

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INVESTIGATION OF THE RATES,)
CHARGES, PRACTICES AND PROVISION OF) CASE NO. 96-448
UTILITY SERVICE BY ENVIROTECH)

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that, within 20 days of the date of this Order, Envirotech shall file the original and 8 copies of the following information with the Commission with a copy to all parties of record. Each copy of the information requested should be placed in a bound volume with each item tabbed. When a number of sheets are required for an item, each sheet should be appropriately indexed, for example, Item 1(a), Sheet 2 of 6. Include with each response the name of the witness who will be responsible for responding to questions relating to the information provided. Give careful attention to copied material to ensure its legibility.

1. Provide a copy of Envirotech's articles of incorporation.
2. a. Is Envirotech registered with the Kentucky Secretary of State's Office to operate within the Commonwealth of Kentucky?
 - b. If yes, provide Envirotech's certificate to operate within Kentucky.
 - c. If no, explain why not.
3. a. With whom did Envirotech contract to provide utility billing services to the Lakepointe Apartments?
 - b. Provide a copy of this contract.

4. a. Describe the services which Envirotech provides under this contract.
- b. For each service, list the fee which Envirotech charges.
5. Who installed the metering equipment for individual apartments?
6. Who owns the metering equipment installed in each apartment?
7. Who maintains the metering equipment?
8. Who contracts with local water and sewer service providers for the provision of such services?
9. Who pays the local water and sewer service providers for the services provided to the Lakepointe Apartments?
10. What control, if any, does the owner of Lakepointe Apartments have over the billing of utility services?
11. What control, if any, does the owner of Lakepointe Apartments have over the provision of utility services?

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 15th day of January, 1997.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


For the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director