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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF SEMSTREAM ARIZONA PROPANE, L.L.C., FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF JUST AND REASONABLE RATES AND CHARGES DESIGNED TO REALIZE A REASONABLE RATE OF RETURN ON THE FAIR VALUE OF ITS PAYSON DIVISION ASSETS.

DOCKET NO. G-20471A-11-0150

PROCEDURAL ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

On April 4, 2011, SemStream Arizona Propane, L.L.C. ("SemStream") filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") an application for an increase in rates for service provided in its Payson Division.

On May 12, 2011, a Procedural Order was issued scheduling a hearing for January 4, 2012, requiring notice to be published and mailed, and setting other procedural dates and guidelines.

On October 11, 2011, the Commission's Utilities Division ("Staff") filed a Motion for an Extension of Time. In its Motion, Staff stated that due to its workload and developments that have arisen in this matter, Staff needs additional time to file direct testimony. The current procedural schedule is as follows:

Staff/Intervenor Direct Testimony	October 31, 2011
Rebuttal Testimony	November 30, 2011
Staff/Intervenor Surrebuttal Testimony	December 14, 2011
Rejoinder Testimony	December 21, 2011
Prehearing Conference	January 3, 2012
Hearing	January 4, 2012

Staff is proposing the following modified schedule:

Staff/Intervenor Direct Testimony	January 16, 2012
Rebuttal Testimony	February 13, 2012
Staff/Intervenor Surrebuttal Testimony	February 27, 2012

Rejoinder Testimony

March 5, 2012

1 Staff indicated that it was not proposing alternative dates for the prehearing conference and
 2 hearing, but would defer to the Administrative Law Judge's discretion for rescheduling those dates.
 3 Staff stated that SemStream has no objection to the proposed modified schedule.
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5 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the **evidentiary hearing in this proceeding**, currently
 6 scheduled to commence on January 4, 2012, **is hereby rescheduled to commence on April 2, 2012,**
 7 **at 10:00 a.m.**, at the Commission's offices, 1200 West Washington Street, **Hearing Room No. 1,**
 8 Phoenix, Arizona 85007. Additional hearing days shall be conducted on April 3 and 4, 2012, as
 9 necessary.

10 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that **the hearing scheduled and noticed for January 4, 2012,**
 11 **at 10:00 a.m., shall commence as scheduled for the sole purpose of receiving public comment.**

12 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that **the pre-hearing conference in this matter shall be**
 13 **rescheduled for March 30, 2012, at 9:00 a.m.**, for the purpose of scheduling witnesses and the
 14 conduct of the hearing. **The current pre-hearing conference date, January 3, 2012, is hereby**
 15 **vacated.**

16 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that **the dates established by the May 12, 2012 Procedural**
 17 **Order for filing testimony are hereby vacated, and the following procedural schedule shall be**
 18 **observed by the parties:**

Staff/Intervenor Direct Testimony	January 16, 2012
Rebuttal Testimony	February 13, 2012
Staff/Intervenor Surrebuttal Testimony	February 27, 2012
Rejoinder Testimony	March 5, 2012

20 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all parties must comply with Rules 31 and 38 of the Rules
 21 of the Arizona Supreme Court and A.R.S. § 40-243 with respect to the practice of law and admission
 22 *pro hac vice*.
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24 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that withdrawal of representation must be made in compliance
 25 with A.A.C. R14-3-104(E) and Rule 1.16 of the Rules of Professional Conduct (under Rule 42 of the
 26 Rules of the Arizona Supreme Court). Representation before the Commission includes appearances
 27 at all hearings and procedural conferences, as well as all Open Meetings for which the matter is
 28 scheduled for discussion, unless counsel has previously been granted permission to withdraw by the

1 Administrative Law Judge or the Commission.

2 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Ex Parte Rule (A.A.C. R14-3-113 - Unauthorized
3 Communications) applies to this proceeding and shall remain in effect until the Commission's
4 Decision in this matter is final and non-appealable.

5 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the time periods specified herein shall not be extended
6 pursuant to Rule 6(a) or (e) of the Rules of Civil Procedure.

7 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Administrative Law Judge may rescind, alter, amend,
8 or waive any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by ruling at
9 hearing.

10 DATED this 14th day of October, 2011.

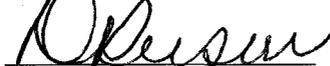
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