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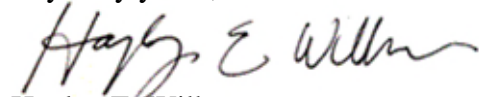
**Re: Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, *et al* v. Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC**  
**Docket Nos. R-2026-3060165, *et al*.**

Dear Secretary Homsher:

Enclosed for filing please find the Prehearing Memorandum of Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC. Copies are being provided as indicated on the Certificate of Service.

If you have any comments or questions regarding the attached, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



Hayley E. Wilburn

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Attachments

cc: Administrative Law Judge Katrina L. Dunderdale (*via email; w/attachment*)  
Administrative Law Judge Ann Quimby (*via email; w/attachment*)  
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).

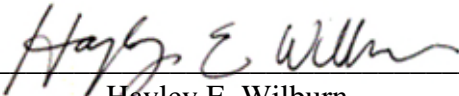
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On March 4, 2026, OCA issued its first set of interrogatories.

On March 5, 2026, OSBA filed a Complaint and Public Statement.

On March 9, 2026, the Commission's Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement ("I&E") filed a Notice of Appearance.

On March 25, 2026, Peoples filed a Notice of Appearance.

On March 27, 2026, OCA issued its second and third sets of interrogatories.

On March 30, 2026, Administrative Law Judges Katrina L. Dunderdale and Ann Quimby (the "ALJs") issued an Initial Telephonic Prehearing Conference Notice, setting the date and time for an initial prehearing conference in the above-captioned matter as 9:00 AM on Monday, April 13, 2026.

Also on March 30, 2026, the ALJs issued a Prehearing Conference Order, requiring Prehearing Memoranda to be submitted by all parties on or before 4:00 p.m. on Friday, April 10, 2026.

On April 1, 2026, Peoples filed a Pro Forma Tariff Supplement containing proposed changes to the Peoples Retail Tariff Gas – Pa. P.U.C. No. 48 and the Peoples Supplier Tariff No. S-4. The Tariff Supplement set forth the specific rates proposed by Peoples for recovery of purchased gas costs effective on October 1, 2026.

On March 6, 2026, OCA issued its fourth set of interrogatories.

Peoples files this Prehearing Conference Memorandum in anticipation of the Prehearing Conference.

## **II. SERVICE OF DOCUMENTS**

Peoples requests that Anthony D. Kanagy, Hayley E. Wilburn, and Meagan Moore be listed on the service list on behalf of the Company. Their contact information is provided below:

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Ms. Wilburn will be the primary attorney speaking on behalf of Peoples for the purposes of the Prehearing Conference. Peoples agrees to receive service of documents electronically in this proceeding. Further, to the extent that materials are available electronically, it is requested that copies be served upon Thomas Connolly at TConnolly@postschell.com, Brittney Corey at BCorey@postschell.com, Andrew P. Wachter at Andrew.Wachter@peoples-gas.com, and Carol A. Scanlon at Carol.Scanlon@peoples-gas.com.

### **III. WITNESSES AND ISSUES**

Below is a list of the witnesses that Peoples intends to call in this proceeding and the subject areas of their testimony. Further definition of the issues will be developed by the parties during

the course of this proceeding. Peoples reserves the right to call additional witnesses, present testimony, or both on additional issues and subject matters that may arise during the course of this proceeding.

<b><u>Witness</u></b>	<b><u>Statement</u></b>	<b><u>General Subject Matter</u></b>
<p>Carol A. Scanlon Rates Manager PNG Companies LLC 375 North Shore Drive Pittsburgh, PA 15212</p>	<p>Peoples Natural Gas St. No. 1</p>	<p>Overview; Filing Requirements; FERC Activities; Retainage; Settlement Updates; and Wagner Update.</p>
<p>Steven P. Kolich Director, Gas Supply PNG Companies LLC 375 North Shore Drive Pittsburgh, PA 15212</p>	<p>Peoples Natural Gas St. No. 2</p>	<p>Gas Procurement Policy and Supply Planning; Supply Requirements; Interstate Pipeline Transportation and Storage Capacity Portfolio; Natural Gas Supply Portfolio; Capacity Releases; Off System Sales; Purchases from Affiliates; Shut-In Practices and Policies; Renegotiations of Contracts; and System Average BTU Value.</p>
<p>Dawn M. Folks Finance and Rates Analyst PNG Companies LLC 375 North Shore Drive Pittsburgh, PA 15212</p>	<p>Peoples Natural Gas St. No. 3</p>	<p>Waiver or Discounts of Retainage; Proposed Tariff Changes; PGC Information; Over/Under Collections; and Calculation of PGC Rates and Balancing Charges.</p>

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Unaccounted for Gas and  
Producer Retainage Charges.

Ms. Scanlon's direct testimony also identifies the sponsoring witnesses for Peoples' exhibits.

Peoples may amend its pre-filed statements and exhibits, as appropriate, during the course of this proceeding, based upon more recent information, as such information becomes available. Such update(s) will reflect changes in information relevant to the determination of the proper level of PGC recovery rates to become effective October 1, 2026.

#### **IV. DISCOVERY**

Peoples understands that OCA is proposing discovery modifications in this proceeding. Peoples opposes one aspect of OCA's proposed discovery modification, which is that requests for admission should be deemed admitted unless answered or objected to within three (3) calendar days of service after rebuttal is served. Peoples submits that the time for answering or objecting to requests for admission should be five (5) calendar days of service after rebuttal is served.

Peoples does not oppose the remainder of OCA's modifications with one clarification. For those discovery requests that were served on or before April 10, 2026, Peoples will use best efforts

to answer those requests within 10 calendar days of the Prehearing Conference date. Peoples is not aware of any outstanding discovery disputes. Peoples is willing to work with the parties, through informal discovery, to expedite the discovery process. The protection of confidential information is addressed in Section VII., below.

**V. PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

The parties have been conferring on a proposed Procedural Schedule in this proceeding, but as of yet have been unable to agree to one. The Company has set forth three Procedural Schedules below which have been proposed by Peoples, I&E, and OCA, respectively, any of which the Company would find acceptable.

Peoples is proposing the following Procedural Schedule:

Prehearing Conference	April 13, 2026
Direct testimony of parties other than Peoples	April 24, 2026
Rebuttal testimony	May 7, 2026
Surrebuttal testimony (in writing)	May 13, 2026
Witness Lists	May 15, 2026
Company's Oral Rejoinder	May 18, 2026
Hearings	May 18, 2026
Main Briefs	June 5, 2026
Reply Briefs	June 12, 2026

Upon information and belief, I&E is proposing the following Procedural Schedule:

Prehearing Conference	April 13, 2026
Direct testimony of parties other than Peoples	April 20, 2026
Rebuttal testimony	May 4, 2026
Surrebuttal testimony (in writing)	May 14, 2026
Hearings – Oral Rejoinder	May 18, 2026

Main Briefs	June 2, 2026
Reply Briefs	June 12, 2026

Also upon information and belief, OCA is proposing the following Procedural Schedule:

Prehearing Conference	April 13, 2026
Direct testimony of parties other than Peoples	April 29, 2026
Rebuttal testimony	May 12, 2026
Surrebuttal testimony (in writing)	May 18, 2026
Witness Lists and Written Rejoinder	May 22, 2026
Hearings	May 27, 2026
Main Briefs	June 5, 2026
Reply Briefs	June 12, 2026

**VI. PUBLIC INPUT HEARINGS**

Peoples is not aware of any substantial consumer interest with respect to the proposed rate change. Peoples does not propose that any public input hearings be held absent substantial public interest in the filing.

**VII. PROTECTION OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

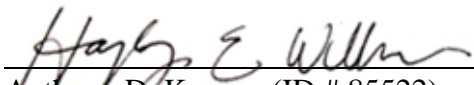
Peoples will submit a Motion for Protective Order for consideration by the ALJ. Peoples will seek the concurrence of the other parties as to the form of the Protective Order before submitting the Motion.

**VIII. SETTLEMENT DISCUSSIONS**

To date, no settlement discussions have been held. However, Peoples will be working with the parties in an effort to resolve these proceedings through settlement.

Respectfully submitted,

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