COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE NOTICE OF PURCHASED GAS

ADJUSTMENT FILING OF MT. OLIVET

NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC.

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CASE NO. 9918-PPP

ORDER

On August 10, 1987, the Commission issued its Order in Case No. 9918 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 March 13, 1991, Mt. Olivet Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("Mt. Olivet") notified the Commission that its fixed monthly demand surcharge was decreased by its supplier, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation ("Transmission"), effective March 10, 1991, and submitted with its notice certain information in compliance with its purchased gas adjustment ("PGA") clause on file with this Commission.

After reviewing the record in this case and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that:

1. Mt. Olivet's notice of March 13, 1991 set out certain revisions in rates which Mt. Olivet proposed to place into effect, said rates being designed to pass on the wholesale decrease in the fixed monthly demand surcharge from \$165 to \$32 per month,

resulting in an annualized decrease of \$1,596 or 3.91 cents per Mcf.

- 2. Transmission applied with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission for decreased surcharges to be effective March 10, 1991. The effective date for the decrease should be on and after March 10, 1991. Transmission's rates are subject to refund; hence, Mt. Olivet's rates should be subject to refund.
- 3. The adjustment in Mt. Olivet's rates under the purchased gas adjustment provisions approved by the Commission in its Order in Case No. 9918 dated August 10, 1987 is fair, just, and reasonable, in the public interest, and should be effective with gas supplied on and after March 10, 1991, subject to refund.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The rates in the Appendix, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and are approved effective with gas supplied on and after March 10, 1991, subject to refund.
- 2. Within 30 days of the date of this Order, Mt. Olivet shall file with this Commission its revised tariffs setting out the rates authorized herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 15th day of April, 1991.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

ice Chairman

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ATTEST:

Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 9918-PPP DATED April 15, 1991.

The following rates are prescribed for the customers served by Mt. Olivet Natural Gas Company, Inc. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

Rates:	Monthly				
First	1,000 c	eu. ft.	or less	\$7.26	(Minimum Bill)
Next	4,000 c	eu. ft.	per 1,000 cu. ft.	5.5375	
Next	5,000 c	eu. ft.	per 1,000 cu. ft.	5.3375	
Next	10,000 c	eu. ft.	per 1,000 cu. ft.	5.1875	
Over	20,000 c	u. ft.	per 1,000 cu. ft.	4.9875	

The base rate for the future application of the purchased gas adjustment clause of Mt. Olivet Natural Gas Company, Inc. shall be:

Commodity

Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation - \$4.1486 per Dth