COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT FILING OF WESTERN LEWIS-RECTORVILLE WATER AND GAS

CASE NO. 2011-00460

<u>ORDER</u>

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On May 12, 1993, in Case No. 1992-00331, the Commission approved rates for Western Lewis-Rectorville Water and Gas District ("Western Lewis") and provided for their further adjustment in accordance with Western Lewis Gas Cost Adjustment ("GCA") clause.¹

On November 28, 2011, Western Lewis filed its proposed Gas Cost Recovery Rate ("GCR") to be effective January 1, 2012.

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

1. Western Lewis's notice includes revised rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected change in gas costs.

2. Western Lewis's notice sets out an Expected Gas Cost ("EGC") of \$5.5405 per Mcf, which is an decrease of \$.1695 per Mcf from its previous EGC of \$5.7100 per Mcf.

3. Western Lewis's notice sets out no Refund Adjustment.

¹ Case No. 1992-00331, The Application of Western Lewis-Rectorville for an Adjustment of Rates Pursuant to the Alternative Rate Filing Procedure for Small Utilities (Ky. PSC May 12, 1993).

4. Western Lewis's notice sets out a current quarter Actual Adjustment ("AA") of (\$.0128) per Mcf. Western Lewis's total AA is (\$1.4862) per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.0101 per Mcf from the previous total AA of (\$1.4963) per Mcf.

5. Western Lewis's notice sets out a current quarter Balance Adjustment ("BA") of \$.0319 per Mcf. Western Lewis's total BA is \$.0419 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.0566 per Mcf from the previous total BA of (\$.0147) per Mcf.

6. Western Lewis's GCR is \$4.0962 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.1028 per Mcf from the previous rate of \$4.1990 per Mcf.

7. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable, and should be approved for billing for service rendered by Western Lewis on and after January 1, 2012.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are approved for service rendered on and after January 1, 2012.

2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Western Lewis shall file its revised tariffs with this Commission setting out the rates authorized herein and reflecting that they were approved pursuant to this Order.

By the Commission

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APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2011-00460 DATED DEC 0 9 2011

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers served by Western Lewis–Rectorville Water and Gas District. 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.

RETAIL RATES:

Customer Charge

\$1.00 per month

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Monthly usage

	Base Rate	Gas Cost Recovery <u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
First 1,000 cubic feet or less (Minimum Bill)	\$3.9883	\$ 4.0962	\$ 8.0845
Next 4,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.4565	4.0962	5.5527
Next 5,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.3970	4.0962	5.4932
Over 10,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.2228	4.0962	5.3190

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