COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of

AN ADJUSTMENT OF RATES OF) CASE NO. PHELPS GAS COMPANY) 8562

O R D E R

On the 8th day of July, 1982, Phelps Gas Company filed its Notice with the Commission wherein it proposes to increase its rates for gas service rendered on and after the 29th day of July, 1982.

The Commission is of the opinion and finds that a hearing and investigation will be necessary in order to determine the reasonableness of the proposed rates and that such investigation cannot be completed prior to the proposed effective date.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED That the proposed rates, charges and classifications be and they hereby are suspended and the application of the rates is deferred for a period of 5 months on and after the 29th day of July, 1982.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering further Orders in this matter in the event the proceedings in this case shall be terminated by final Order and/or otherwise prior to the termination of the 5 month period of suspension.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of July, 1982.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

For the Commission

ATTEST:

Secretary