Section 5: Customer Rates

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Q. (Section 5, page 5-4) Footnote 6 states "For example, the sales forecast includes elasticity effects of 16 GWh in 2025 and 48 GWh in 2026 as a result of the proposed July 1, 2025 average rate increase of 5.5%." What elasticity effects on sales in 2025 and 2026 would be associated with the rate increase in 2024 and 2025 if all anticipated rate increases, including wholesale rate increases, are implemented?

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A. See the response to Request for Information PUB-NP-102.¹

The total July 1, 2025 rate increase incorporated in the Company's sales forecast is 7.75% which is based on a 5.5% customer rate increase associated with the Application and a 2.25% customer rate increase associated with wholesale price changes.