

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. G-39, SUB 47

In the Matter of:)	
)	
Cardinal Pipeline Company, LLC's Application)	PETITION TO INTERVENE OF
For General Rate Increase)	PIEDMONT NATURAL GAS
)	COMPANY, INC.
)	

Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("Piedmont"), through counsel and pursuant to Rule R1-19 of the Rules and Regulations of the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission"), respectfully requests the Commission to enter an order permitting Piedmont to intervene and participate in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of its Petition to Intervene, Piedmont shows the Commission the following:

1. Any notices or other communications with respect to this Petition should be sent to:

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2. Piedmont is a subsidiary of Duke Energy Corporation and is engaged in the business of transporting, distributing and selling natural gas in the states of North Carolina, South Carolina and

Tennessee. Piedmont is a public utility under the laws of this State, and its public utility operations in North Carolina are subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.

3. On February 11, 2022, Cardinal Pipeline Company, LLC (“Cardinal”) filed its Notice of Intent to File a General Rate Case Application in this docket.

4. On March 15, 2022, Cardinal filed its application for an Adjustment in its Rates and Charges.

5. Piedmont is a customer of Cardinal and will be directly affected by the outcome of this proceeding. Therefore, Piedmont has a valid and substantial interest in this proceeding. This interest cannot be adequately represented by other parties to this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing, Piedmont respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order allowing it to intervene and fully participate in the above captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted, this the 29th day of March, 2022.

Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF MECKLENBURG


VERIFICATION

Jeff Patton, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Manager of Gas Origination of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc., that as such, he has read the foregoing documents and knows the contents thereof; and he believes that the facts set forth therein are true and correct.



Jeff Patton

Mecklenburg County, North Carolina
Signed and sworn to before me this day by Jeff Patton

Date: March 29, 2022 

Notary Public

(Official Seal)

My commission expires: March 1, 2025

JANET P CURETON
NOTARY PUBLIC
Mecklenburg County
State of North Carolina

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the attached is being served this date upon all of the parties to this docket electronically or by depositing a copy of the same in the United States Mail, First Class Postage Prepaid, at the addresses contained in the official service list in this proceeding.

This the 29th day of March, 2022.

/s/ Richard K. Goley
Richard K. Goley