

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

**June 2, 2025**

<b>IN RE:</b>	)	
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<b>CHATTANOOGA GAS COMPANY PETITION</b>	)	<b>DOCKET NO.</b>
<b>FOR APPROVAL OF ITS 2024 ANNUAL RATE</b>	)	<b>25-00028</b>
<b>REVIEW FILING PURSUANT TO TENN. CODE</b>	)	
<b>ANN. § 65-5-103(d)(6) (WITH VERIFICATION OF</b>	)	
<b>PAUL LEATH AS EXHIBIT A)</b>	)	

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**ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

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This matter is before the Administrative Judge of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission (“Commission” or “TPUC”) to establish a procedural schedule for the orderly administration of these proceedings. Along with its Petition filed on April 21, 2025, Chattanooga Gas Company (“CGC”) filed a proposed procedural schedule that was agreed to by the Consumer Advocate Division of the Office of the Tennessee Attorney General (“Consumer Advocate”), an Intervenor in this docket. The goal and design of any procedural schedule is to efficiently move the proceedings forward to a hearing and final conclusion on the merits. The procedural schedule should also allow adequate time for Commission Staff to analyze the docket filings, make recommendations to the voting panel of Commissioners, and submit the recommendations to the panel for their timely review and analysis. A procedural schedule’s effectiveness directly depends on cooperation by the parties in meeting the individual benchmark dates. Based on the agreements made by CGC and the Consumer Advocate regarding the procedural schedule, the Administrative Judge hereby establishes the Procedural Schedule set forth in **Exhibit A** attached to this Order.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED.**

  
Monica Smith-Ashford, Administrative Judge

## **PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

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<b>Due Date</b>	<b>Filing/Activity</b>
CGC ARRM Petition, Testimony, and Exhibits filed at TPUC and served on Consumer Advocate	Monday, April 21, 2025
Informal Discovery Meeting, All Parties and Staff invited (attendance optional)	April 29-30, 2025*
Consumer Advocate serves First Discovery Requests on CGC	Monday, May 5, 2025
CGC responds to Consumer Advocate First Discovery Requests	Monday, May 19, 2025
Informal Discovery Meeting with Consumer Advocate and Staff (attendance optional)	Thursday, May 22, 2025*
Consumer Advocate serves Second Discovery Requests on CGC	Tuesday, May 27, 2025
CGC responds to Consumer Advocate Second Discovery Requests	Tuesday, June 3, 2025
Informal Discovery Meeting (attendance optional)	Monday, June 9, 2025*
Consumer Advocate Pre-filed Testimony	Monday, June 16, 2025
Potential Settlement Meeting of the Parties (attendance optional)	Friday, June 20, 2025*
CGC discovery to Consumer Advocate on their testimony	Monday, June 23, 2025
Consumer Advocate responds to CGC discovery	Monday, July 7, 2025
CGC Pre-filed Rebuttal Testimony (or testimony in support of the settlement if one is reached)	Tuesday, July 15, 2025
Pre-hearing Motions	Tuesday, July 22, 2025*
<b>Settlement Agreement to be filed</b>	<b>Friday, July 25, 2025</b>
Pre-hearing Telephone Conference	Thursday, July 31, 2025* (Time TBD)
<b>Hearing</b>	<b>Monday, August 18, 2025</b>

➤ All filings shall be filed in the TPUC docket room by 2:00 p.m. (central) on the date due.

- Nothing herein restricts the parties from participating in additional informal discovery.
- Copies of all discovery exchanged between the parties shall be filed with TPUC within 3 business days of the exchange of information. All spreadsheets shall be filed in Excel format with working formulas intact.
- Any Pre-filed Testimony should include all supporting worksheets in Excel format with working formulas intact.
- Rebuttal Testimony should be limited only to issues raised in the Consumer Advocate's Direct Testimony and should include the page and line number of the Consumer Advocate's testimony that is being rebutted.