customers.

Dated: April 9, 2026

VERIFICATION

I, NazAarah Sabree, hereby state that the facts set forth herein above 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).

Date: 04/09/2026

NazAarah Sabree

**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission :
: **Docket No. R-2026-3060860**
v. :
:
PECO Energy Company – Gas Division :

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been served via email (*unless otherwise noted below*) upon the following persons, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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