

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT      )    CASE NO.  
FILING OF MARTIN GAS, INC.       )    2014-00417

ORDER

On September 30, 1991, in Case No. 1990-00402, the Commission approved certain adjusted rates for Martin Gas, Inc. ("Martin").<sup>1</sup> In November 2004, Martin proposed and the Commission approved changes to its tariff that included, among other items, changes to its Gas Cost Adjustment ("GCA") clause. Those changes updated the methodology of calculating the components of the Gas Cost Recovery Rate ("GCR")

On December 1, 2014, Martin filed its GCR application with rates to be effective January 1, 2015.

After reviewing the record in this case and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that:

1. Martin's notice includes revised rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected change in wholesale gas costs.
2. Martin's notice sets out an Expected Gas Cost ("EGC") of \$5.2176 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.1080 per Mcf from its prior EGC of \$5.3256 per Mcf.
3. Martin's notice sets out no Refund Adjustment ("RA") for the current quarter and no total RA, which is no change from the prior total RA.

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<sup>1</sup> Case No. 1990-00402, In the Matter of Application of Martin Gas, Inc. for Authority to Adjust Rates and to Extend Current Surcharge (Ky. PSC Sept. 30, 1991).

4. Martin's notice sets out a current quarter Actual Adjustment ("AA") of (\$.0115) per Mcf. Martin's total AA is \$.0920 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.0108 per Mcf from the previous total AA of \$.0812 per Mcf.

5. Martin's notice sets out no Balance Adjustment.

6. Martin's notice sets out a GCR of \$5.3096 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.0972 per Mcf from its previous GCR of \$5.4068 per Mcf.

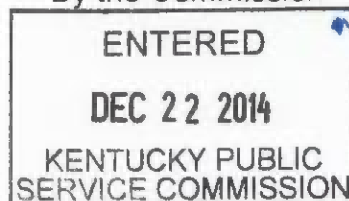
7. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable, and should be approved for service rendered by Martin on and after January 1, 2015.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates set forth in the Appendix to this Order are approved for service rendered on and after January 1, 2015.

2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Martin shall file with this Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, revised tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein and reflecting that they were approved pursuant to this Order.

By the Commission



ATTEST:

  
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Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2014-00417 DATED **DEC 22 2014**

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers served by Martin Gas, Inc. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

RETAIL RATES:

	<u>Base Rate</u>	<u>Gas Cost Recovery Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
First Mcf	\$4.3976	\$5.3096	\$9.7072
Over 1 Mcf	\$4.2808	\$5.3096	\$9.5904
Minimum Bill	\$9.7072		

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