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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

January 21, 2016

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION *
OF BALTIMORE GAS AND ELECTRIC *
COMPANY FOR ADJUSTMENTS IN ITS *
ELECTRIC AND GAS BASE RATES *
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Case No. 9406

NOTICE OF EVENING HEARINGS FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

To: The Parties of Record and Interested Persons

On December 8, 2015, the Maryland Public Service Commission (“Commission”) issued Order No. 87287 in the above-captioned proceeding in which, among other things, directed Baltimore Gas and Electric Company (“BGE”) to work with the Commission’s Executive Secretary to establish the dates and locations for the evening public hearings to be conducted in this proceeding.

Therefore, evening hearings for the purpose of receiving public comment in connection with Baltimore Gas and Electric Company’s application for an increase in its electric and gas base rates and other rate adjustments are hereby scheduled as follows:

<u>Time/Date</u>	-	<u>Location</u>
Thursday, March 3, 2016 Beginning at 7:00 p.m.	-	Joint Committee Hearing Room Legislative Services Building 90 State Circle Annapolis, Maryland 21401
Monday, March 7, 2016 Beginning at 7:00 p.m.	-	Towson University Marriott Conference Hotel 10 Burke Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

<u>Time/Date</u>		<u>Location</u>
Wednesday, March 9, 2016 Beginning at 7:00 p.m.	-	Banneker Room George Howard Building 3430 Court House Drive Ellicott City, Maryland 21043
Wednesday, March 16, 2016 Beginning at 7:00 p.m.	-	Town Hall, Rotunda Town of Bel Air 39 Hickory Avenue Bel Air, Maryland 21014
Thursday, March 17, 2016 Beginning at 6:00 p.m.	-	16 th Floor Hearing Room Public Service Commission William Donald Schaefer Tower 6 St. Paul Street Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Written public comments on these matters may also be filed by Friday, April 15, 2016. The comments shall be addressed to David J. Collins, Executive Secretary, Maryland Public Service Commission, William Donald Schaefer Tower, 6 St. Paul Street, 16th Floor, Baltimore, Maryland 21202, and should reference "Case No. 9406."

BGE is hereby directed to publish, at least twice prior to each of the hearing dates, notice of the public hearing and the opportunity for public comment by a display advertisement in newspapers of general circulation in each county or municipality within the BGE service territory. In the display advertisement, BGE is directed to publish the case caption and case number in addition to the date, time, place and purpose of the hearings. Proof of publication shall be filed with the Commission on or before the date of the hearings. Additionally, BGE shall place on its home page a notice of the hearings, including the purpose of the hearings, in a manner that a customer need not click on a link to determine the date, time, location and purpose of the hearings.

Furthermore, BGE is directed to issue either a bill message or bill insert to its Maryland customers in their respective billing cycle that runs closest and prior to the hearing dates, announcing the date, time, place, and purpose of the hearing. Finally, BGE is directed to utilize e-mail, social media, or other means of communication at its disposal to further notify its customers of the hearings, as appropriate.

By Direction of the Commission,

/s/ David J. Collins

David J. Collins
Executive Secretary