

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
1325 G STREET, N.W., SUITE 800  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20005**

**NOTICE OF TECHNICAL CONFERENCE**

**November 14, 2024**

**FORMAL CASE NO. 1178, IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR  
INVESTIGATION INTO WASHINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY’S SYSTEM LEAK  
REDUCTION PRACTICES**

1. The Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia (“Commission”) hereby gives notice that the Commission will hold an in-person technical conference in *Formal Case No. 1178* on Monday, December 9, 2024, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm, in the Commission Hearing Room. The agenda is included in Attachment A.

2. By Order No. 22004, the Commission directed Washington Gas Light Company (“WGL”) to prepare materials to present at a technical conference on the topic “Best Methods for Leak Detection”, including responses to stakeholders’ filed comments.<sup>1</sup> The technical conference shall address “the most effective methods, both in terms of technology and procedures, for detecting natural gas leaks in urban environments,” including “both current practices and innovative approaches that may enhance accuracy and efficiency in leak detection.”<sup>2</sup> This third technical conference will continue previous discussion on advanced leak detection and add the subject of lost and accounted for gas. All presentations for the technical conference must be filed with the Commission by Monday, November 25, 2024, as outlined in Attachment A.

3. Interested parties who plan to attend the presentation must notify the Commission in advance, no later than December 5, 2024, by contacting Angela Parsons at [aparsons@psc.dc.gov](mailto:aparsons@psc.dc.gov). The technical conference will be convened at the Commission Hearing Room at 1325 G Street, N.W., Suite 800, Washington, D.C. 20005. For additional information or concerns please contact Ms. Brinda Westbrook-Sedgwick, Commission Secretary, Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia, 1325 G Street, NW, Suite 800, Washington, DC 20005, or by email at [psc-commissionsecretary@dc.gov](mailto:psc-commissionsecretary@dc.gov).

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COMMISSION SECRETARY**

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<sup>1</sup> *Formal Case No. 1178, In the Matter of the Petition for Investigation into Washington Gas Light Company’s System Leak Reduction Practices*, Order No. 22004, rel. June 12, 2024 (“Order No. 22004”).

<sup>2</sup> Order No. 22004, ¶ 18.

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**TECHNICAL CONFERENCE III: BEST METHODS FOR LEAK DETECTION**

Monday, December 9, 2024

11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Commission Hearing Room

**AGENDA**

- I. INTRODUCTIONS
- II. OPC PRESENTATION: ALD Practices in Urban Jurisdictions – 30 minutes
- III. DOEE PRESENTATION: Best Practices Lost and Accounted For (“LAUF”) Gas – 30 minutes
- IV. WGL PRESENTATION: Company LAUF protocols - 45 minutes
- V. CLOSING STATEMENTS AND ACTION ITEMS
- VI. ADJOURNMENT