

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKINGFORMAL CASE NO. 990, IN THE MATTER OF THE DEVELOPMENT OF LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIER QUALITY OF SERVICE STANDARDS FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

1. The Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia (“Commission”), pursuant to its authority under District of Columbia Official Code § 34-401,¹ hereby gives notice of its intent to adopt the following amendments to Chapter 27 of Title 15 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations (“DCMR”) in not less than 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (“NOPR”) in the *D.C. Register*.

2. Chapter 27, which is entitled “Regulation of Telecommunications Service Providers,” contains the Commission’s rules and service quality standards for telecommunications service providers in the District of Columbia. The following proposed amendments to Chapter 27 will amend the Commission’s reporting requirements for service outages and incidents resulting in personal injury for telecommunications service providers in accordance with the “Omnibus Utility Amendment Act of 2004”² and D.C. Official Code § 34-2002(g).³

2740 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR SERVICE OUTAGES AND INCIDENTS RESULTING IN PERSONAL INJURY OR DEATH

2740.15 FCC NORS reports and reports filed under subsections 2740.9 and 2740.13 are presumed to be confidential. Challenges to the confidentiality of these reports shall follow the procedures outlined in the Commission’s rules governing confidential and proprietary information. All initial ~~other~~ reports filed under this section are not presumed to be confidential.

3. All persons interested in commenting on the subject matter of this proposed rulemaking action may submit written comments and reply comments no later than thirty (30) and forty-five (45) days, respectively, after publication of this notice in the *D.C. Register* with Dorothy Wideman, Commission Secretary, Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia, 1333 H Street, NW, West Tower, Suite 200, Washington, DC 20005. Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained by visiting the Commission’s website at www.dcpsc.org or at cost, by contacting the Commission Secretary at the above address.

¹ D.C. Official Code § 34-401 (2009 Supp.).

² *Id.*

³ D.C. Official Code § 34-2002(g) (2009 Supp.).

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

GT97-3, IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WASHINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY FOR AUTHORITY TO AMEND ITS RATE SCHEDULE NO. 6, GT06-1, IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WASHINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY FOR AUTHORITY TO AMEND GENERAL SERVICE PROVISION NO. 23;

GT06-1, IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WASHINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY FOR AUTHORITY TO AMEND GENERAL SERVICE PROVISION NO. 23;

and

FORMAL CASE NO. 1027, IN THE MATTER OF THE EMERGENCY PETITION OF THE OFFICE OF THE PEOPLE'S COUNSEL FOR AN EXPEDITED INVESTIGATION OF THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM OF WASHINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY,

1. The Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia ("Commission") hereby gives notice, pursuant to Section 2-505 of the District of Columbia Code,¹ of its intent to act upon the Application of Washington Gas Light Company ("WGL" or "Company")² in not less than 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice of Proposed Rulemaking ("NOPR") in the *D.C. Register*.

2. On March 15, 2010, WGL filed its Application to amend **Tariff Page 1 of P.S.C. of D.C. No. 3, Tariff Page 13 of Rate Schedule No. 2, and Tariff Pages 60 and 61 of the General Service Provisions** and to add **Tariff Page 5A of Rate Schedule No. 1, Tariff Page No. 9C of Rate Schedule No. 1A, Tariff Page 13F of Rate Schedule 2A, Tariff Page 18A of Rate Schedule No. 3, Tariff Page No. 22D of Rate Schedule No. 3A, and Tariff Page No. 27N of Rate Schedule No. 6**. These changes describe how WGL proposes to recover costs of WGL's Replacement and Encapsulation Program approved in Order No. 15627.³

3. The Application is on file with the Commission and may be reviewed at the Office of the Commission Secretary, 1333 H Street, NW, Second Floor, West Tower, Washington, DC 20005, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

¹ D.C. Code, § 2-505 (2001 Ed.).

² *Formal Case No. 1027, In the Matter of the Emergency Petition of the Office of the People's Counsel for an Expedited Investigation of the Distribution System of Washington Gas Light Company, GT97-3, GT06-1*, Letter to Dorothy Wideman, Commission Secretary, from Cathy Thurston-Seignious, Senior Attorney for Washington Gas Light Company, filed March 15, 2010 (hereinafter referred to as "Application").

³ *Formal Case No. 1027, GT97-3, GT06-1*, Order No. 15627, rel. December 11, 2009.

Copies of the tariff pages are available upon request, at a per-page reproduction cost. The Application is also available on the Commission's website at www.dcpsc.org.

4. Comments on the proposed tariff application must be made in writing to Dorothy Wideman, Commission Secretary, at the above address. All comments must be received within 30 days of the date of publication of this NOPR in the *D.C. Register*. Persons wishing to file reply comments may do so no later than 45 days of the date of publication of this NOPR in the *D.C. Register*. Once the comment and reply comment periods have expired, the Commission will take final action on WGL's Application.