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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA PM C2507019

(ECP) Jameon Walton,

Complainant,

vs.

(ECP)

Case 25-07-019

Southewest Gas Corporation (U905G),

Defendant,

E-MAIL RULING POSTPONING NOVEMBER 14, 2025 EXPEDITED COMPLAINT HEARING AND ORDERING JOINT STATUS REPORT

Dated November 10, 2025, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ JEFFREY K. LEE

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Administrative Law Judge

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TO ALL PARTIES ON THE SERVICE LIST:

In the above-referenced expedited complaint proceeding (ECP), Complainant Jameon Walton filed an expedited complaint on July 28, 2025. The California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) issued instructions to answer on October 1, 2025 to Defendant Southwest Gas Corporation (Southwest Gas). Those instructions set a deadline of October 21, 2025 for Southwest Gas to file its answer.

To date, no answer contesting any aspect of the complaint has been filed with the Commission by Southwest Gas. As a result, no issues raised in the Complaint have been contested or disputed by Southwest Gas, making an evidentiary hearing unnecessary.

Accordingly, this Email ruling postpones the Expedited Complaint Hearing scheduled for November 14, 2025, at 10:30 a.m. That Expedited Complaint Hearing shall be taken off-calendar.

On or by *November* 17, 2025, Southwest Gas shall (1) meet and confer with Complainant Walton and (2) prepare, file, and serve a joint proceeding status report, including whether the parties have settled or are in the process of settling all or some issues raised in the Complaint.

Moreover, if Southwest Gas contests any issues in the complaint, it shall file an answer and accompanying motion to accept the late-filed answer on or by *November 17*, 2025 that justifies its default regarding the October 21, 2025 answer deadline.

Should the parties settle all issues in this proceeding, then Southwest Gas shall (1) meet and confer with Complainant Walton and (2) prepare, file, and serve a joint Motion to Dismiss the Complaint, including in the motion whether the dismissal is requested with or without prejudice.

The Expedited Complaint Hearing in this proceeding may be reset if justified by Southwest Gas. As necessary, a notice will be issued with the new time, date, and instructions for hearing participation. Prior to any evidentiary hearing, the Parties' will be directed by the Administrative Law Judge to meet and confer and prepare, exchange, and serve by email their witness and exhibit lists, marked exhibits, and other prehearing information. Southwest Gas will be instructed to provide in a joint prehearing statement whether Complainant received one or more bill adjustments from Defendant, the amount remaining in controversy, if any, and identification all issues to be addressed by the Administrative Law Judge at the hearing.

The Docket Office shall formally file this Email Ruling.

IT IS SO RULED.

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