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Chairman Herbert H. Hilliard
c/o Ectory Lawless
Tennessee Public Utility Commission
502 Deaderick Street, Fourth Floor
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

Re: Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.
Petition for Approval of Service Schedule No. 319 to its Tennessee Service
Regulations Docket No.: 22-00130

Dear Chairman Hillard,

This letter constitutes Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.'s ("Piedmont") response to the Tennessee Consumer Advocate Division of the Tennessee Attorney General's Office's ("Consumer Advocate") March 6, 2023, letter filing in the above-referenced docket concerning Piedmont's request for approval of its GreenEdgeSM Program ("Program") and an accounting order regarding the same ("Petition"). Piedmont appreciates not only that the Consumer Advocate's analysis of the Petition has led it to the conclusion that the Program will not harm non-participating customers, but also its willingness to waive the filing of its expert pre-filed testimony, opening and closing statements, and cross examination of Piedmont's witnesses. Consistent with this approach, Piedmont hereby agrees to waive its right to file rebuttal testimony in this proceeding. In addition, and in consideration of the Consumer Advocate's request for continued cooperation regarding the implementation of the Program if approved, Piedmont voluntarily commits to file by March 31, 2024, and continuing annually thereafter, the following requested information pertaining to the Program's operation during the prior calendar year:

- (1) the number of customers; by class, contacted to enroll in the Program;
- (2) materials used to solicit the Program;
- (3) the number of customers, by class, opting into the Program; and
- (4) a listing of the third party or third parties used to procure the environmental attributes, including the number of attributes purchased by procurer, listing of accreditations for each procurer, proof of certification, and whether the

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environmental attributes purchased comply with the requirements of a labelling scheme.

Piedmont appreciates the Tennessee Public Utility Commission's ("TPUC") consideration of its Petition, and respectfully requests that the TPUC grant the procedural next steps advocated by both Piedmont and the Consumer Advocate, as well as the requested relief contained in Piedmont's Petition overall.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, you may reach me at the number shown above.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Paul Davidson".

Paul Davidson
Partner

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