

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT)	CASE NO.
FILING OF SENTRA CORPORATION)	2020-00078

ORDER

On March 11, 2020, Sentra Corporation (Sentra) filed its proposed Gas Cost Recovery (GCR) rate report to be effective May 1, 2020.

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

1. Sentra's report includes revised rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected change in gas costs.
2. Sentra's report sets out an Expected Gas Cost (EGC) of \$3.4563 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.2850 per Mcf from its previous EGC of \$3.7413 per Mcf.
3. Sentra's report sets out no supplier Refund Adjustment.
4. Sentra's report sets out a current quarter Actual Adjustment (AA) of (\$.5950) per Mcf. Sentra did not use the correct EGC of \$4.0445 per Mcf approved in Case No. 2019-00371¹ that was in effect for the months of November 2019, December 2019, and January 2020. Correcting this produces a current quarter AA of (\$.4570) per Mcf. Sentra's corrected total AA is (\$1.2058) per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.5344 per Mcf from its previous total AA of (\$.6714) per Mcf.

¹ Case No. 2019-00371, *Purchased Gas Adjustment Filing of Sentra Corporation* (Ky. PSC. Oct. 29, 2019).

5. Sentra's report sets out a quarter Balancing Adjustment (BA) of \$.0381 per Mcf. Sentra's total BA is \$.1135 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.0980 per Mcf from its previous total BA of \$.2115 per Mcf.

6. Sentra's corrected GCR rate is \$2.3640 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.9174 per Mcf from its previous GCR rate of \$3.2814 per Mcf.

7. The rate set forth in Appendix to this Order is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for service rendered by Sentra on and after May 1, 2020.

8. For the purpose of transparency and to maintain a record of information for future use the Commission finds that Sentra should continue to submit all invoices it receives, monthly usage reports, and provide the calculations used to justify the NYMEX rate per Dth and the Greystone Adder when it files its future GCR rate reports.

9. Should Sentra purchase sustainable natural gas from a renewable source during the reporting period of any future GCR reports, then the supplier, cost, and amount must be documented in its cover letter to the Commission.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rate proposed by Sentra is denied.

2. The rate set forth in the Appendix to this Order is approved for service rendered on and after May 1, 2020.

3. Sentra shall submit all information noted in finding paragraph 7 as part of all future GCR filings.

3. Within 20 days of the date of entry of this Order, Sentra 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.

4. This case is closed and removed from the Commission's docket.

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By the Commission



ATTEST:



Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2020-00078 DATED APR 15 2020

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

Gas Cost Recovery rate

The Gas Cost Recovery rate shall be \$2.3640 per Mcf for service rendered on and after May 1, 2020.

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