

**THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF KANSAS**

**BLACK HILLS/KANSAS GAS UTILITY COMPANY, LLC** Schedule GSRS Rider, Fifth Revised  
**d/b/a BLACK HILLS ENERGY**  
(Name of Issuing Utility)

**KANSAS SERVICE AREA**  
(Territory to which schedule is applicable)

Replacing: Index No. 17B, GSRS Rider, 4<sup>th</sup> Revised, Sheet 1 of 1  
which was filed 3/1/2013

No supplement or separate understanding  
shall modify the tariff as shown hereon.

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**GAS SYSTEM RELIABILITY SURCHARGE RIDER**

**APPLICABILITY**

This rider is applicable to every bill for service provided under each of the Company's sales and transportation rate schedules except where not permitted under a separately negotiated contract with a customer. Not applicable to bills for Irrigation Sales Service, Irrigation Transportation Service, or Wholesale Gas Service.

**RATE**

The Gas System Reliability Surcharge (GSRS) shall be applied to each monthly bill. The surcharge shall be as follows:

- RS-1: \$1.93 per meter per month
- SC-1, SCTS-A: \$4.18 per meter per month
- SVF, SVI, and SVTS-A: \$15.89 per meter per month
- LVF, LVI, LVTS-A, OLVTs-A, and LVTS: \$25.58 per meter per month

**DEFINITIONS AND CONDITIONS**

1. The GSRS is intended to recover charges for natural gas public utility plant projects pursuant to K.S.A. 66-2001 through 66-2204.
2. The monthly GSRS charge shall be allocated among customers in the same manner as approved in Docket No. 07-AQLG-431-RTS.
3. The GSRS shall be charged to customers as a monthly fixed charge and not based on volumetric consumption. Such monthly charge shall not increase more than \$0.40 per residential customer over the base rates in effect for the initial filing of a GSRS. Thereafter, each filing shall not increase the monthly charge for more than \$0.40 per residential customer over the most recent filing of a GSRS.
4. At the end of each twelve-month calendar period the GSRS is in effect, the utility shall reconcile the differences between the revenues resulting from a GSRS and the appropriate pretax revenues as found by the Commission for that period and shall submit the reconciliation and a proposed GSRS adjustment to the Commission for approval to recover or refund the difference through adjustments of the GSRS charge.
5. All provisions of this rider are subject to changes made by order of the Commission.

Issued \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

Effective November 1, 2014  
Month Day Year

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Steven M. Jurek, Vice President Regulatory Services