COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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COLUMBIA GAS OF KENTUCKY,)	
INC.'S 2015 ACCELERATED MAIN)	CASE NO.
REPLACEMENT PROGRAM FILING	ĺ	2015-00342

ORDER

On October 15, 2015, Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. ("Columbia") filed with this Commission an application requesting to revise rates for its Accelerated Main Replacement Program ("AMRP") Rider effective December 31, 2015. Columbia provided responses to one request for information issued by Commission Staff and participated in an informal conference, which was held on December 4, 2015. Because the Commission had not completed its investigation of Columbia's proposed AMRP Rider application, on December 18, 2015, the Commission issued an Order suspending Columbia's AMRP tariff for one day, and allowing the AMRP rates to go into effect subject to refund. There are no intervenors in this proceeding. The case now stands submitted for decision.

Columbia's AMRP revenue requirement for 2016 is \$4,940,346. Columbia allocated its revenue requirement to its customer classes based on the Base Revenues approved by the Commission in Columbia's last general rate case, Case No. 2013-00167.¹

¹ Case No. 2013-00167, Application of Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. for an Adjustment of Rates for Gas Service (Ky. PSC Dec. 13, 2013).

Having reviewed the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that the information contained in Columbia's application, along with its responses to the November 13, 2015 request for information, is in sufficient detail to support the reasonableness of Columbia's AMRP Rider rates.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- The AMRP rates in the Appendix to this Order are approved for service rendered by Columbia on and after December 31, 2015.
- 2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Columbia 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.

ENTERED

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2015-00342 DATED FEB 1 0 2016

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Columbia Gas of Kentucky, 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.

Accelerated Main Replacement Program Factors

Per month:

Rate GSR, Rate SVGTS - Residential Service	\$ 2.25
Rate GSO, Rate GDS, Rate SVGTS - Commercial or Industrial Service	\$ 8.02
Rate IUS, Rate IUDS	\$ 76.96
Rate IS, Rate DS, ² Rate SAS	\$ 449.59

² Excluding customers subject to Flex Provisions of Rate Schedule DS.

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