CONNONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF MARTIN GAS, INC. FOR) AUTHORITY TO ADJUST RATES AND TO) CASE NO. 90-402 EXTEND CURRENT SURCHARGE)

ORDER OF PROCEDURE

On December 5, 1990, Martin Gas, Inc. ("Martin") filed an application for adjustment of rates to become effective January 5, 1991. The Commission suspended the proposed rates until June 4, 1991 by its Order of December 19, 1990. The Commission finds that a schedule of procedure is necessary in order to process this case.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The procedural schedule listed in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, shall be followed.

2. 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.

3. Commission Staff may, in lieu of filing prepared testimony, submit a written report containing its findings and recommendations on Martin's application. Such report shall be considered as prepared testimony. 4. Martin shall give notice of the hearing in accordance with the provisions set out in 807 KAR 5:011, Section 8(5).

5. 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.

6. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering further Orders in this matter.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 16th day of January, 1991.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

For the Commission

ATTEST:

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Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 90-402 DATED 1/16/91

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS DUE DATE All requests for information to Martin 1. Martin shall mail or deliver responses 2. to the initial requests for information no later 3. All supplemental requests to Martin for information (to include only those matters within the scope of the initial request) shall Martin shall mail or deliver responses 4. to the supplemental requests for information 5. Commission Staff and Intervenors' testimony, if any, shall be filed in verified prepared All requests for information to Intervenors and 6. Commission Staff shall be due no later than. . . . 3/22/91 7. Commission Staff and Intervenors shall mail or deliver responses to requests for information 8. Public Hearings are to begin at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in the Commission's offices at Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of cross-examination of witnesses of Martin, cross-examination of witnesses of the Intervenors and Commission Staff, and the presentation of