COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN ADJUSTMENT OF THE PIPE)
REPLACEMENT PROGRAM RIDER OF) CASE NO. 2012-00136
DELTA NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC.)

ORDER

On February 29, 2012, Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("Delta") filed revisions to its Pipe Replacement Program rates to be effective April 23, 2012.

The Commission finds that, pursuant to KRS 278.190, further proceedings are necessary in order to determine the reasonableness of the proposed revisions. Pursuant to KRS 278.190(2), the Commission will therefore suspend the effective date of the proposed tariffs for up to five months, although it intends to expedite its review to whatever extent possible.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. This proceeding is established to permit the Commission to consider the reasonableness of the proposed revisions.
- 2. Delta's proposed tariffs are suspended for a period of five months from April 23, 2012 up to and including September 22, 2012.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Executive Director

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