

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE NOTICE OF PURCHASED GAS)	
ADJUSTMENT FILING OF MT. OLIVET)	CASE NO. 9918-D4
NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC.)	

O R D E R

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 November 30, 1992, Mt. Olivet Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("Mt. Olivet") filed its quarterly gas cost adjustment ("GCA"), which is to become effective January 1, 1993 and is to remain in effect until March 31, 1993.

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

1. Mt. Olivet's notice of November 30, 1992 set out certain revisions in rates which Mt. Olivet proposed to place into effect, said rates being designed to pass on to its customers the wholesale increase in gas costs from its suppliers in the amount of 44.90 cents per Mcf. Mt. Olivet's expected gas cost ("EGC") for the quarter beginning January 1, 1993 is \$4.1877 per Mcf.

2. Mt. Olivet's notice set out no refund adjustment.

3. Mt. Olivet's notice set out a current quarter actual adjustment in the amount of (27.88) cents per Mcf to compensate for previous over-recovery of gas cost through the operation of its gas cost recovery procedure during the months of April, May, and June 1992. The total actual adjustment of (44.32) cents per Mcf is designed to correct the current over-collection as well as under- or over-collections from the previous quarters.

4. The combined effect of the above adjustments is Mt. Olivet's gas cost recovery rate ("GCR") in the amount of \$3.7445 per Mcf, which is an increase of 29.08 cents per Mcf from its last approved rates.

5. Mt. Olivet's adjustment in rates set out in the Appendix to this Order, pursuant to the GCA 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 January 1, 1993.


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 January 1, 1993.

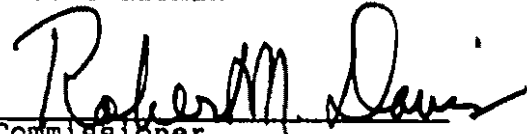
2. Within 30 days of the date of this Order, Mt. Olivet shall file with this Commission its revised tariffs setting out the rates authorized herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 21st day of December, 1992.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 9918-D4 DATED December 21, 1992

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

		<u>Base Rate</u>	<u>Gas Cost Recovery Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
First	1,000 cu. ft. or less	\$2.98	\$3.7445	\$6.73
Next	4,000 cu. ft. per 1,000 cu. ft.	1.2613	3.7445	5.0058
Next	5,000 cu. ft. per 1,000 cu. ft.	1.0613	3.7445	4.8058
Next	10,000 cu. ft. per 1,000 cu. ft.	0.9113	3.7445	4.6558
Over	20,000 cu. ft. per 1,000 cu. ft.	0.7113	3.7445	4.4558