COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ADJUSTMENT OF RATES OF COLUMBIA) CASE NO. GAS OF KENTUCKY, INC.) 10201

ORDER OF PROCEDURE

On April 21, 1988, Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. ("Columbia"), filed an application with the Commission wherein it proposes to adjust its gas rates for service rendered on and after May 21, 1988.

The Commission is of the opinion and finds that, pursuant to KRS 278.190, further proceedings are necessary in order to determine the reasonableness of the proposed rates and that such proceedings cannot be completed prior to the proposed effective date.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- The proposed rates be and they hereby are suspended for
 months on and after the 21st day of May, 1988.
- 2. Columbia shall provide public notice of the proposed rates in accordance with the provisions set out in 807 KAR 5:011, Section 8(2) and (3).
- 3. The notice or publication shall also contain the following language:

The rates contained in this notice are the rates proposed by Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. However, the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that differ from these proposed rates. Such action may result in rates for consumers other than the rates in this notice.

- 4. The procedural schedule listed in Appendix A shall be followed.
- 5. All requests for information and responses thereto shall be appropriately indexed. All responses shall include the name of the witness who will be responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided, with copies to all parties of record and 12 copies to the Commission.
- 6. Columbia shall give notice of the hearing in accordance with the provisions set out in 807 KAR 5:011, Section 8(5).
- 7. Motions for extensions of time with respect to the schedule herein shall be made in writing and will be granted only upon a showing of compelling reasons.
- 8. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering further Orders in this matter.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 29th day of April, 1988.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ATTEST:

Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 10201 DATED 4/29/88

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1.	Columbia shall file its testimony in verified form, unless submitted sooner5/05/88
2.	All requests for information to Columbia shall be due, unless submitted sooner5/26/88
3.	Columbia shall mail or deliver responses to the original request for information, unless submitted sooner
4.	All supplemental requests for information (to include only those matters within the scope of the initial request) to Columbia shall be due, unless submitted sooner
5.	Columbia shall mail or deliver responses to the supplemental requests for information unless submitted sooner
6.	Intervenors shall file their testimony in verified prepared form, unless submitted sooner7/07/88
7.	All requests for information to intervenors shall be due, unless submitted sooner
8.	Intervenors shall mail or deliver responses to requests for information, unless submitted sooner8/11/8
9.	Public Hearings are to begin at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in the Commission's offices at Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of cross-examination of witnesses of Columbia, cross-examination of witnesses of intervenors, and the presentation of rebuttal testimony, if any
10.	Columbia and intervenors shall, if necessary, file briefs, indexed by subject matter, simultaneously9/08/8