

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
VECTREN ENERGY DELIVERY OF OHIO,
INC. FOR APPROVAL OF AN INCREASE IN
GAS RATES.

CASE NO. 18-298-GA-AIR

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
VECTREN ENERGY DELIVERY OF OHIO,
INC. FOR APPROVAL OF AN ALTERNATIVE
RATE PLAN.

CASE NO. 18-299-GA-ALT

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
VECTREN ENERGY DELIVERY OF OHIO,
INC. FOR APPROVAL OF AN ALTERNATIVE
RATE PLAN.

CASE NO. 18-49-GA-ALT

ENTRY

Entered in the Journal on November 5, 2018

{¶ 1} Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. (VEDO or the Company) is a natural gas company and a public utility as defined by R.C. 4905.03 and R.C. 4905.02, respectively. As such, VEDO is subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission pursuant to R.C. 4905.04, 4905.05, and 4905.06.

{¶ 2} On January 3, 2018, VEDO filed a notice of intent to file an application for approval of an alternative rate plan under R.C. 4929.05. *In the Matter of the Application of Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. for Approval of an Alternative Rate Plan*, Case No. 18-49-GA-ALT (CEP Rider Case). On February 21, 2018, the Company filed two additional notices of intent: one to file an application for an increase in rates and charges under R.C. 4909.18 and a second notice of intent to file a separate application for approval of an alternative rate plan under R.C. 4929.05. *In the Matter of Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. for Approval of an Increase in Gas Rates*, Case No. 18-298-GA-AIR; *In the Matter of Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. for Approval of an Alternative Rate Plan*, Case No. 18-299-GA-ALT (together, *Rate Case Proceedings*).

{¶ 3} On March 30, 2018, VEDO filed its combined application to increase rates and charges and for approval of an alternative rate plan pursuant to R.C. 4909.18 and R.C. 4929.05 in the *Rate Case Proceedings*. And, on April 13, 2018, VEDO filed its application for approval of an alternative rate plan in the *CEP Rider Case*. By Entry issued May 24, 2018, the attorney examiner granted a motion to consolidate all three of VEDO's cases into one proceeding.

{¶ 4} Staff conducted an investigation of the facts, exhibits, and matters relating to VEDO's applications. On October 1, 2018, Staff filed a comprehensive written report of its investigation (Staff Report) in the docket for Case No. 18-298-GA-AIR. Staff filed the Staff Report in the remaining two case dockets on October 2, 2018.

{¶ 5} By Entry dated October 3, 2018, the attorney examiner issued a procedural schedule. The Entry directed that pre-filed testimony should be filed in accordance with Ohio Adm.Code 4901-1-29 and that a prehearing conference be held on November 14, 2018.

{¶ 6} Subsequently, on October 26, 2018, the attorney examiner issued an Entry granting, as agreed to by VEDO, OCC, and Staff, an extension of the time in which to submit pre-filed testimony and a continuance of the prehearing conference. Pursuant to the Entry, all parties except Staff were instructed to file pre-filed testimony by November 7, 2018, and the prehearing conference was scheduled for 10:00 a.m., on November 15, 2018.

{¶ 7} At this time, due to a scheduling conflict communicated amongst all parties, the attorney examiner reschedules the prehearing conference for November 15, 2018, at 1:00 p.m., Hearing Room 11-D, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793.

{¶ 8} It is, therefore,

{¶ 9} ORDERED, That the prehearing conference be rescheduled for November 15, 2018, at 1:00 p.m., as stated in Paragraph 7. It is, further,

{¶ 10} ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties of record.

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/s/*Patricia A. Schabo*

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Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry rescheduling prehearing conference electronically filed by Heather A Chilcote on behalf of Patricia Schabo, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission