



revenue increase of \$163.2 annually and, among other things, to increase the Appalachian Gathering Service (“AGS”) rate for producers.

4. PIOGA producer members currently pay for gathering system costs and services related to PNG pipelines through the AGS, which is imposed on the movement of natural gas through the PNG gathering system as well as deliveries of natural gas directly to PNG’s distribution and transmission system.

5. PNG proposes increasing the AGS from \$0.24/mcf to \$0.29/mcf.

6. PIOGA’s producer, supplier, and marketer members will be directly affected and impacted by PNG’s tariff modifications and changes, including but not limited to the proposed AGS fee increase.

7. PIOGA and its members will be bound by the PUC’s determination in these proceedings.

8. PIOGA’s interests and the interests of its members cannot be adequately represented by any other party in this proceeding, including any PIOGA member that may participate individually that may raise issues specific to its relationships with PNC or any other non-PIOGA member producer or supplier/marketer.

9. PIOGA’s intervention is also in the public interest. PIOGA has consistently participated in PNG’s previous base rate and Section 1307(f) proceedings as well as other PUC matters concerning PNG and its various subsidiaries and divisions.

WHEREFORE, the Pennsylvania Independent Oil & Gas Association respectfully requests that the Commission:

A. Grant PIOGAs’ Petition to Intervene and order that PIOGA be permitted to participate as an active party in these proceedings and be placed on all service lists.

B. Order that the following individuals be designated as PIOGA's recipients for service and that all copies of papers filed be served upon:

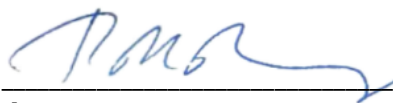
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C. Grant any such other relief as the Commission may deem necessary and proper.

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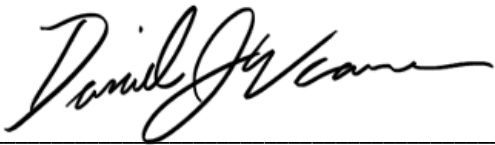
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**VERIFICATION**

I, Daniel J. Weaver, President and Executive Director of the Pennsylvania Independent Oil & Gas Association (PIOGA), hereby state that the facts set forth above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that PIOGA expects to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in these proceedings. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

Dated: April 24, 2026



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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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