

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF DELAPLAIN DISPOSAL )  
COMPANY FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC ) CASE NO.  
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY AND TO INCREASE ) 89-060  
RATES )

O R D E R

This matter arising upon the Commission's own motion and it appearing to the Commission as follows:

On March 16, 1989, Delaplain Disposal Company ("Delaplain") filed an Application for Rate Adjustment for Small Utilities pursuant to 807 KAR 5:076. Delaplain subsequently agreed that said application be reviewed under the provisions of 807 KAR 5:001.

Delaplain included in its original application a copy of a March 13, 1989 notification letter to its customers of the filing of the rate change application. Said notification, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, informs Delaplain's residential customers of the proposed dollar amount change in their flat monthly rate, and informs Delaplain's industrial/commercial customers of a proposed \$1.53 variable rate per 1,000 gallons actual discharge. However, that portion of the notification, which informs Delaplain's industrial/commercial customers of its proposal to charge said customers a pro rata share of fixed costs based on percent of plant capacity committed

to each, does not comply with KRS 278.185(2) in that it does not include an estimate of the probable financial impact upon the customers.

This Commission being otherwise sufficiently advised, IT IS ORDERED:

1. Within 10 days of the date of this Order, Delaplain shall renotify its industrial/commercial customers of its application for rate change. Said notification shall include all information contained in its original notification of March 13, 1989, and in addition shall state the dollar amount of the proposed charge to each industrial/commercial customer of the customer's pro rata share of fixed costs based on plant capacity.

2. Delaplain shall provide the Commission with a copy of each letter of notification described above within 15 days of the date of this Order.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 5th day of July, 1989.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Chairman



Vice Chairman



Commissioner

ATTEST:

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Executive Director

# Delaplain Disposal Company

P.O. Box 1498  
Lexington, Kentucky 40591

March 13, 1989

**Customer:**

You are hereby notified that Delaplain Disposal Company has filed an application this day with the Public Service Commission for an adjustment in its sanitary sewer rates. The present and proposed rates are as follows:

	PRESENT	PROPOSED
Residential	\$13.50 per month	\$24.00 per month
Industrial/Commercial	\$1.40 per 1000 gallons	Pro-rata share of fixed costs based on percent of plant capacity committed to them, plus  \$1.53 variable costs per 1000 gallons actual discharge (based on water meter reading)

In accordance with Public Service Commission regulations:

Any corporation, association, body, politic or person may request leave to intervene by motion within thirty (30) days after notice of the proposed rate changes is given;

The motion shall be submitted to the Public Service Commission, 730 Schenkel Lane, P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40602, and shall set forth the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party; and

Copies of the application may be obtained by contacting the applicant at P.O. Box 1498, Lexington, Kentucky, 40591. Upon request from an intervenor whose request for intervention has been granted, the applicant shall furnish to such applicant a copy of the application with supporting documents and a copy of each of the three (3) annual reports.

DELAPLAIN DISPOSAL COMPANY

By: 

Joe C. Lewis  
Agent