

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT) CASE NO.
FILING OF NAVITAS KY NG, LLC) 2017-00479

ORDER

On February 16, 1995,¹ the Commission approved rates for Gasco Distribution Systems, Inc. (“Gasco”) and provided for their further adjustment on a quarterly basis in accordance with its Gas Cost Adjustment clause. On February 28, 2011, Navitas KY NG, LLC (“Navitas”) acquired the assets of Gasco, pursuant to the Commission's approval of the transfer, and adopted Gasco's tariffs.²

On December 27, 2017, Navitas filed its proposed Gas Cost Recovery (“GCR”) rate application, to be effective February 1, 2018.

After reviewing the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that:

1. Navitas’s notice includes revised rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected change in gas costs.

¹ Case No. 1994-00427, *In the Matter of the Application of Gasco Distribution Systems, Inc. for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Provide Local Gas Distribution Service to Albany, Ky. and for Transfer of the Albany Gas Utility Company* (Ky. PSC Feb. 16, 1995).

² Case No. 2010-00468, *Joint Application of Navitas Kentucky NG, LLC and Gasco Distribution Systems, Inc. for Approval of an Acquisition of Ownership and Control of Gas Utility Systems* (Ky. PSC Feb. 11, 2011).

2. Navitas's notice sets out an Expected Gas Cost ("EGC") of \$7.4535 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.3967 per Mcf from its previous EGC of \$7.0568 per Mcf.

3. Navitas's notice sets out no Refund Adjustment.

4. Navitas's notice sets out a current quarter Actual Cost Adjustment ("ACA") of \$.0744 per Mcf. Navitas's total ACA is \$.3881 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.0051 per Mcf from its previous total ACA of \$.3932 per Mcf.

5. Navitas's notice sets out a current quarter Balance Adjustment ("BA") of \$.0052 per Mcf. Navitas's total BA is (\$.0988) per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.0031 per Mcf from its previous total BA of (\$.1019) per Mcf.

6. Navitas's GCR rate is \$7.7428 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.3947 per Mcf from its previous GCR rate of \$7.3481 per Mcf.

7. The rate set forth in the Appendix to this Order is fair, just, and reasonable, and should be approved for service rendered by Navitas on and after February 1, 2018.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rate proposed by Navitas and set forth in the Appendix to this Order is approved for service rendered by Navitas on and after February 1, 2018.

2. Within 20 days of the date of entry of this Order, Navitas shall file with this Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, revised tariff sheets setting out the rate approved herein and reflecting that it was approved pursuant to this Order.

By the Commission

ENTERED
JAN 12 2018
KENTUCKY PUBLIC
SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

Steve R. Pinner
Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2017-00479 DATED **JAN 12 2018**

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Navitas KY NG, LLC. 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.

RATES per Mcf:

	<u>Base Rate</u>	<u>Gas Cost Recovery Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Residential	\$ 4.62	\$ 7.7428	\$ 12.3628
Commercial	\$ 3.62	\$ 7.7428	\$ 11.3628

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