

March 12, 2021

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Kimberley A. Campbell, Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
Dobbs Building
430 North Salisbury Street
Raleigh, North Carolina 27603-5918

Re: Docket No. G-9, Sub 764

Dear Ms. Campbell:

On May 1, 2020, Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("Piedmont") submitted for Commission approval a Receipt Interconnect Agreement ("Agreement") between Piedmont and Align RNG North Carolina, LLC ("Align"). The Agreement was approved by the Commission's Order Approving Agreement with Conditions issued in this docket on June 4, 2020.

Enclosed please find the First Amendment to the Agreement ("First Amendment"). The First Amendment adds a data sharing section to the RIA that facilitates the provision of real-time feedback on the gas quality of the producer's Alternative Gas stream delivered to Piedmont. This real-time feedback to the producer at the interconnection facilities with Piedmont will facilitate a control signal notification to the producer regarding any non-compliance of the producer's gas stream.

Inasmuch as the First Amendment does not impact the fundamental terms and conditions of the underlying Agreement, Piedmont is providing this First Amendment for informational purposes.

The enclosed First Amendment contains information that is confidential in nature and, therefore, Piedmont hereby designates it as such and as the proprietary trade secret of Piedmont pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 132-1.2. Piedmont requests that the Commission treat the First Amendment consistent with this designation.

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Thank you for your assistance with this matter. If you have any questions about this filing, you may reach me at the number shown above.

Sincerely,

/s/ James H. Jeffries
James H. Jeffries

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Enclosure

cc: Elizabeth Culpepper
Mary Lynne Grigg
Bruce Barkley
David Nestor

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 12th day of March, 2021.

/s/ Richard K. Goley
Richard K. Goley