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March 26, 2012

Southwest Gas Corporation P O Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193

RE:

Docket No.: 12-03001

Southwest Gas Corporation filed Notice under Advice Letter No. 475 to adjust Northern and Southern Nevada Base Tariff Energy Rates and Deferred Energy Account Adjustment Rates effective April 1, 2012.

To Whom It May Concern:

With reference to the above-captioned docket, enclosed are copies of the tariff pages which were accepted for filing by the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada effective April 1, 2012.

Sincerely,

Mary Klangson
Mary L. Thompson

Administrative Assistant III

Enclosure(s)

cc:

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STATEMENT OF RATES

<u>EFFECTIVE RATES APPLICABLE TO SOUTHERN NEVADA SCHEDULES</u>

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	·		Gas	Cost	
Schedule Number	Type of Charge	Delivery Charge 3/	Base Tariff Energy Rate 4/	Deferred Energy Account Adjustment	Currently Effective Tariff Rate
SG-RS	Single-Family Residential Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$ 9.00 \$.31651	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ 9.00 \$.76370
SG-RM	Multi-Family Residential Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$ 9.00 \$.23432	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ 9.00 \$.68151
SG-G(S)	Small General Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$ 21.50 \$.36719	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ 21.50 \$.81438
SG-G(M)	Medium General Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$ 25.00 \$.14039	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ 25.00 \$.58758
SG-G(L)	Large General Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$ 150.00 \$.18730	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ 150.00 \$.63449
SG-G(TE)	Transportation Eligible Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 950.00			\$ 950.00
SG-AC	All Usage Demand Charge ^{5/} Air-Conditioning Gas Service	\$.03746 \$.035240	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.48465 \$.035240.
 	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$ 21.50 \$.12146	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ 21.50 \$.56865
SG-WP	Water Pumping Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 50.00			\$ 50.00
	All Usage	\$.03567	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.48286

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					Gas C	ost			
Schedule Number	SG-EG Small Electric Generation Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage Gas Service for Compression	Base Tariff Delivery Charge 3/ Energy Rate			Deferred Energy Account Adjustment		Currently Effective Tariff Rate		
SG-EG	Small Electric Generation Gas Service				. 1				
	Commodity Charge per Therm:	- \$ \$.07357	•	52077	(fr	00050\	\$	21.50
	•	Þ	.07357	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.52076
SG-CNG		_							
		\$	21.50					\$	21.50
	All Usage	\$.09112	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.53831
SG-L	Street and Outdoor Lighting Gas Service								
	Commodity Charge per Therm:	•							
	All Usage	\$.32310	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.77029
SG-OS	Optional Gas Service	As s	pecified on Shee	t Nos. 4	8 through 51.				
SG-AS	Alternative Sales Service	As s	pecified on Shee	t Nos. 5	2 through 53.				

- 1/ The charges shown above are subject to adjustments for taxes and assessments.
- Customers taking transportation service will pay the Basic Service Charge, the Delivery Charge per therm, and Demand Charge, if applicable, of the Currently Effective Tariff Rate for each meter included in the transportation service agreement, plus an amount for distribution system shrinkage for all volumes of gas not delivered through a direct connection to one of the Company's upstream interstate pipelines. The high pressure shrinkage rate is \$.(00011) per therm, and the low pressure shrinkage rate is \$(.00279) per therm. In addition, the customer will also pay a Transportation Service Charge of \$500.00 per month per individually qualifying premise. For purposes of calculating Payment for Excess Imbalances, the Imbalance Commodity Charge is \$.47725 per therm and the Imbalance Reservation Charge is \$.09275 per therm. For customers converting from sales service, an additional amount equal to the currently effective Deferred Energy Accounting Adjustment will be assessed for a period of twelve (12) months.
- 3/ Includes the following:

Component/Schedule	SG-RS	SG-RM	SG-G(S)	SG-G(M)	SG-G(L)
Margin	.31590	.24811	.35336	.14823	.18864
Accumulated Deferred Interest Rate Adjustment	(.00229)	(.00229)	(.00229)	(.00229)	(.00229)
General Revenues Adjustment	.00290	(.01150)	.01612	(.00555)	.00095
Total	.31651	.23432	36719	.14039	.18730

Component/Schedule	SG-G(TE)	SG-AC	SG-WP	SG-EG	SG-CNG	SG-L
Margin	.03975	.12375	.03796	.07586	.09341	.32539
Accumulated Deferred Interest Rate Adjustment	(.00229)	(.00229)	(.00229)	(.00229)	(.00229)	(.00229)
General Revenues Adjustment	.00000	.00000	.00000	.00000	.00000	.00000
Total	.03746	.12146	.03567	.07357	.09112	.32310

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	:			Gas	Cost				
Schedule Number	Type of Charge	Delivery Charge 3/		Base Tariff ergy Rate <u>4</u> /		erred Energy Account djustment		Currently Effective Tariff Rate	
NG-RS	Single-Family Residential Gas Service								
•	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$ 9.00 \$.32717	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$	9.00	
NG-RM	Multi-Family Residential Gas Service	φ52717	Ψ	.7 1430	(4)	.09625)	\$.94350	ŀ
TO TAN	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 9.00					\$.	9.00	
	All Usage	\$.27845	\$.	.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.89478	
NG-G(S)	Small General Gas Service								
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 24.00					\$	24.00	
	All Usage	\$.35362	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.	.96995	F
NG-G(M)	Medium General Gas Service								
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 30.00					\$	30.00	
•	All Usage	\$.11463	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.73096	F
NG-G(L)	Large General Gas Service								-
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 150.00						50.00	
	All Usage	\$.14598	\$.	.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.76231	F
NG-G(TE)	Transportation Eligible Gas Service								
	Basic Service Charge per Month	\$ 950.00					\$ 9	50.00	
	Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$.04103	•	74.450	· / ch	00005)	•	05700	_
	Demand Charge <u>5</u> /	,	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.65736	F
NO 40	-	\$.028720					\$.028720	
NG-AC	Air-Conditioning Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month	\$ 24.00					•	04.00	
	Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 24.00					\$	24.00	İ
	All Usage	\$.07481	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.69114	
NG-WP	Water Pumping Gas Service	ψσσ.	Ψ	.71400	(Ψ	.00020)	Ψ	.03114	'
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 30.00					\$	30.00	
	All Usage	\$.15670	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.77303	F
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					Gas	Cost			
Schedule Number	Type of Charge	Delivery Charge 3/		_	Base Tariff Energy Rate <u>4</u> /		Deferred Energy Account Adjustment		Currently Effective Tariff Rate
NG-EG	Small Electric Generation Gas Service								
	Basic Service Charge per Month	\$	24.00					\$	24.00
	Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$.21879	\$.	.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.83512
NG-CNG	Gas Service for Compression on Customer's Premises 6/								
	Basic Service Charge per Month	\$	33.00					\$	33.00
	Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$.09772	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.71405
NG-L	Street and Outdoor Lighting Gas Service								
	Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$.60041	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.	1.21674
NG-OS	Optional Gas Service	As	specified on Shee	et Nos.	48 through 5	1.			
NG-AS	Alternative Sales Service	As s	specified on Shee	et Nos.	52 through 53	3.			

^{1/} The charges shown above are subject to adjustments for taxes and assessments.

3/ Includes the following:

Component/Schedule .	NG-RS	NG-RM	NG-G(S)	NG-G(M)	NG-G(L)
Margin.	.34917	.30263	.42050	.13778	.16096
General Revenues Adjustment	(.02200)	(.02418)	(.06688)	(.02315)	(.01498)
Total	.32717	.27845	.35362	.11463	.14598

Component/Schedule	NG-G(TE)	NG-AC	NG-WP	NG-EG	NG-CNG	NG-L
Margin	.04103	.07481	.15670	.21879	.09772	.60041
General Revenues Adjustment	. 00000	.00000	.00000	.00000	.00000	.00000
Total	.04103	.07481	.15670	.21879	.09772	.60041

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Donald L. Soderberg, Vice President/Pricing

March 1, 2012

Ms. Donna Skau, Secretary Public Utilities Commission of Nevada Capitol Plaza 1150 East William Street Carson City, NV 89701-3109

Dear Ms. Skau:

Southwest Gas Corporation herewith submits for filing Advice Letter No. 475. The workpapers and documentation to support the calculations contained in this filing have been provided under separate cover to Regulatory Operations Staff and the Bureau of Consumer Protection.

Communications regarding this Advice Letter should be directed to:

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Respectfully submitted,

Donald L. Soderberg

DLS:pr Attachments

c: Eric Witkoski, BCP Michael Saunders, BCP Andie Arthurholtz, PUCN Anne-Marie Cuneo, PUCN



SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

Advice Letter No. 475

March 1, 2012

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA

Southwest Gas Corporation (Southwest) tenders herewith for filing the following tariff sheets applicable to its Nevada Gas Tariff No. 7:

Supersedes P.U.C.N Sheet No.
11th Revised Sheet No. 10
12th Revised Sheet No. 11
10th Revised Sheet No. 12
11th Revised Sheet No. 13

The purpose of this filing is to adjust rates to reflect the change in the quarterly Gas Cost Rate, effective April 1, 2012. The quarterly Gas Cost Rate includes two components, the Base Tariff Energy Rate (BTER) and the Deferred Energy Account Adjustment (DEAA) rate.

In Southern Nevada, the BTER rate will decrease by \$0.02789 per therm, and the DEAA rate will increase by \$0.025 per therm, the maximum allowed by NRS 704.110(8). As such, the overall change in the Southern Nevada Gas Cost Rate will be a decrease of \$0.00289 per therm. This results in a decrease in annual revenues of \$1,139,332.

In Northern Nevada, the BTER will decrease by \$0.02903 per therm, and the DEAA rate will increase by \$0.025 per therm. As such, the overall change in the Northern Nevada Gas Cost Rate will be a decrease of \$0.00403 per therm. This results in a decrease in annual revenues of \$386,833.

Customers are being notified of the rate changes by means of a bill insert included with each bill beginning approximately March 2, 2012. Copies of the bill inserts are attached.

This filing is made in accordance with the Nevada Administrative Code, NAC Chapter 703, of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Respectfully submitted.

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

Donald L. Soderberg

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STATEMENT OF RATES <u>EFFECTIVE RATES APPLICABLE TO SOUTHERN NEVADA SCHEDULES</u> <u>1/2/</u>

					Gas	Cost			
Schedule Number	Type of Charge	Delive	ry Charge <u>3</u> /		ase Tariff ergy Rate <u>4</u> /	1	rred Energy Account djustment		Currently Effective Tariff Rate
SG-RS	Single-Family Residential Gas Service	-							
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	·	.31651	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ \$	9.00
SG-RM	Multi-Family Residential Gas Service	Ψ	.01001	Ψ	.00077	(Ψ	.00200)	Ψ	.70070
,	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$9 \$.00	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ \$	9.00 .68151
SG-G(S)	Small General Gas Service	•	.20402	Ψ	.55511	(Ψ	.03230)	Ψ	.00131
30 0(0)	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	·	.50 .36719	ф.	50077	(0	00050)		21.50
G-G(M)	All Usage Medium General Gas Service	\$.307 19	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.81438
G-G(IVI)	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	·	.00					\$	25.00
	All Usage	\$.14039	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.58758
SG-G(L)	Large General Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 150	.00					\$ 1	150.00
	All Usage	\$.18730	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.63449
G-G(TE)	Transportation Eligible Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 950	.00					\$ 9	950.00
	All Usage	\$.03746	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.48465
	Demand Charge <u>5</u> /	\$.035240					\$.035240
G-AC	Air-Conditioning Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 21	.50					\$	21.50
	All Usage	\$	12146	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.56865
G-WP	Water Pumping Gas Service								
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$ 50. \$.03567	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ \$.48286
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Schedule Number	Type of Charge	De	livery Charge <u>3</u> /		Base Tariff ergy Rate ^{4/}		erred Energy Account djustment		Currently Effective Fariff Rate
SG-EG	Small Electric Generation Gas Service								
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	- \$ \$.07357	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$ \$	21.50
SG-CNG	Gas Service for Compression on Customer's Premises 6/	•	.07007	*	.00017	(Ψ	.00200)	Ψ	.02070
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	- \$	21.50					\$	21.50
	All Usage	\$.09112	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.53831
SG-L	Street and Outdoor Lighting Gas Service								
	Commodity Charge per Therm:	_							
	All Usage	\$.32310	\$.53977	(\$.09258)	\$.77029
sg-os	Optional Gas Service	Ass	specified on Shee	t Nos. 4	8 through 51.				
SG-AS	Alternative Sales Service	- As:	specified on Shee	t Nos. 5	2 through 53.				

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Margin	.03975	.12375	.03796	.07586	.09341	.32539
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General Revenues Adjustment	.00000	.00000	.00000	.00000	.00000	.00000
Total	.03746	.12146	.03567	.07357	.09112	.32310

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NG-RM	Multi-Family Residential Gas Service								.
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$ 9.00 \$.27845	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$ \$	9.00	
NG-G(S)	Small General Gas Service	.27010	Ψ	., , , , , ,	(Ψ	.00020)	Ψ	.00470	1
	Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 24.00					\$	24.00	
NO 0/40	All Usage	\$.35362	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.	.96995	-
NG-G(M)	Medium General Gas Service Basic Service Charge per Month Commodity Charge per Therm:	\$ 30.00					\$	30.00	
	All Usage	\$.11463	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.73096	
NG-G(L)	Large General Gas Service								
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	Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$.21879	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.83512	
NG-CNG	Gas Service for Compression on Customer's Premises <u>6</u> /								
	Basic Service Charge per Month	\$	33.00					\$ 33.00	
	Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$.09772	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$.71405	
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	Commodity Charge per Therm: All Usage	\$.60041	\$.71458	(\$.09825)	\$ 1.21674	
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Quarterly Gas Cost Rate Adjustment—Southern Nevada Division

On March 1, 2012, Southwest Gas Corporation filed a Quarterly Gas Cost Rate Adjustment with the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada. On April 1, 2012, rates for Southern Nevada customers will decrease by \$0.00289 per therm. The result of this filing is a decrease in annual revenues of \$1,139,332 or 0.3%.

The transactions and recorded cost of natural gas which are the basis for the quarterly rate adjustment will be reviewed for reasonableness and prudence in the next annual

Monthly bills that reflect usage both prior to and after the effective date of the rate adjustment will be billed the old rates for the usage prior to the effective date and the new rates for the usage after the effective date. rate adjustment proceeding.

The table on the back of this notice shows the change in an average monthly bill for each rate schedule. The change to individual customer bills will vary depending on the amount of gas consumed.

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SOUTHERN NEVADA DIVISION RATE SCHEDULE	EDNCE	Avg. Monthly Change (\$) Percentage Change	Percentage Change
Single-Family Residential Gas Service	SG-RS	- 0.12	- 0.3%
Multi-Family Apartment Residential Gas Service	SG-RM	- 0.07	- 0.3%
General Gas Service			
Small	(5) 9-95	70.0 -	- 0.2%
Medium	5G-G (M)	- 0.62	- 0.4%
Large	(1) 9-95	- 4.97	- 0.4%
Transportation Eligible	5G-G (TE)	-167.23	- 0.3%
Air Conditioning Gas Service	SG-AC	- 1.71	- 0.5%
Water Pumping Gas Service	SG-WP	- 42.54	- 0.6%
Gas Service for Compression on Customer Premises	5NO-5S	- 9.36	- 0.5%
Street and Outdoor Lighting Gas Service	7-95	- 0.18	- 0.4%

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Quarterly Gas Cost Rate Adjustment—Northern Nevada Division

On March 1, 2012, Southwest Gas Corporation filed a Quarterly Gas Cost Rate Adjustment with the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada. On April 1, 2012, rates for Northern Nevada customers will decrease by \$0.00403 per therm. The result of this filing is a decrease in annual revenues of \$386,833 or 0.4%.

The transactions and recorded cost of natural gas which are the basis for the quarterly rate adjustment will be reviewed for reasonableness and prudence in the next annual rate adjustment proceeding. Monthly bills that reflect usage both prior to and after the effective date of the rate adjustment will be billed the old rates for the usage prior to the effective date and the new rates for the usage after the effective date.

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NORTHERN NEVADA DIVISION RATE SCHEDULE	HEDULE	Avg. Monthly Change (5)	Percentage Change
Single-Family Residential Gas Service	NG-RS	- 0.27	- 0.4%
Multi-Family Residential Gas Service	NG-RM	- 0.16	- 0.4%
General Gas Service			
Small	NG-G (S)	- 0.12	- 0.2%
Medium	NG-6 (M)	- 0.77 -	- 0.5%
Large	NG-6 (L)	- 7.33	- 0.5%
Transportation Eligible	NG-6 (TE)	-116.07	- 0.3%
Air Conditioning Gas Service	NG-AC	- 1.51	- 0.5%
Water Pumping Gas Service	NG-WP	- 0.49	- 0.4%
Small Electric Generation Gas Service	NG-EG	- 1.65	- 0.5%
Street and Outdoor Lighting Gas Service	NG-L	- 0.10	- 0.3%

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