COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

REQUEST OF RICHARDSVILLE GAS)	CASE NO.
COMPANY, INC. TO ABANDON FACILITY	j	2013-00234
PURSUANT TO KRS 278.021 SECTION 2(B))	

COMMISSION STAFF'S SECOND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO RICHARDSVILLE GAS COMPANY, INC.

Richardsville Gas Company, Inc. ("Richardsville Gas"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, shall file with the Commission the original and eight copies of the following information with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein is due within 14 days of the date of this request. Responses to requests for information shall be appropriately bound, tabbed and indexed. Each response shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided.

Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Richardsville Gas shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which Richardsville Gas fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information Richardsville Gas shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to

completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention should be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request.

- Provide all available work papers supporting Richardsville Gas's 2012 Annual
 Report.
- 2. Provide the rates currently being charged to customers of Richardsville Gas, along with an example calculation of a bill for usage of 10 Mcf, including all charges.
- 3. Provide copies of recent customer bills for monthly usage of 0, 1, 2 and 3 Mcf. All identifying customer information, including names, phone numbers, addresses and account numbers, should be removed from the bills.
- 4. Provide all invoices from Richardsville Gas's natural gas and propane suppliers from January 1, 2013 to the present.
- 5. a. State whether Richardsville Gas is currently assessing a charge for propane.
- b. If so, provide the amount of the charge and explain how the charge was calculated.
- 6. State whether Richardsville Gas would be willing to continue operating as a utility if it were authorized to receive a rate increase including a reasonable return, if warranted.

- 7. State whether Richardsville Gas is aware that Commission Staff is available to provide assistance in preparing an Alternative Rate Filing application.
- 8. a. State whether Richardsville Gas is currently engaged in any discussions or negotiations with any individual or entity to sell the utility.
- b. Provide the names of all individuals or entities with which Richardsville Gas is discussing or negotiating a possible sale.
- c. State when or if Richardsville Gas expects to have a definitive agreement to sell the utility.
- 9. State whether Richardsville Gas is aware of the petition signed by 36 of its customers, the majority of which depend on natural gas for heating, requesting the utility to increase its rates rather than abandon service.
- 10. Is Richardsville Gas currently supplying gas to meet the needs of its existing customers? If not, explain in detail why Richardsvile Gas is unable to meet its customers' need and demand for gas.

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cc: Parties of Record

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