

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

NOTICE OF PURCHASED GAS            )  
ADJUSTMENT FILING OF MARTIN    ) CASE NO. 9550-B  
GAS, INC.                            )

O R D E R

On October 10, 1986, the Commission issued its Order in Case No. 9550 approving certain adjustments in rates and providing under certain conditions for the further adjustment of such rates when the wholesale cost of gas is increased or decreased or a refund is received.

On July 20, 1987, the court-appointed receiver of Martin Gas, Inc., ("Martin") notified the Commission that its wholesale cost of gas would be decreased by its supplier, Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc., ("Columbia") effective July 1, 1987, and submitted with its notice certain information in compliance with its purchased gas adjustment clause on file with this Commission.

After reviewing the record in this case and being advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that:

(1) Martin's notice of July 20, 1987, set out certain revisions in rates which Martin proposed to place into effect, said rates being designed to pass on the wholesale decrease in price from its supplier in the amount of \$1,766 or 3.69 cents per Mcf.

(2) Martin's wholesale cost of gas was decreased by Columbia effective July 1, 1987.

(3) Martin should report to the Commission any excess revenues collected during the period from July 1, 1987, to the date the proposed rates are implemented, along with a plan to refund any excess collections to its customers.

(4) Martin's proposed adjustment in rates under the purchased gas adjustment provisions approved by the Commission in its Order in Case No. 9550 dated October 10, 1986, is fair, just, and reasonable and in the public interest and should be effective with gas supplied on and after July 1, 1987.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

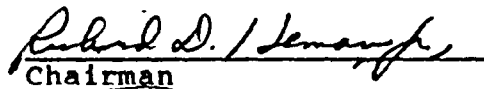
(1) The rates in the Appendix to this Order be and they hereby are authorized effective with gas supplied on and after July 1, 1987.

(2) Within 30 days of this Order Martin shall report to the Commission any excess revenues collected during the period from July 1, 1987, to the date the proposed rates are implemented, along with a plan to refund any excess collections.

(3) Within 30 days of the date of this Order Martin shall file with this Commission its revised tariffs setting out the rates authorized herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 5th day of August, 1987.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

  
Chairman

  
Vice Chairman

  
Commissioner

ATTEST:

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Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 9550-B DATED August 5, 1987.

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 this Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

RATES: Monthly

First 1 Mcf	\$6.04 Per Mcf
Over 1 Mcf	\$5.941 Per Mcf

Minimum Bill

The minimum bill shall be \$6.04

Temporary Surcharge      \$3.12

The base rate for the future application of the purchased gas adjustment clause of Martin Gas, Inc., shall be:

Commodity

Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc.	\$4.0215 per Mcf
Southeastern Gas Company	\$0.140 per Mcf