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**Via Electronic Mail**

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In the Matter of Public Service Electric and Gas Company's 2020/2021  
Annual BGSS Commodity Charge Filing for its Residential Gas Customers  
Under its Periodic Pricing Mechanism and for Changes in its Balancing Charge

BPU Docket No. GR20060379

Aida Camacho-Welch, Secretary  
New Jersey Board of Public Utilities  
44 South Clinton Avenue, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Post Office Box 350  
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0350

Dear Secretary Camacho-Welch:

Enclosed for filing by Public Service Electric and Gas Company ("Company"), please find an electronic copy of the Company's fully-executed Stipulation for Provisional BGSS Rates in the captioned matter.

Consistent with the Order issued by the Board in connection with *In the Matter of the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities' Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic for a Temporary Waiver of Requirements for Certain Non-Essential Obligations*, BPU Docket No. EO20030254, Order dated March 19, 2020, this document is being electronically filed with the Secretary of the Board and the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel. No paper copies will follow.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Katherine E. Smith", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Katherine Smith

Attach.

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

IN THE MATTER OF PUBLIC SERVICE	)	
ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY'S	)	
2020/2021 ANNUAL BGSS COMMODITY	)	STIPULATION FOR
CHARGE FILING FOR ITS RESIDENTIAL	)	PROVISIONAL BGSS RATES
GAS CUSTOMERS UNDER ITS PERIODIC	)	
PRICING MECHANISM AND FOR CHANGES IN	)	BPU DOCKET NO. GR20060379
ITS BALANCING CHARGE	)	

**APPEARANCES:**

**Matthew M. Weissman**, Esq., Managing Counsel, State Regulatory, and **Katherine E. Smith**, Esq., Associate General Regulatory Counsel, for the Petitioner, Public Service Electric and Gas Company

**Felicia Thomas-Friel**, Esq., Deputy Rate Counsel and **Sarah H. Steindel**, Esq., Assistant Deputy Rate Counsel, for the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel (**Stefanie A. Brand**, Director)

**Matko Ilic**, Deputy Attorney General, for the Staff of the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (**Gurbir S. Grewal**, Attorney General of New Jersey)

On June 1, 2020, Public Service Electric and Gas Company ("PSE&G" or "Company") made a filing with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board" or "BPU") in the above-referenced matter requesting to maintain the current Board-approved Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS") rate through September 30, 2021, and a decrease in its Balancing Charge. Specifically, the Company requested authority to: (1) maintain the BGSS Commodity Charge to Residential Service Customers ("BGSS-RSG") of \$0.320127 per therm [including losses and Sales and Use Tax ("SUT")]; and (2) decrease its Balancing Charge, which recovers the cost of providing storage and peaking services, from the current charge of \$0.098620 per balancing use therm (including losses and SUT) to \$0.085723 per balancing use therm (including losses and SUT).

As filed, the annual bill impact of the proposed Balancing Charge change is a decrease of approximately \$5.24 or 0.95 % on a typical residential gas heating customer using 100 therms per month during the winter months and 610 therms on an annual basis, and a decrease of approximately \$8.92 or 1.02% on a typical residential gas heating customer using 172 therms per month during the winter and 1,040 therms annually.

Notice setting forth the Company's June 1, 2020 request to maintain the current BGSS Commodity Charge and request for a Balancing Charge decrease, including the date, time, and telephonic access numbers of public hearings, was placed in newspapers having a circulation within the Company's gas service territory and was served on the county executives and clerks of all municipalities within PSE&G's gas service territory.<sup>1</sup>

Public hearings were conducted telephonically on August 31, 2020 at 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.<sup>2</sup> No member of the public appeared and spoke at the public hearings.

PSE&G, Board Staff, and the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel ("Rate Counsel") (collectively, "Parties") determined that additional time is needed to complete the review of the Company's proposed BGSS-RSG Commodity Charge and Balancing Charge. However, the Parties also agree that action with respect to the Company's BGSS-RSG Commodity Charge for the 2020-2021 BGSS year and Balancing Charge, on a provisional basis, is reasonable at this time, and HEREBY AGREE as follows:

1. The Company's BGSS Commodity Service, tariff rate BGSS-RSG, shall provisionally be maintained at \$0.320127 per therm (including losses and SUT) through September 30, 2021. This BGSS-RSG Commodity Charge is on a provisional basis, subject to refund with interest on any net over-recovered BGSS-RSG balance.

2. The Company's Balancing Charge shall be decreased on a provisional basis from the current charge of \$0.098620 per therm (including losses and SUT) to \$0.085723 (including losses and SUT), subject to refund with interest on any net over- or under-recovered balance.

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<sup>1</sup> Service was via electronic mail in accordance with the BPU's COVID-19 order, *In the Matter of the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities' Response to the Covid-19 Pandemic for a Temporary Waiver of the Requirements for Certain Non-Essential Obligations*, Docket No. EO20030254, Dated March 19, 2020.

<sup>2</sup> Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, public hearings were held telephonically.

3. There will be an opportunity for full review of all the changes requested by the Company at the Office of Administrative Law, if applicable and necessary, and final approval by the Board.

4. The residential customer impact of this action is as follows: MONTHLY – a residential customer using 100 therms per month during the winter months and 610 therms on an annual basis would see a decrease in their monthly winter bill of \$1.07 or 1.27%, and a residential customer using 172 therms per month during the winter months and 1,040 therms on an annual basis would see a decrease in their monthly winter bill of \$1.84 or 1.33%. ANNUAL – a residential customer using 100 therms per month during the winter months and 610 therms on an annual basis would see a decrease in their annual bill of \$5.24 or 0.95 %, and a residential customer using 172 therms per month during the winter months and 1,040 therms on an annual basis would see a decrease in their annual bill of \$8.92 or 1.02%. These calculations are based upon rates in effect on June 1, 2020 and assuming the customer receives BGSS service from PSE&G. The Company requests that the provisional BGSS-RSG rate and Balancing Charge become effective as of October 1, 2020, or as soon as possible upon the issuance of a Board Order approving this Stipulation.

5. The Board, in its generic Order in Docket No. GX01050304 dated January 6, 2003, granted approval to increase the BGSS-RSG Commodity Charge to be effective December 1 of the year of the annual BGSS filing, and/or February 1 of the year following the annual BGSS filing, on a self-implementing basis, with each such increase being subject to a maximum rate increase of 5% of the average rate based upon a typical 100 therms per month average (1,200 therms annual usage) residential customer's total bill. Such rate increases shall be preconditioned upon written notice by PSE&G to BPU Staff and Rate Counsel no later than November 1 and/or January 1 of its intention to apply a December 1 or a February 1 self-implementing rate increase, respectively, and of the approximate amount of the increases based upon then-current market data. The Company is permitted to decrease its BGSS-RSG Commodity Charge at any time, upon five (5) days' notice to the

Board and Rate Counsel. Pursuant to the Board's January 2003 Order, any self-implementing increases or decreases would be provisional, and subject to reconciliation during the Company's next annual BGSS filing.

6. The Company will provide updated tariff sheets within five (5) business days of the effective date of the Board's Order in this docket reflecting the provisional decreases described above. The proposed tariff sheets are attached hereto as Exhibit A to this Stipulation.

7. The undersigned Parties recommend to the Board that this matter be transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law for an opportunity for full review of all issues, including the provisional rates if approved by the Board.

8. The undersigned agree that this Stipulation for a Provisional BGSS-RSG Commodity Charge and Balancing Charge contains mutually balancing and interdependent provisions and is intended to be accepted and approved in its entirety. If any particular aspect of this Stipulation is not accepted and approved by the Board, this Stipulation shall be null and void, and the Parties shall be placed in the same position that they were immediately prior to execution.

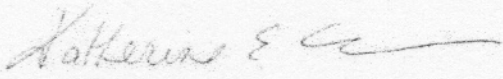
9. The undersigned further acknowledge that a Board Order approving this Stipulation will become effective upon the service of said Board Order, or upon such date after the service thereof as the Board may specify, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 48:2-40.

10. The undersigned Parties further HEREBY AGREE that this Stipulation for a Provisional BGSS-RSG Commodity Charge and Balancing Charge has been made exclusively for the purpose of this proceeding and that this Stipulation, in total or by specific item, is in no way binding upon them in any other proceeding, except to enforce the terms of this Stipulation for a Provisional BGSS-RSG Commodity Charge and Balancing Charge.

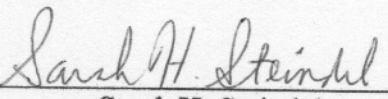
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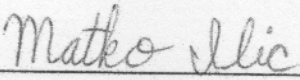
  
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**PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY**

**XXX Revised Sheet No. 54**

**B.P.U.N.J. No. 16 GAS**

**Superseding**

**XXX Revised Sheet No. 54**

**BGSS-RSG  
BASIC GAS SUPPLY SERVICE-RSG  
COMMODITY CHARGES APPLICABLE TO RATE SCHEDULE RSG  
(Per Therm)**

Estimated Non-Gulf Coast Cost of Gas ..... \$ 0.060450

Estimated Gulf Coast Cost of Gas ..... 0.235911

Adjustment to Gulf Coast Cost of Gas ..... 0.000000

Prior period (over) or under recovery ..... (0.002130)

Adjusted Cost of Gas ..... 0.294231

Commodity Charge after application of losses: (Loss Factor = 2.0%)..... \$ 0.300236

Commodity Charge including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT) ..... \$ 0.320127

The above Commodity Charge will be established on a level annualized basis immediately prior to the winter season of each year for the succeeding twelve-month period. The estimated average Non-Gulf and Gulf Coast Cost of Gas will be adjusted for any under- or over-recovery together with applicable interest thereon which may have occurred during the operation of the Company's previously approved Commodity Charge filing. Further, the Company will be permitted a limited self-implementing increase to the Commodity Charge on December 1 and February 1 of each year. These limited self-implementing increases, if applied, are to be in accordance with a Board of Public Utilities approved methodology. Commodity Charge decreases would be permitted at any time if applicable.

The difference between actual costs and Public Service's recovery of these costs shall be determined monthly. If actual costs exceed the recovery of these costs, an underrecovery or a negative balance will result. If the recovery of these costs exceeds actual costs, an overrecovery or a positive balance will result. Interest shall be applied monthly to the average monthly cumulative deferred balance, positive or negative, from the beginning to the end of the annual period. Monthly interest on negative deferred balances (underrecoveries) shall be netted against monthly interest on positive deferred balances (overrecoveries) for the annual period. A cumulative net positive interest balance at the end of the annual period is owed to customers and shall be returned to customers in the next annual period. A cumulative net negative interest balance shall be zeroed out at the end of the annual period. The sum of the calculated monthly interests shall be added to the overrecovery balance or subtracted from the underrecovery balance at the end of the annual period. The positive interest balance shall be rolled into the beginning under- or over-recovery balance of the subsequent annual period.

Pursuant to the Board's January 6, 2003 Order approving the BGSS price structure under Docket No. GX01050304 and the BGSS Pricing Proposal appended as Attachment A to and approved in that Order, Public Service Electric and Gas Company may issue a bill credit for its BGSS-RSG customers as detailed below.

Effective	BGSS-RSG Credit (per therm)	BGSS-RSG Credit including SUT (per therm)
February 1, 2020 through March 31, 2020	(\$0.070340)	(\$0.075000)
April 1, 2020	\$0.000000	\$0.000000

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PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY

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**RATE SCHEDULE RSG  
RESIDENTIAL SERVICE**

**APPLICABLE TO USE OF SERVICE FOR:**

Firm delivery service for residential purposes. Customers may either purchase gas supply from a Third Party Supplier (TPS) or from Public Service's Basic Gas Supply Service default service as detailed in this rate schedule.

**DELIVERY CHARGES:**

**Service Charge:**

\$8.08 in each month [\$8.62 including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT)].

**Distribution Charges:**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	
\$0.360706	\$0.384603	per therm

**Balancing Charge:**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	
\$0.080397	\$0.085723	
<del>0.092492</del>	<del>\$0.098620</del>	per Balancing Use Therm

**Societal Benefits Charge:**

This charge shall recover costs associated with activities that are required to be accomplished to achieve specific public policy determinations mandated by Government. Societal Benefits include: 1) Social Programs, 2) Demand Side Management Programs, 3) Manufactured Gas Plant Remediation, 4) Consumer Education, and 5) Universal Service Fund. Refer to the Societal Benefits Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

**Margin Adjustment Charge:**

This charge shall credit net revenue associated with Rate Schedule Non-Firm Transportation Gas Service (TSG-NF) to customers on Rate Schedules RSG, GSG, LVG, SLG and TSG-F. Refer to the Margin Adjustment Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

**Green Programs Recovery Charge:**

This charge is designed to recover the revenue requirements associated with the PSE&G Green Programs as approved by the Board. Refer to the Green Programs Recovery Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

**Weather Normalization Charge:**

This charge is designed to adjust base rate recoveries to offset the effects of abnormal weather on sales. The weather normalization charge applied in each winter period shall be based on the differences between actual and normal weather during the preceding winter period. Refer to the Weather Normalization Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

The Weather Normalization Charge will be combined with the Balancing Charge for billing.

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**RATE SCHEDULE GSG  
GENERAL SERVICE**

**APPLICABLE TO USE OF SERVICE FOR:**

Firm delivery service for general purposes where: 1) customer does not qualify for RSG and 2) customer's usage does not exceed 3,000 therms in any month. Customers may either purchase gas supply from a Third Party Supplier (TPS) or from Public Service's Basic Gas Supply Service default service as detailed in this rate schedule.

**DELIVERY CHARGES:**

**Service Charge:**

\$15.19 in each month [\$16.20 including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT)].

**Distribution Charges:**

<u>Pre-July 14, 1997 *</u>		<u>All Others</u>		per therm
<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	
\$0.288299	\$0.307399	\$0.288299	\$0.307399	

\* Applicable to customers who have taken TPS supplied commodity service continuously since July 14, 1997.

**Balancing Charge:**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	per Balancing Use Therm
\$0.080397	\$0.085723	
0.092492	0.098620	

**Societal Benefits Charge:**

This charge shall recover costs associated with activities that are required to be accomplished to achieve specific public policy determinations mandated by Government. Societal Benefits include: 1) Social Programs, 2) Demand Side Management Programs, 3) Manufactured Gas Plant Remediation, 4) Consumer Education, and 5) Universal Service Fund. Refer to the Societal Benefits Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

**Margin Adjustment Charge:**

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**RATE SCHEDULE LVG  
LARGE VOLUME SERVICE**

**APPLICABLE TO USE OF SERVICE FOR:**

Firm delivery service for general purposes. Customers may either purchase gas supply from a Third Party Supplier (TPS) or from Public Service's Basic Gas Supply Service default service as detailed in this rate schedule.

**DELIVERY CHARGES:**

**Service Charge:**

\$134.85 in each month [\$143.78 including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT)].

**Demand Charge (Applicable in the months of November through March):**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	
\$ 3.9473	\$ 4.2088	per Demand Therm

**Distribution Charges:**

<u>Per therm for the first 1,000 therms used in each month</u>		<u>Per therm in excess of 1,000 therms used in each month</u>	
<u>Charges</u>	<u>Charges Including SUT</u>	<u>Charges</u>	<u>Charges Including SUT</u>
\$ 0.042298	\$ 0.045100	\$0.041894	\$ 0.044669

**Balancing Charge:**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	
<del>\$0.080397</del>	<del>\$0.085723</del>	per Balancing Use Therm
0.092492	0.098620	

**Societal Benefits Charge:**

This charge shall recover costs associated with activities that are required to be accomplished to achieve specific public policy determinations mandated by Government. Societal Benefits include: 1) Social Programs, 2) Demand Side Management Programs, 3) Manufactured Gas Plant Remediation, 4) Consumer Education, and 5) Universal Service Fund. Refer to the Societal Benefits Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY

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XXX Revised Sheet No. 112A

**RATE SCHEDULE CSG**

**CONTRACT SERVICE**

(Continued)

**ECONOMICALLY VIABLE BYPASS**

**DELIVERY CHARGES:**

**Service Charge:**

\$722.23 in each month [\$770.08 including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT)]

**Distribution Charge:**

Net Alternative Delivery Cost multiplied by the applicable Net Alternative Delivery Cost Factor divided by the Contracted Monthly Therms rounded to the nearest \$0.000000 per therm.

**Maintenance Charges:**

Equals the Alternative Delivery Cost multiplied by the applicable Alternative Delivery Cost Factor divided by the Contract Monthly Therms rounded to the nearest \$0.000000 per therm.

Plus any customer site-specific ongoing or continuing cost not directly related to the operation, maintenance or inspection of the customer's planned by-pass pipeline. This shall include, but not be limited to, periodic payments for rights-of-way, easements, pipeline cost differentials, permits or other such costs. These charges shall be expressed on a monthly levelized basis over the term of service.

Public Service will also take into consideration any operational or deliverability differences that would be reasonably expected between the pipeline and/or service over Public Service's distribution system in determining Delivery Charges. In no event shall the Delivery Charges be lower than an amount sufficient to generate a return on the capital investments made by Public Service and recovery of marginal and embedded costs, including depreciation, to provide service to the customer over the term of each CSG agreement.

**Balancing Charge:**

Applicable only if the customer is provided Public Service's Basic Gas Supply Service – Firm (BGSS-F) default service.

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge</u>	
	<u>Including SUT</u>	
\$0.080397	\$0.085723	per Balancing Use Therm
0.092492	0.098620	

**Societal Benefits Charge:**

This charge shall recover costs associated with activities that are required to be accomplished to achieve specific public policy determinations mandated by government. In appropriate circumstances, the Board of Public Utilities may approve a discount from the Societal Benefits Charge. Refer to the Societal Benefits Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge and applicable exemptions.

**Green Programs Recovery Charge:**

This charge is designed to recover the revenue requirements associated with the PSE&G Green Programs as approved by the Board. In appropriate circumstances, the Board of Public Utilities may approve a discount from the Green Programs Recovery Charge. Refer to the Green Programs Recovery Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge and applicable exceptions.

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Adjustment to Gulf Coast Cost of Gas .....	0.000000
Prior period (over) or under recovery .....	<u>(0.002130)</u>
Adjusted Cost of Gas .....	0.294231
Commodity Charge after application of losses: (Loss Factor = 2.0%).....	\$ 0.300236
Commodity Charge including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT) .....	<u>\$ 0.320127</u>

The above Commodity Charge will be established on a level annualized basis immediately prior to the winter season of each year for the succeeding twelve-month period. The estimated average Non-Gulf and Gulf Coast Cost of Gas will be adjusted for any under- or over-recovery together with applicable interest thereon which may have occurred during the operation of the Company's previously approved Commodity Charge filing. Further, the Company will be permitted a limited self-implementing increase to the Commodity Charge on December 1 and February 1 of each year. These limited self-implementing increases, if applied, are to be in accordance with a Board of Public Utilities approved methodology. Commodity Charge decreases would be permitted at any time if applicable.

The difference between actual costs and Public Service's recovery of these costs shall be determined monthly. If actual costs exceed the recovery of these costs, an underrecovery or a negative balance will result. If the recovery of these costs exceeds actual costs, an overrecovery or a positive balance will result. Interest shall be applied monthly to the average monthly cumulative deferred balance, positive or negative, from the beginning to the end of the annual period. Monthly interest on negative deferred balances (underrecoveries) shall be netted against monthly interest on positive deferred balances (overrecoveries) for the annual period. A cumulative net positive interest balance at the end of the annual period is owed to customers and shall be returned to customers in the next annual period. A cumulative net negative interest balance shall be zeroed out at the end of the annual period. The sum of the calculated monthly interests shall be added to the overrecovery balance or subtracted from the underrecovery balance at the end of the annual period. The positive interest balance shall be rolled into the beginning under- or over-recovery balance of the subsequent annual period.

Pursuant to the Board's January 6, 2003 Order approving the BGSS price structure under Docket No. GX01050304 and the BGSS Pricing Proposal appended as Attachment A to and approved in that Order, Public Service Electric and Gas Company may issue a bill credit for its BGSS-RSG customers as detailed below.

Effective	BGSS-RSG Credit (per therm)	BGSS-RSG Credit including SUT (per therm)
February 1, 2020 through March 31, 2020	(\$0.070340)	(\$0.075000)
April 1, 2020	\$0.000000	\$0.000000

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**RATE SCHEDULE RSG  
RESIDENTIAL SERVICE**

**APPLICABLE TO USE OF SERVICE FOR:**

Firm delivery service for residential purposes. Customers may either purchase gas supply from a Third Party Supplier (TPS) or from Public Service's Basic Gas Supply Service default service as detailed in this rate schedule.

**DELIVERY CHARGES:**

**Service Charge:**

\$8.08 in each month [\$8.62 including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT)].

**Distribution Charges:**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge</u>	
\$0.360706	<u>Including SUT</u>	
	\$0.384603	per therm

**Balancing Charge:**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge</u>	
\$0.080397	<u>Including SUT</u>	
	\$0.085723	per Balancing Use Therm

**Societal Benefits Charge:**

This charge shall recover costs associated with activities that are required to be accomplished to achieve specific public policy determinations mandated by Government. Societal Benefits include: 1) Social Programs, 2) Demand Side Management Programs, 3) Manufactured Gas Plant Remediation, 4) Consumer Education, and 5) Universal Service Fund. Refer to the Societal Benefits Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

**Margin Adjustment Charge:**

This charge shall credit net revenue associated with Rate Schedule Non-Firm Transportation Gas Service (TSG-NF) to customers on Rate Schedules RSG, GSG, LVG, SLG and TSG-F. Refer to the Margin Adjustment Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

**Green Programs Recovery Charge:**

This charge is designed to recover the revenue requirements associated with the PSE&G Green Programs as approved by the Board. Refer to the Green Programs Recovery Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

**Weather Normalization Charge:**

This charge is designed to adjust base rate recoveries to offset the effects of abnormal weather on sales. The weather normalization charge applied in each winter period shall be based on the differences between actual and normal weather during the preceding winter period. Refer to the Weather Normalization Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

The Weather Normalization Charge will be combined with the Balancing Charge for billing.

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**RATE SCHEDULE GSG  
GENERAL SERVICE**

**APPLICABLE TO USE OF SERVICE FOR:**

Firm delivery service for general purposes where: 1) customer does not qualify for RSG and 2) customer's usage does not exceed 3,000 therms in any month. Customers may either purchase gas supply from a Third Party Supplier (TPS) or from Public Service's Basic Gas Supply Service default service as detailed in this rate schedule.

**DELIVERY CHARGES:**

**Service Charge:**

\$15.19 in each month [\$16.20 including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT)].

**Distribution Charges:**

<u>Pre-July 14, 1997 *</u>		<u>All Others</u>		per therm
<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	
\$0.288299	\$0.307399	\$0.288299	\$0.307399	

\* Applicable to customers who have taken TPS supplied commodity service continuously since July 14, 1997.

**Balancing Charge:**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	per Balancing Use Therm
\$0.080397	\$0.085723	

**Societal Benefits Charge:**

This charge shall recover costs associated with activities that are required to be accomplished to achieve specific public policy determinations mandated by Government. Societal Benefits include: 1) Social Programs, 2) Demand Side Management Programs, 3) Manufactured Gas Plant Remediation, 4) Consumer Education, and 5) Universal Service Fund. Refer to the Societal Benefits Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

**Margin Adjustment Charge:**

This charge shall credit net revenue associated with Rate Schedule Non-Firm Transportation Gas Service (TSG-NF) to customers on Rate Schedules RSG, GSG, LVG, SLG and TSG-F. Refer to the Margin Adjustment Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

**Green Programs Recovery Charge:**

This charge is designed to recover the revenue requirements associated with the PSE&G Green Programs as approved by the Board. Refer to the Green Programs Recovery Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

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**RATE SCHEDULE LVG  
LARGE VOLUME SERVICE**

**APPLICABLE TO USE OF SERVICE FOR:**

Firm delivery service for general purposes. Customers may either purchase gas supply from a Third Party Supplier (TPS) or from Public Service's Basic Gas Supply Service default service as detailed in this rate schedule.

**DELIVERY CHARGES:**

**Service Charge:**

\$134.85 in each month [\$143.78 including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT)].

**Demand Charge (Applicable in the months of November through March):**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	
\$ 3.9473	\$ 4.2088	per Demand Therm

**Distribution Charges:**

<u>Per therm for the first 1,000 therms used in each month</u>		<u>Per therm in excess of 1,000 therms used in each month</u>	
<u>Charges</u>	<u>Charges Including SUT</u>	<u>Charges</u>	<u>Charges Including SUT</u>
\$ 0.042298	\$ 0.045100	\$0.041894	\$ 0.044669

**Balancing Charge:**

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge Including SUT</u>	
\$0.080397	\$0.085723	per Balancing Use Therm

**Societal Benefits Charge:**

This charge shall recover costs associated with activities that are required to be accomplished to achieve specific public policy determinations mandated by Government. Societal Benefits include: 1) Social Programs, 2) Demand Side Management Programs, 3) Manufactured Gas Plant Remediation, 4) Consumer Education, and 5) Universal Service Fund. Refer to the Societal Benefits Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge.

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**RATE SCHEDULE CSG**

**CONTRACT SERVICE**

(Continued)

**ECONOMICALLY VIABLE BYPASS**

**DELIVERY CHARGES:**

**Service Charge:**

\$722.23 in each month [\$770.08 including New Jersey Sales and Use Tax (SUT)]

**Distribution Charge:**

Net Alternative Delivery Cost multiplied by the applicable Net Alternative Delivery Cost Factor divided by the Contracted Monthly Therms rounded to the nearest \$0.000000 per therm.

**Maintenance Charges:**

Equals the Alternative Delivery Cost multiplied by the applicable Alternative Delivery Cost Factor divided by the Contract Monthly Therms rounded to the nearest \$0.000000 per therm.

Plus any customer site-specific ongoing or continuing cost not directly related to the operation, maintenance or inspection of the customer's planned by-pass pipeline. This shall include, but not be limited to, periodic payments for rights-of-way, easements, pipeline cost differentials, permits or other such costs. These charges shall be expressed on a monthly levelized basis over the term of service.

Public Service will also take into consideration any operational or deliverability differences that would be reasonably expected between the pipeline and/or service over Public Service's distribution system in determining Delivery Charges. In no event shall the Delivery Charges be lower than an amount sufficient to generate a return on the capital investments made by Public Service and recovery of marginal and embedded costs, including depreciation, to provide service to the customer over the term of each CSG agreement.

**Balancing Charge:**

Applicable only if the customer is provided Public Service's Basic Gas Supply Service – Firm (BGSS-F) default service.

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge</u>	
\$0.080397	<u>Including SUT</u> \$0.085723	per Balancing Use Therm

**Societal Benefits Charge:**

This charge shall recover costs associated with activities that are required to be accomplished to achieve specific public policy determinations mandated by government. In appropriate circumstances, the Board of Public Utilities may approve a discount from the Societal Benefits Charge. Refer to the Societal Benefits Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge and applicable exemptions.

**Green Programs Recovery Charge:**

This charge is designed to recover the revenue requirements associated with the PSE&G Green Programs as approved by the Board. In appropriate circumstances, the Board of Public Utilities may approve a discount from the Green Programs Recovery Charge. Refer to the Green Programs Recovery Charge sheet of this Tariff for the current charge and applicable exceptions.

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