

**RÉPONSE DE GAZIFÈRE INC. À L'ENGAGEMENT N° 3 DE LA FCEI RELATIVE À LA FERMETURE RÉGLEMENTAIRE DES LIVRES POUR LA PÉRIODE DU 1<sup>ER</sup> JANVIER 2014 AU 31 DÉCEMBRE 2014, À LA FIXATION DU TAUX DE RENDEMENT SUR L'AVOIR DE L'ACTIONNAIRE POUR LES ANNÉES TÉMOINS 2016 ET 2017, À L'APPROBATION DU PLAN D'APPROVISIONNEMENT ET À LA MODIFICATION DES TARIFS DE GAZIFÈRE INC. À COMPTER DU 1<sup>ER</sup> JANVIER 2016**

1. Clarifier la répartition des sales stations prévue à l'item 4.2 de la pièce GI-44 Document 1.11 (demandé par FCEI).

**Réponse 1 :**

**Sales stations are not installed for residential customers. Rate 2: Residential Service is applicable to residential customers only.**

**With that clarification, the Company has produced for illustration only an updated Sales Stations allocation factor and allocation percentage and contrasted them with the factors and percentages as filed in the 2016 final rate order:**

**Sales Stations Allocation Factor: Item 4.2, Exhibit GI-44, Document 1.11, Page 1 (D-2016-014):**

Allocation Factor:

	TOTAL	TARIF 1	TARIF 2	TARIF 3	TARIF 4	TARIF 5	TARIF 9
2016 Response to Undertaking U-3	586	530	0	0	0	3	53
2016 Final Rate Order	586	90	440	0	0	3	53

**Sales Stations Allocation Percentages: Item 4.2, Exhibit GI-44, Document 1.11, Page 2 (D-2016-014):**

Allocation Percentage:

	TOTAL	TARIF 1	TARIF 2	TARIF 3	TARIF 4	TARIF 5	TARIF 9
2016 Response to Undertaking U-3	1.0000	0.9046	-	-	-	0.0051	0.0903
2016 Final Rate Order	1.0000	0.1540	0.7506	-	-	0.0051	0.0903

**Also provided below for illustration only is the impact on the allocation of the total 2016 revenue requirement by rate class should the updated Sales Stations allocator be used. This would shift about \$55 thousand in revenue requirement between Rates 1 and 2 as shown in the table below (next page).**

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>TARIF</u> <u>1</u>	<u>TARIF</u> <u>2</u>	<u>TARIF</u> <u>3</u>	<u>TARIF</u> <u>4</u>	<u>TARIF</u> <u>5</u>	<u>TARIF</u> <u>9</u>
2016 Response to Undertaking U-4	25,478.0	5,237.2	19,687.3	15.0	0.0	263.5	275.2
2016 Final Rate Order	25,478.0	5,181.6	19,742.8	15.0	0.0	263.5	275.2
Variance \$	0.00	55.54	(55.54)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00