## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

EAST LAUREL WATER DISTRICT'S REQUEST ) FOR A DEVIATION FROM THE TESTING ) REQUIREMENTS FOR NEW METERS PER SUB- ) CASE NO. 10088 SECTION 16(2) OF 807 KAR 5:066 )

## ORDER

By letter received November 17, 1987, East Laurel Water District ("East Laurel") requested a deviation from subsection 16(2) of 807 KAR 5:066. Said request proposed that East Laurel be relieved of the requirement for testing new meters before placing them in service. East Laurel stated that the time required for such testing was an undue burden that was taking time away from other phases of its meter testing program.

Additional information is needed for an adequate and proper consideration of East Laurel's request to be relieved of the requirement for testing new meters before placing them in service.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that East Laurel shall file an original and seven copies of the following information with the Commission with a copy to all parties of record on or before February 12, 1988.

 Average number of new meters installed per month and per year by East Laurel.

2. East Laurel's costs for testing of new meters per subsection 16(2) of 807 KAR 5:066. 3. Time required of East Laurel's employees for each test performed whether directly or indirectly related to test performance.

4. Name and certification number of person that is performing East Laurel's meter tests. Name of owner of bench test facilities used for testing East Laurel's meters.

5. Name of manufacturer or manufacturers of the new meters purchased by East Laurel. If the meter testing facilities of these manufacturers have been certified by the Commission, provide written notification to this Commission of East Laurel's plan to use the manufacturer's test data.

If the above listed items of information cannot be provided by Pebruary 12, 1988, East Laurel should submit a motion for an extension of time stating the reason a delay is necessary and include a date by which it will be furnished. Such motion will be considered by the Commission. East Laurel shall furnish with each response the name of the witness who will be available for responding to questions concerning each item of information requested should a public hearing be required in this matter.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 18th day of January, 1988.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ATTEST:

Executive Director