COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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THE APPLICATION OF COLUMBIA GAS OF)KENTUCKY, INC. FOR AUTHORITY TO)PERMANENTLY ADOPT A WEATHER)NORMALIZATION ADJUSTMENT)MECHANISM)

CASE NO. 97-299

<u>O R D E R</u>

IT IS ORDERED that Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. ("Columbia") shall file the original and 7 copies of the following information with this Commission, with a copy to all parties of record. Each copy of the data 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. Careful attention should be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. Where information requested herein has been provided along with the original application, in the format requested herein, reference may be made to the specific location of said information in responding to this information request. The information requested herein is due no later than 10 days from the date of this Order.

Refer to paragraph (G)2 of page 3 of Columbia's filing of June 30, 1997. 1. Provide a comparison of billings with and without the weather normalization adjustment ("WNA") for the last three winter periods.

Provide Columbia's return on equity for the last three years with and without 2. the WNA.

How much of non-gas cost varies with Mcf usage? 3.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 19th day of September, 1997.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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