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Re:	In the Matter of the Petition of Elizabethtown Gas Company To (1) Revise the Clean
	Energy Program Component of its Societal Benefits Charge Rate and (2) Revise Its
	On-System Margin Sharing Credit
	BPU Docket No.

Dear Secretary Golden:

Enclosed herewith is Elizabethtown Gas Company's Petition To (1) Revise the Clean Energy Program Component of its Societal Benefits Charge Rate; and (2) Revise Its On-System Margin Sharing Credit, which has been filed electronically today utilizing the Board's e-filing Program. In accordance with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("BPU") March 19, 2020 and June 10, 2020 Orders issued in BPU Docket No. EO20030254, hard copies are not being submitted at this time, but can be provided at a later time, if needed.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions you may have. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures

cc: Service list (electronically)

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY TO (1) REVISE THE CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM COMPONENT OF ITS SOCIETAL BENEFITS CHARGE RATE AND (2) REVISE ITS ON-SYSTEM MARGIN SHARING CREDIT BPU DOCKET NO.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF	:
ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY	:
ΓO (1) REVISE THE CLEAN ENERGY	: BPU DOCKET NO.
PROGRAM COMPONENT OF ITS	:
SOCIETAL BENEFITS CHARGE RATE AND	:
(2) REVISE ITS ON-SYSTEM MARGIN	:
SHARING CREDIT	:
CASE SUMMARY, VERIFIED PETITION	N, TESTIMONY AND SCHEDULES

STATE OF NEW JERSEY **BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES**

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In The Matter	Of The Petition Of Elizabethtown Gas	:	
Company To	(1) Revise The Clean Energy Program	:	Docket No

Company To (1) Revise The Clean Energy Program : Component Of Its Societal Benefits Charge Rate and

(2) Revise Its On-System Margin Sharing Credit **CASE SUMMARY**

This Petition presents the request of Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Petitioner") that the Board of Public Utilities ("Board" or "BPU") accept the filing of Petitioner's revised rates associated with the Clean Energy Program ("CEP") component of the Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC") and On-System Margin Sharing Credit ("OSMC") as noted below, which are inclusive of taxes. The Petition proposes the following per therm rates to be effective on October 1, 2024: a CEP rate of \$0.0312 and an OSMC credit rate of \$0.0026. The proposed rate changes will increase the monthly bill of a residential heating customer using 100 therms by \$0.61 from \$138.93 to \$139.54, an increase of 0.4% based on rates in effect July 1, 2024.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

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In The Matter Of The Petition Of Elizabethtown Gas	:	
Company To (1) Revise The Clean Energy Program	:	Docket No. GR
Component Of Its Societal Benefits Charge Rate and	:	
(2) Revise Its On-System Margin Sharing Credit	:	VERIFIED PETITION
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To The Honorable Board of Public Utilities:

Petitioner, Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Petitioner"), a public utility corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Jersey subject to the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Utilities ("BPU" or "Board"), respectfully states:

- 1. Petitioner's principal business office is located at 520 Green Lane, Union, New Jersey 07083.
- 2. Petitioner is engaged in the business of transmission and distribution of natural and mixed gas to approximately 316,000 customers within its service territory located principally in Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Morris, Sussex, Union and Warren Counties.
- 3. The purpose of this filing is to revise the rates associated with Petitioner's Clean Energy Program ("CEP") component of the Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC") and On-System Margin Sharing Credit ("OSMC"), and to reconcile costs and cost recoveries associated with each clause for the periods in which the respective clauses are applicable.
- 4. Annexed hereto and made a part of this Petition is Exhibit P-1 which Petitioner suggests be marked as indicated. Exhibit P-1 is the testimony and supporting schedules of Thomas Kaufmann, Manager of Rates and Tariffs for Petitioner. The following Schedules, described in Mr. Kaufmann's testimony, are attached and referred to in Exhibit P-1:
 - a. Tariff Schedule TK-1;
 - b. Forecast Schedule TK-1;
 - c. CEP Schedule TK-1 through TK-5; and
 - d. OSMC Schedule TK-1 through TK-4.

Rate and Order Background

5. The current rates in effect for CEP and OSMC were approved on a final basis in Petitioner's 2023 CEP/OSMC proceeding in BPU Docket No. GR23070476 per Board Order dated January 31, 2024. The following table sets forth the current CEP and OSMC rates and the CEP and OSMC rates proposed in this filing. All rates quoted in this Petition are inclusive of taxes.

	Current	Proposed
CEP	\$0.0270	\$0.0312
OSMC	(\$0.0045)	(\$0.0026)
Total	\$0.0225	\$0.0286

The CEP Component of the SBC Rate

- 6. Petitioner's SBC was approved by the Board's Orders dated March 30, 2001 in BPU Docket No. GX99030121, *et al.*, and November 21, 2001 in Docket No. EX00020091, *et al.* The SBC consists of four components: (1) the CEP component, (2) the Remediation Adjustment Clause ("RAC") component, (3) the Universal Service Fund ("USF") component, and (4) the Lifeline component. In this Petition, Petitioner is only addressing the CEP component of the SBC.
- 7. In accordance with the Board's Orders in Docket Nos. EX99050347, *et al.* and GX99030121, *et al.*, Petitioner is making this filing to recover prior period costs, the net actual costs incurred to provide Board-approved CEP programs and carrying costs for the period ending June 30, 2024, and projected costs for the period ending June 30, 2025 for a total of \$15,751,896 as shown on CEP Schedule TK-1. As shown on CEP Schedule TK-5, in accordance with the Board's Order dated June 27, 2024 in BPU Docket No. QO24040223 which established the statewide funding levels for CEP programs for Fiscal Year 2025, Petitioner has been allocated \$14,313,179 of CEP funding responsibility for the twelve months ending June 30, 2025. As noted on this schedule, only the amounts projected to be paid to the Fiscal Agent during the projected CEP period are included on CEP Schedule TK-1. This level of spending, plus certain additional adjustments shown on CEP Schedule TK-1, produces a proposed CEP rate of \$0.0312 per therm.

On-System Margin Sharing Credit

8. In accordance with the mechanisms approved by the Board's Orders in Docket Nos. GT8602131, GM9009049, TC94030057, GR9608574, et. al., GR97070552, et. al., and Docket No. GX99030121, *et. al.*, margins from certain on-system sales and transportation services are shared between firm sales customers, certain firm transportation customers and Petitioner on an 80/20% basis through a credit, the OSMC, to the transportation rates charged to firm sales and Service Classification RDS customers. These sharing amounts, plus certain additional adjustments shown on OSMC Schedule TK-1, produces a proposed OSMC credit rate of \$0.0026 per therm.

Overall Impact

9. The overall impact of Petitioner's proposed CEP and OSMC rates in this proceeding is an increase in the monthly bill of a residential heating customer using 100 therms of \$0.61, from \$138.93 to \$139.54, or an increase of 0.4% as compared to the currently effective rates as of July 1, 2024.

Miscellaneous

- 10. Petitioner is serving notice and a copy of this Petition, together with a copy of the exhibits and schedules annexed hereto on the Director, New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel via electronic mail in lieu of providing hard copies. In accordance with the BPU's March 19, 2020 and June 10, 2020 Orders issued in BPU Docket No. EO20030254, hard copies are not being submitted at this time, but can be provided at a later time, if needed.
- 11. Similarly, Petitioner is also serving this notice and a copy of this Petition on the Department of Law and Public Safety via electronic mail in lieu of submitting hard copies which can be provided at a later time, if needed.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Board (1) accept Petitioner's filing, (2) allow the proposed CEP and OSMC rates and associated proposals to become effective October 1, 2024, and (3) grant such other relief as the Board may deem just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

Dominick DiRocco

VP/Rates & Regulatory Affairs

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SJI Utilities, Inc.

Date: July 31, 2024

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY TO (1) REVISE THE CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM COMPONENT OF ITS SOCIETAL BENEFITS CHARGE RATE AND (2) REVISE ITS ON-SYSTEM MARGIN SHARING CREDIT

BPU	Docket No.	. GR

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on July 31, 2024, Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Elizabethtown" or "Company") filed a petition with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("BPU" or "Board") in BPU Docket No. GR_____ to revise its Clean Energy Program ("CEP") component of its Societal Benefit Charge ("SBC"), and its On-System Margin Sharing Credit ("OSMC") ("Petition"). In the Petition, the Company proposed to establish a CEP rate of \$0.0312 per therm to recover CEP cost responsibility amounting to approximately \$15.8 million, and an OSMC credit rate of \$0.0026 per therm for an adjustment to margin contributions amounting to approximately \$0.9 million, to be effective October 1, 2024. The CEP rate component of the SBC recovers the costs of statewide energy efficiency and renewable energy programs mandated by the Board. The OSMC rate component is designed to flow back to the Company's firm customers the margins received from on-system sales and transportation services. The proposed rates are subject to BPU approval and may be higher or lower depending on the Board's final determination and the date on which such rates are made effective by the Board. A comparison of the Company's current versus proposed rates, all of which are inclusive of taxes, is as follows:

	Current Rates per Therm	Proposed Rates per Therm
CEP	\$0.0270	\$0.0312
OSMC	<u>(\$0.0045)</u>	(\$0.0026)
Total	\$0.0225	\$0.0286

If approved, the combined effect of the Company's Petition on the monthly bill of a residential heating customer using 100 therms on a monthly basis as compared to rates in effect as of July 1, 2024 is illustrated below:

Consumption in	Present Monthly Bill	Proposed	<u>Proposed</u>	
<u>Therms</u>	<u>July 1, 2024</u>	Monthly Bill	Monthly Increase	Percent Change
100	\$138.93	\$139.54	\$0.61	0.4%

The Board has the statutory authority to establish Elizabethtown's rates at levels it finds just and reasonable as well as to establish the effective date of such rates. Therefore, the BPU may establish the rates at levels and/or an effective date other than those proposed by Elizabethtown.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that virtual public hearings will be held on following date and times so that members of the public may present their views on the Petition:

VIRTUAL PUBLIC HEARING

DATE: TBD

HEARING TIMES: 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Microsoft Teams Meeting

ID: TBD

PASSCODE: TBD

(Access the Microsoft Teams App or Microsoft Teams on the web. On the left side of the screen, click the "Teams" icon. Select "Join or 'create a team". Press "Join" and enter the Meeting ID and Passcode when prompted.)

or

Dial In: 866-984-3163

Conference ID: TBD followed by the # sign

A copy of this Notice is being served upon the clerk, executive or administrator of each municipality and county within the Company's service territory. A copy of the Petition can be viewed on the Company's website at: www.elizabethtowngas.com under regulatory information. The Petition is also available to review online on the Board's website at https://publicaccess.bpu.state.nj.us, where you can search by the above-captioned docket number. The Petition and Board file may also be reviewed at the Board located at 44 South Clinton Avenue, 1st Floor, Trenton, NJ, with an appointment. To make an appointment, please call (609) 913-6298.

Representatives from the Company, Board Staff and the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel will participate in the virtual public hearings. Members of the public may use the Microsoft Teams meeting link or the dial-in number and conference ID to express their views on this matter. All comments will be part of the final record of the proceeding and will be considered by the Board. To encourage full participation in this opportunity for public comment, please submit any requests for needed accommodations, such as interpreters or listening assistance, 48 hours prior to the above hearings to the Board Secretary at board.secretary@bpu.nj.gov.

The Board is also accepting written and electronic comments. Comments may be submitted directly to the specific docket listed above using the "Post Comments" button on the Board's Public Document Search tool. Comments are considered public documents for purposes of the State's Open Public Records Act. Only public documents should be submitted using the "Post Comments" button on the Board's Public Document Search tool. Any confidential information should be submitted in accordance with the procedures set forth in N.J.A.C. 14:1-12.3. In addition to hard copy submissions, confidential information may also be filed electronically via the Board's e-filing system or by email to the Secretary of the Board. Please include "Confidential Information" in the subject line of any such e-filing Instructions for confidential are found Board's webpage on the https://www.nj.gov/bpu/agenda/efiling/.

Emailed and/or written comments may also be submitted to: Secretary of the Board 44 South Clinton Ave., 1st Floor PO Box 350

Trenton, NJ 08625-0350 Phone: 609-913-6241

Email: board.secretary@bpu.nj.gov

Elizabethtown Gas Company

VERIFICATION

I, Sheree L. Kelly, Esq., of full age, being duly sworn according to law, upon my oath, depose and say:

- 1. I am Regulatory Affairs Counsel Principal of SJI Utilities, Inc., the parent company to Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Company") and I am authorized to make this verification on behalf of the Company.
- 2. I have reviewed the within petition and the information contained therein is true according to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Sheree L. Kelly, Esq.

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Regulatory Affairs Counsel - Principal

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day

of July 2024

Carolyn A. Jacobs NOTARY PUBLIC State of New Jersey

My Commission Expires

October 28, 2028

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY TO (1) REVISE THE CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM COMPONENT OF ITS SOCIETAL BENEFITS CHARGE RATE AND (2) REVISE ITS ON-SYSTEM MARGIN SHARING CREDIT

BPU DOCKET NO.	
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DIRECT TESTIMONY

OF

THOMAS KAUFMANN

On Behalf Of Elizabethtown Gas Company

Exhibit P-1

July 31, 2024

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY DIRECT TESTIMONY OF THOMAS KAUFMANN

1 I. <u>INTRODUCTION</u>

2	Q.	PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.
3	A.	My name is Thomas Kaufmann. My business address is 520 Green Lane, Union, New
4		Jersey 07083.
5	Q.	BY WHOM ARE YOU EMPLOYED AND IN WHAT CAPACITY?
6	A.	I am employed by Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Elizabethtown" or "Company") as
7		Manager of Rates and Tariffs.
8	Q.	WHAT IS THE SCOPE OF YOUR DUTIES AT ELIZABETHTOWN?
9	A.	I am responsible for designing and developing rates and rate schedules for regulatory
10		filings with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("BPU" or "Board") and internal
11		management purposes. I also oversee daily rate department functions, including tariff
12		administration, competitive analyses and preparation of management reports.
13	Q.	PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND
14		BUSINESS EXPERIENCE.
15	A.	In June 1977, I graduated from Rutgers University, Newark, New Jersey with a
16		Bachelor of Arts degree in Business Administration, majoring in accounting and
17		economics. In July 1979, I graduated from Fairleigh Dickinson University, Madison,
18		New Jersey with a Master of Business Administration, majoring in finance.
19		My professional responsibilities have encompassed financial analysis,
20		accounting, planning, and pricing in manufacturing and energy services companies in
21		both regulated and unregulated industries. In 1977, I was employed by Allied

1		Chemical Corp. as a staff accountant. In 1980, I was employed by Celanese Corp. as
2		a financial analyst. In 1981, I was employed by Suburban Propane as a Strategic
3		Planning Analyst, promoted to Manager of Rates and Pricing in 1986 and to Director
4		of Acquisitions and Business Analysis in 1990. In 1993, I was employed by
5		Concurrent Computer as a Manager, Pricing Administration. In 1996, I joined NUI
6		Corporation ("NUI") as a Rate Analyst, was promoted to Manager of Regulatory
7		Support in August 1997 and Manager of Regulatory Affairs in February 1998, and
8		named Manager of Rates and Tariffs in July 1998. NUI was acquired by AGL
9		Resources Inc. ("AGL") in November 2004. AGL was acquired by Southern Company
10		in July 2016. SJI acquired Elizabethtown Gas on July 1, 2018.
11	Q.	WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR TESTIMONY IN THIS PROCEEDING?
12	A.	I will support Elizabethtown's proposed rate for the Clean Energy Program ("CEP")
13		component of the Societal Benefits Charge ("SBC") and its On-System Margin Sharing
14		Credit ("OSMC") rate for the twelve month period ending September 30, 2025 ("2025
15		Recovery Year").
16	Q.	WHAT EFFECTIVE DATE DOES THE COMPANY PROPOSE IN THIS
17		FILING?
18	A.	The Company is proposing that the final rates and associated changes proposed in this
19		filing take effect on October 1, 2024.
20	Q.	WHEN WERE THE COMPANY'S CEP AND OSMC RATES LAST REVISED?
21	A.	The current rates in effect for CEP and OSMC were revised effective February 15,
22		2024 by the Board's Order dated January 31, 2024 in BPU Docket No. GR23070476
23		("January 31 Order"). The January 31 Order resolved the Company's annual

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CEP/OSMC reconciliation filing and approved the Company's CEP rate of \$0.0270

1		per tl	herm and OSMC credit rate of \$0.0045 per therm, inclusive of taxes, on a final
2		basis	•
3	Q.	DOE	S YOUR TESTIMONY INCLUDE ANY ILLUSTRATIVE SCHEDULES?
4	A.	Yes.	My testimony includes schedules and proposed tariff sheets that were prepared
5		unde	r my direction and supervision. The schedules are as follows:
6		(1)	Tariff Schedule TK-1 consists of revised tariff sheets in redlined and clean form
7			which reflect the revised rates for the CEP component of the SBC rider and the
8			OSMC rider, as well as certain housekeeping items.
9		(2)	Forecast Schedule TK-1 provides the level of forecasted sales and services for
10			the 2025 Recovery Year, which was utilized in the calculation of the proposed
11			CEP and OSMC rates.
12		(3)	CEP Schedule TK-1 sets forth the calculation of the proposed CEP rate for the
13			2025 Recovery Year.
14		(4)	CEP Schedule TK-2 sets forth the calculation of carrying costs on the CEF
15			balance for the twelve months ended June 30, 2024.
16		(5)	CEP Schedule TK-3 sets forth actual and projected CEP Fiscal Agent Payments
17			for the twelve months ended June 30, 2024.
18		(6)	CEP Schedule TK-4 sets forth actual and projected CEP recoveries for the
19			twelve months ended June 30, 2024.
20		(7)	CEP Schedule TK-5 sets forth the projected total amounts that the Company
21			will either spend on the CEP or that will be paid to the fiscal agent during the
22			twelve month period ended June 30, 2024.
23		(8)	OSMC Schedule TK-1 presents a calculation of the proposed OSMC rate per
24			therm for the 2025 Recovery Year.

1		(9)	OSMC Schedule TK-2 presents the projected customer portion of the margin
2			sharing credits forecast to be generated during the twelve month period ended
3			June 30, 2025.
4		(10)	OSMC Schedule TK-3 sets forth the balance to be trued-up for the margin
5			sharing credits generated versus credits disbursed to customers for the twelve
6			month period ended June 30, 2024.
7		(12)	OSMC Schedule TK-4 presents the actual OSMC disbursements to sales
8			customers taking BGSS service and residential transportation customers for the
9			twelve month period ended June 30, 2024.
10	II.	REV	ENUE FORECAST
11	Q.	WHA	AT IS THE METHODOLOGY USED TO PROJECT FIRM SALES AND
12		SER	VICES FOR THE RECOVERY YEAR IN ORDER TO DERIVE THE
13		CON	MPANY'S PROPOSED CEP AND OSMC RATES?
14	A.	The 1	methodology used is the same as that used in the demand forecast which supports
15		Eliza	bethtown's Basic Gas Supply Service ("BGSS") rates. A summary of the forecast
16		of no	ormalized sales and services is set forth on Forecast Schedule TK-1.
17	Q.	WHA	AT PERIOD IS COVERED BY THE DEMAND FORECAST?
18	A.	The g	gas sales demand forecast as set forth on Forecast Schedule TK-1 is for the twelve
19		mont	th period ended September 2025, also referred to as the 2025 Recovery Year.
20	Q.	WEI	RE THE COMPANY'S FIRM AND NON-FIRM SALES AND
21		TRA	NSPORTATION REVENUE FORECASTS PREPARED USING THE
22		SAM	IE METHODOLOGY USED BY THE COMPANY IN PREPARING LAST
23		YEA	R'S REVENUE FORECASTS?

- 1 A. Yes. The Company continues to use regression equations based on actual historical
- sales demand data as well as any known customer changes to develop the forecast
- demand.
- 4 III. SOCIETAL BENEFITS CHARGE
- 5 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE SBC.
- 6 A. The SBC currently consists of the following components: (1) the CEP component, (2)
- 7 the Remediation Adjustment Clause ("RAC") component, (3) the Universal Service
- Fund ("USF") charge, and (4) the Lifeline charge. As discussed in the accompanying
- 9 Petition, Petitioner is not proposing changes to the RAC, USF and Lifeline rates in this
- filing. These rates have been or will be addressed in separate filings. My testimony is
- limited to addressing the CEP component of the SBC rate.
- 12 IV. <u>SBC CEP COMPONENT</u>
- 13 Q. DESCRIBE THE PURPOSE OF THE CEP.
- 14 A. The CEP was created as a result of the Electric Discount and Energy Competition Act
- of 1999 and the Board's Order dated March 9, 2001 in BPU Docket No. EX99050347,
- 16 et al., at which time it was known as the Comprehensive Resource Analysis ("CRA")
- 17 Program. The programs described below were developed after consultation between
- the BPU and the Department of Environmental Protection to promote both energy
- efficiency and Class 1 renewable energy programs for the State of New Jersey and its
- 20 energy consumers.
- 21 Q. WERE ALL APPROVED CEP FUNDS COLLECTED BY ELIZABETHTOWN
- 22 SPENT ON PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY ELIZABETHTOWN AND/OR
- 23 THE FISCAL AGENT?

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- Yes. Elizabethtown expends program funds in the following three ways: (i) expenses for the costs of administering CEP Energy Efficiency Programs, (ii) payments made to renewable or grid supply program vendors at the direction of BPU Staff, and (iii) payments made directly to the fiscal agent, which are equal to the difference between the Board-approved funding and the Company's administrative costs and payments to vendors.
- 7 Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN HOW THE CEP COMPONENT OF THE SBC WAS 8 CALCULATED.
- 9 A. The CEP component is calculated by determining the sum of (i) the total of the current 10 year's expenditures and fiscal agent payments, less recoveries, plus carrying costs as 11 shown on CEP Schedule TK-2, (ii) the prior year's over or under-recovery shown as 12 the opening balance on CEP Schedule TK-2, and (iii) the projected CEP costs for the twelve month period ended June 30, 2025, which are adjusted for costs in excess of the 13 14 CEP Budget as of June 30, 2024, if any. The net total represents the costs to be 15 recovered in the 2025 Recovery Year, as shown on CEP Schedule TK-1. This total is 16 then divided by the sales and transportation volumes projected for the 2025 Recovery 17 Year for the service classes shown on Forecast Schedule TK-1, with the resulting 18 quotient being adjusted for taxes to arrive at a CEP rate of \$0.0312 per therm.
- Q. WHAT ARE THE CEP PROGRAM COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE
 30, 2024 AS REFLECTED IN THE COMPANY'S FILING?
- 21 **A.** CEP Schedule TK-2 reflects actual Company Program Costs of \$2,227,453 and Fiscal Agent Payments of \$10,118,011 for the twelve months ended June 30, 2024.

1 Q.	WHAT	ARE	THE	RESULTS	OF	THE	PRIOR	YEAR	RECOVERY	AND
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2 **CURRENT YEAR ACTIVITIES?**

- 3 A. As of June 30, 2024, the Company's CEP component resulted in an under recovery of
- 4 \$1,682,476. As shown on CEP Schedule TK-1 line 6, this amount consists of the
- beginning balance at June 30, 2024, the current year Company Program Costs, Fiscal
- 6 Agent Payments, Recoveries and Carrying Costs for the twelve months ended June 30,
- 7 2024.

8 Q. WHAT LEVEL OF COSTS IS THE PROPOSED CEP RATE DESIGNED TO

9 **RECOVER?**

- 10 A. This year, the proposed CEP component is designed to recover \$15,751,896 as set forth 11 on CEP Schedule TK-1, line 8, resulting in a per therm rate of \$0.0312, inclusive of taxes. This amount is made up of the net CEP under-recovery balance as described 12 13 above and shown on CEP Schedule TK-1, line 6, and projected fiscal agent payments 14 to be remitted during the next twelve months of \$14,069,420 as shown on CEP 15 Schedule TK-1 line 7. The twelve months of fiscal agent payments are based on prior 16 period payable amounts plus next year's CEP funding responsibility for the months of 17 July through May, which are those anticipated to be remitted by June 30th. These 18 amounts are per the Board's Order dated June 27, 2024 in BPU Docket No. 19 QO24040223. As shown on CEP Schedule TK-5, the Company has been allocated \$14,313,179 of CEP funding responsibility for the twelve months ending June 30, 20 21 2025.
- 22 Q. ARE CARRYING COSTS INCLUDED IN THE CEP CALCULATION?
- 23 A. Yes. In accordance with the Board's Order dated March 30, 2001 in BPU Docket No.
- GX99030121 *et al.*, the Company applies carrying costs on its CEP balance. The

- 1 Company accrues carrying costs on the net monthly balance as shown on CEP Schedule
- 2 TK-2. Carrying costs are not compounded monthly.

3 Q. WHAT IS THE PROPOSED CEP RATE?

- 4 A. The proposed CEP rate is \$0.0312 per therm, inclusive of taxes, as presented on CEP
- 5 Schedule TK-1.

6 V. <u>OSMC RATE</u>

7 Q. PLEASE BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE OSMC AND THE CUSTOMERS TO

- 8 WHICH IT APPLIES.
- 9 A. The OSMC was originally approved by the Board's Order dated March 30, 2001 in
- BPU Docket No. GX99030121, et al., as the rate mechanism to be used to refund to
- firm sales customers taking BGSS service and residential transportation customers
- portions of the margins derived by the Company from the rendition of certain non-firm
- sales and transportation services.

14 Q. WHAT IS THE PROPOSED OSMC RATE?

- 15 A. The proposed OSMC credit rate is \$0.0026 per therm, inclusive of taxes, as presented
- on OSMC Schedule TK-1.
- 17 Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN HOW THE OSMC RATE WAS CALCULATED.
- 18 A. As shown on OSMC Schedule TK-1, the derivation of the OSMC credit rate is based
- on the projected level of margins from certain non-firm sales and transportation
- services for the twelve month period ended June 30, 2025 and the prior year's over or
- 21 under-recovery of margins generated, less margins credited to customers as more fully
- described below, divided by the applicable projected volumes.
- 23 Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN HOW MARGIN SHARING AMOUNTS REFLECTED ON
- 24 OSMC SCHEDULE TK-2 HAVE BEEN CALCULATED.

- 1 A. Margins from the distribution element of non-firm sales customers and certain
- transportation customers are shared 80% to customers and 20% to the Company. In
- addition, also included in the sharing formula are demand margins from certain
- 4 transportation customers.

5 VI. <u>CONCLUSION</u>

6 Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE CEP AND

- 7 **OSMC RATE COMPONENTS.**
- 8 A. A comparison of current rates as of July 1, 2024 and the rates proposed in this filing,
- 9 all of which are inclusive of taxes, are as follows:

	Current	Proposed
CEP	\$0.0270	\$0.0312
OSMC	(\$0.0045)	(\$0.0026)
Total	\$0.0225	\$0.0286

10 Q. WHAT IS THE IMPACT OF THE PROPOSED CHANGES IN THESE RATES

11 ON TYPICAL RESIDENTIAL HEATING CUSTOMERS?

- 12 A. The overall impact of the proposed adjustments to the CEP and OSMC rates as
- reflected in this filing would increase the monthly bill of a residential heating customer
- using 100 therms by \$0.61, from \$138.93 to \$139.54, or an increase of 0.4%, as
- 15 compared to the currently effective rates as of July 1, 2024.

16 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?

17 **A.** Yes, it does.

RIDER "C"

ON-SYSTEM MARGIN SHARING CREDIT ("OSMC")

Applicable to all Firm Service Classifications that pay the BGSS of Rider A and RDS customers that receive gas supply from a TPS in accordance with the Board's Order in Docket No. GO99030122.

The OSMC is subject to change to reflect the Company's actual recovery of such margins and shall be adjusted annually in its BGSS filing.

(\$0.00450.0026) per therm

The charges applicable under this Rider include provision for the New Jersey Sales and Use Tax, and when billed to customers exempt from this tax shall be reduced by the amount of such tax included therein.

Determination of the OSMC

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RIDER "D"

SOCIETAL BENEFITS CHARGE ("SBC")

Applicable to all tariff Service Classifications except those Customers under special contracts that explicitly do not permit the Company to apply increased charges as filed and approved by the BPU and those customers exempted pursuant to the Long-Term Capacity Agreement Pilot Program ("LCAPP"), P.L. 2011, c.9, codified as N.J.S.A. 48:3-60.1. See the LCAPP Exemption Procedures at the end of this Rider.

The SBC is designed to recover the components listed below and any other new programs which the Board determines should be recovered through the Societal Benefits Charge.

	SBC Rate Components:		<u>Per Therm</u>
I.	Clean Energy Program ("CEP")		\$ 0.0270 0.0312
II.	Remediation Adjustment Charge ("RAC")		\$0.0225
III.	Universal Service Fund and Lifeline:		
	1. Universal Service Fund ("USF")		\$0.0115
	2. Lifeline		\$0.0062
		TOTAL	\$ <u>0.0672</u> 0.0714

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ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY FORECASTED SALES VOLUME - THERMS RECOVERY YEAR - 2025

	SBC (CEP) *	OSMC
Residential	258,560,408	258,560,408
Commercial	89,311,169	89,311,169
Industrial	12,259,712	12,259,712
Interruptible	-	
Total Sales _	360,131,289	360,131,289
Residential	2,898,654	2,898,654
Commercial	62,650,415	
Industrial	54,666,045	
Interruptible	57,872,585	
Total Transportation	178,087,699	2,898,654
Total Sales and Transportation	538,218,988	363,029,943

^{*} Excludes LCAPP therms used for wholesale electric generation.

CALCULATION OF THE CEP COMPONENT OF THE SBC stober 1, 2024 through September 30, 2025 RECOVERY YEAR - 2025

October 1, 2024

1	Prior Year Balance, (over) / under (S	sch. TK-2)		\$1,235,429	
2	Current Year Company Program Cos	sts (Sch. TK-2, col c)		\$2,227,453	
3	Current Year and Carry Over Fiscal	Agent Payments (Sch.TK-2, col d&e)		\$10,118,011	
4	Current Year Recoveries (Sch.TK-4)			(\$11,843,993)	
5	Current Year Carrying Costs (Sch. T	ΓK-2)		(\$54,424)	_
6	Current Year Ending Balance - Under	er Collection (Sum L1-L5)		\$1,682,476	
7	Projected Fiscal Agent Payments: Prior Period Payable (Sch. TK-3, col Next Year's Scheduled Payments Ju	,	\$311,689 <u>\$13,757,731</u>	\$14,069,420	_
8	Total Proposed Recoveries (L6+L7)			\$15,751,896	
9	Projected Normalized Sales and Ser	vices (Forecast Sch. TK-1)		538,218,988	therms
	CEP COMPONENT, before taxes (La Sales & Use Tax @ 6	8/L9) 3.625%		\$0.0293 \$0.0019	
	CEP COMPONENT (L10+L11)		_	\$0.0312	/therm

Carrying Costs 12 Months Ended June-24

			Current						
		Program	Fiscal Agent						Ending Balance
	Beginning	Costs *	Payments *	Recoveries	Ending	Average	Interest	Carrying	plus Cumulative
	<u>Balance</u>	<u>TK-3</u>	<u>TK-3</u>	<u>TK-4</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	Rate **	<u>Costs</u>	<u>Interest</u>
<u>a</u>	<u>b</u>	<u>c</u>	<u>d</u>	<u>e</u>	f=b+c+d-e	g=(b+f)2	<u>h</u>	<u>i=g*h/12</u>	<u>j=f+ cum of i</u>
<u>Beginning</u>	<u>Balance</u>								(Over) / Under
Jul-23	\$1,235,429	\$121,780	\$300,829	\$434,180	\$1,223,858	\$1,229,644	4.05%	\$4,150	\$1,228,008
Aug-23	\$1,223,858	\$16,962	\$130,612	\$426,173	\$945,259	\$1,084,559	4.05%	\$3,660	\$953,069
Sep-23	\$945,259	\$122,887	\$379,991	\$439,243	\$1,008,894	\$977,077	5.45%	\$4,438	\$1,021,142
Oct-23	\$1,008,894	\$181,820	\$445,623	\$554,185	\$1,082,152	\$1,045,523	5.45%	\$4,748	\$1,099,148
Nov-23	\$1,082,152	\$377,302	\$203,458	\$902,903	\$760,009	\$921,081	5.45%	\$4,183	\$781,188
Dec-23	\$760,009	\$154,849	\$203,458	\$1,417,649	(\$299,333)	\$230,338	5.45%	\$1,046	(\$277,108)
Jan-24	(\$299,333)	\$103,106	\$127,941	\$1,816,124	(\$1,884,410)	(\$1,091,872)	5.45%	(\$4,959)	(\$1,867,144)
Feb-24	(\$1,884,410)	\$188,711	\$0	\$1,856,344	(\$3,552,043)	(\$2,718,227)	5.45%	(\$12,345)	(\$3,547,122)
Mar-24	(\$3,552,043)	\$151,742	\$707,295	\$1,497,308	(\$4,190,314)	(\$3,871,179)	5.45%	(\$17,582)	(\$4,202,975)
Apr-24	(\$4,190,314)	\$164,002	\$0	\$1,222,402	(\$5,248,714)	(\$4,719,514)	5.45%	(\$21,434)	(\$5,282,809)
May-24	(\$5,248,714)	\$34,211	\$3,251,394	\$756,939	(\$2,720,048)	(\$3,984,381)	5.45%	(\$18,096)	(\$2,772,239)
Jun-24	(\$2,720,048)	\$610,081	\$4,367,410	\$520,543	\$1,736,900	(\$491,574)	5.45%	(\$2,233)	\$1,682,476
Total pre	adjustment	\$2,227,453	\$10,118,011	\$11,843,993				(\$54,424)	-

Notes:

^{*} Per the "MOA" of May 5, 2004 the costs will be netted against the program budget to determine the fiscal agent payments, see CEP Schedule TK-3.

^{**} Interest rate based on two year constant maturity Treasuries closest to August 31 of each year plus 60 basis points per the Board's Order in Docket No. GR21121254. www.federalreserve.gov/releases/h15/

Fiscal Agent Payments

12 Months Ended June-24

	Company	less						
	Portion of	Program	Prior Year	Fiscal			Fiscal Agent	Monthly
	Statewide	Costs	Payable /	Agent			Payable /(Deferred)	Fiscal Agent
	CEP Funding	<u>Offsets</u>	(Deferred)	Payable (1)	Payment For	Amount Paid (1)	Per Month (2)	Payable /(Deferred)
<u>a</u>	<u>b</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>d</u>	<u>e =b-c+d</u>	<u>f</u>	<u>g</u>	<u>h=b-c+d-g</u>	<u>i= Cum of h</u>
<u>Prior Year F</u>	<u> Payable / (Deferr</u>	<u>ed)</u>						
Jul-23	\$478,134	\$121,780	\$95,461	\$451,815	May-23	\$300,829	\$150,986	\$150,986
Aug-23	\$462,585	\$16,962	\$0	\$445,623	Jun-23	\$130,612	\$315,011	\$465,997
Sep-23	\$472,493	\$122,887	\$0	\$349,606	Jul-23	\$379,991	(\$30,385)	\$435,612
Oct-23	\$527,897	\$181,820	\$0	\$346,077	Aug-23	\$445,623	(\$99,546)	\$336,066
Nov-23	\$923,280	\$377,302	\$0	\$545,978	Sep-23	\$203,458	\$342,520	\$678,586
Dec-23	\$1,579,400	\$154,849	\$0	\$1,424,551	Sep-23	\$203,458	\$1,221,093	\$1,899,679
Jan-24	\$1,929,949	\$103,106	\$0	\$1,826,843	Oct-23	\$127,941	\$1,698,902	\$3,598,581
Feb-24	\$1,973,777	\$188,711	\$0	\$1,785,066	n/a	\$0	\$1,785,066	\$5,383,647
Mar-24	\$1,637,428	\$151,742	\$0	\$1,485,686	Nov-23	\$707,295	\$778,391	\$6,162,038
Apr-24	\$1,260,660	\$164,002	\$0	\$1,096,658	n/a	\$0	\$1,096,658	\$7,258,696
May-24	\$771,882	\$34,211	\$0	\$737,671	Dec and Jan	\$3,251,394	(\$2,513,723)	\$4,744,973
Jun-24	\$544,207	\$610,081	\$0	(\$65,874)	Feb, Mar, Apr	\$4,367,410	(\$4,433,284)	\$311,689
Total	\$12,561,692	\$2,227,453	\$95,461	\$10,429,700		\$10,118,011	\$311,689	

Notes:

⁽¹⁾ Fiscal Agent Payable is based on Program Cost Offsets on a paid basis while the Amount Paid to the Fiscal Agent is based on paid and accrued program costs.

⁽²⁾ Fiscal Agent Payable net of current Program Costs and prior month deferred offset costs if in excess of the Company's portion of the Statewide Funding. The Fiscal Agent payments are generally made on a two month lag.

Cost Recoveries

12 Months Ended June-24

	<u>Therms</u>	Rate w/o tax *	Recovery
Jul-23	17,784,936	0.0244	\$434,180
Aug-23	17,455,551	0.0244	\$426,173
Sep-23	17,992,565	0.0244	\$439,243
Oct-23	22,704,948	0.0244	\$554,185
Nov-23	36,999,012	0.0244	\$902,903
Dec-23	58,098,553	0.0244	\$1,417,649
Jan-24	74,426,315	0.0244	\$1,816,124
Feb-24	75,561,912	0.0246	\$1,856,344
Mar-24	59,447,054	0.0252	\$1,497,308
Apr-24	48,318,216	0.0253	\$1,222,402
May-24	29,920,429	0.0253	\$756,939
Jun-24	20,583,058	0.0253	\$520,543
Total	479,292,549		\$11,843,993

^{*} Individual customer billings at the tariff rate yields the dollars recovered, inclusive of rate proration or cancel/rebills, if any. The rate presented is derived from dividing that amount by the therms, as such rounding differences to the tariff / billing rate may result.

BPU Directed Spending *

12 Months Ending June-25

Jul-24	\$554,580
Aug-24	\$557,076
Sep-24	\$542,590
Oct-24	\$570,639
Nov-24	\$1,043,459
Dec-24	\$1,778,270
Jan-25	\$2,233,267
Feb-25	\$2,267,067
Mar-25	\$1,894,915
Apr-25	\$1,458,526
May-25	\$857,342
Jun-25	\$555,448
Total	\$14,313,179
Total July - May to TK-1 **	\$13,757,731

^{*} Approved in the 6/27/2024 Board Order in Docket No. QO24040223

^{**} Assumes one month payment lag

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY CALCULATION OF THE ON-SYSTEM MARGIN SHARING CREDIT (OSMC)

October 2024 through September 2025 Disbursement Year 2025

1	Projected OSMC Margin Contributions for Disbursement (Sch. TK-2)	\$620,228
2	Prior Year Balance, (Over) / Under Disbursement (Sch. TK-3)	\$667,435
3	Current Year Balance, (Over) / Under Disbursement (Sch. TK-3)	(\$400,323)
4	Total OSMC Customer Credits / (Charge) (L1+L2+L3)	\$887,340
5	Projected Therm Volumes (Forecast Sch. TK-1) - RDS and GLS 261,459,062 - SGS, GDS and NGV 89,311,169 - LVD and EGF 12,259,712	363,029,943
6 7	OSMC Rate, before taxes (L4/L5) Sales & Use Tax @ 6.625%	\$0.0024 \$0.0002
8	OSM Credit / (Charge) per therm, (L6+L7)	\$0.0026

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY

Projected Customer Portion of On-System Margin Sharing

July-2024 through June-2025 Disbursement Year 2025

Projected Margin Contribution

Jul-24	\$169,291
Aug-24	\$51,560
Sep-24	\$60,630
Oct-24	\$57,989
Nov-24	\$42,795
Dec-24	\$33,488
Jan-25	\$40,872
Feb-25	\$38,423
Mar-25	\$32,760
Apr-25	\$26,802
May-25	\$30,626
Jun-25	\$34,992
Total	\$620,228

Based on prior year actuals, column a, OSMC Schedule TK-3

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Margin Sharing Generated and Disbursements to Customers July 2023 Through June 2024

Cumulative Margin Net Margin Disbursements Monthly (Over) / Under Credited Sharing Sharing for to Customers (Over) / Under Generated Disbursement Sch. TK-4 Adjustments Credited Balance а b c=a+b d e=c-d f=prior cum bal.+ e **Prior Period** \$667,435 Jul-23 \$169,291 \$0 \$169,291 \$147,492 \$814,927 \$21,799 Aug-23 \$51,560 \$0 \$51,560 \$19,294 \$32,266 \$847,193 Sep-23 \$0 \$60,630 \$60,630 \$20,063 \$40,567 \$887,760 Oct-23 \$57,989 \$0 \$57,989 \$28,404 \$29,585 \$917,345 Nov-23 \$42,795 \$0 \$42,795 \$64,810 (\$22,015)\$895,330 Dec-23 \$33,488 \$0 \$33,488 \$118,122 (\$84,634)\$810,696 \$0 Jan-24 \$40,872 \$40,872 \$156,110 (\$115,238)\$695,458 Feb-24 \$38,423 \$0 \$38,423 \$170,874 (\$132,451)\$563,007 Mar-24 \$0 \$167,756 \$32,760 \$32,760 (\$134,996)\$428,011 Apr-24 \$0 \$26,802 \$26,802 \$140,541 (\$113,739)\$314,272 May-24 \$30,626 \$0 \$30,626 \$73,318 (\$42,692)\$271,580 Jun-24 \$34,992 \$0 \$34,992 \$39,460 (\$4,468)\$267,112 \$620,228 \$0 \$620,228 \$1,020,551 (\$400,323)

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY ON-SYSTEM MARGIN SHARING CREDITS July 2023 Through June 2024

ACTUAL CREDITS DISBURSED

				Transportation Customers			
	OSM	Sales Customers		RDS	RDS	Total	
	Rate pre tax *	<u>Therms</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Therms</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Credits</u>	
<u>a</u>	<u>b=g/(c+e)</u>	<u>c</u>	<u>d</u>	<u>e</u>	<u>f=b*e</u>	g=d+f	
Jul-23	\$0.0029	7,521,479	\$21,587	73,428	\$212	\$21,799	
Aug-23	\$0.0029	6,676,674	\$14,658	66,255	\$190	\$19,294	
Sep-23	\$0.0029	6,935,015	\$19,881	63,400	\$182	\$20,063	
Oct-23	\$0.0029	9,759,343	\$28,127	95,923	\$277	\$28,404	
Nov-23	\$0.0029	22,177,940	\$50,743	203,766	\$590	\$64,810	
Dec-23	\$0.0029	40,379,100	\$117,021	380,195	\$1,101	\$118,122	
Jan-24	\$0.0029	53,358,203	\$154,641	506,473	\$1,469	\$156,110	
Feb-24	\$0.0030	55,643,444	\$169,374	495,768	\$1,500	\$170,874	
Mar-24	\$0.0040	41,691,309	\$166,258	370,276	\$1,498	\$167,756	
Apr-24	\$0.0042	33,203,733	\$139,304	294,328	\$1,237	\$140,541	
May-24	\$0.0042	17,369,056	\$72,712	144,307	\$606	\$73,318	
Jun-24	\$0.0041	9,449,997	\$39,137	76,920	\$323	\$39,460	
		304,165,293	\$993,443	2,771,039	\$9,185	\$1,020,551	

^{*} Individual customer billing credits at the tariff rate yields the dollars recovered, inclusive of rate proration or cancel/rebills, if any. The rate presented is derived from dividing that amount by the therms, as such rounding differences to the tariff / billing rate may result.