

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE NOTICE OF PURCHASED GAS)
ADJUSTMENT FILING OF JEFFERSON) CASE NO. 2002-00011
GAS TRANSMISSION COMPANY)

ORDER

On February 16, 1999, in Case No. 98-499, the Commission approved rates for Jefferson Gas Transmission Company (Jefferson) and provided for their further adjustment in accordance with Jefferson s gas cost adjustment (GCA) clause.

On January 3, 2002, Jefferson filed its GCA to be effective February 1, 2002.

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

1. Jefferson s notice includes revised rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected increase in wholesale gas costs. Jefferson s proposed expected gas cost (EGC) is \$2.748 per Mcf, which is 15.20 cents per Mcf more than the previous EGC of \$2.596.

2. Jefferson s notice sets out no current quarter refund adjustment.

3. Jefferson s notice sets out no current quarter actual adjustment.

4. Jefferson s GCA is \$2.748 per Mcf, which is 15.20 cents per Mcf more than the previous GCA of \$2.596.

5. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable, in the public interest, and should be approved for gas supplied by Jefferson on and after February 2, 2002. Jefferson did not provide the required 30-day notice that is necessary for an increase in rates to be effective February 1, 2002.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates in the Appendix to this Order, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are approved for gas supplied by Jefferson on and after February 2, 2002.

2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Jefferson shall file with this Commission its revised tariffs setting out the rates authorized herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 24th day of January, 2002.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2002-00011 DATED January 24, 2002

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

Rates:

	<u>Base Rate</u>	<u>Gas Cost</u>	<u>Rate per Mcf</u>
Minimum Bill - First Mcf	\$3.89	\$2.748	\$6.6380
Over 1 Mcf	\$2.26	\$2.748	\$5.0080