COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INVESTIGATION OF THE PROPOSED)	
ABANDONMENT BY AMERIGAS)	CASE NO.
PARTNERS, L.P. AND AMERIGAS)	2013-00332
PROPANE, L.P. OF UTILITY SERVICE BY)	
BRIGHT'S PROPANE SERVICE, INC. IN OLD)	
BRIDGE SUBDIVISION, BOYLE COUNTY,)	
KENTUCKY)	

ORDER

On June 5, 2014, AmeriGas and AmeriGas Propane (collectively "AmeriGas"), the owner and operator of Heritage Operating, L.P. d/b/a Bright's Propane Service, Inc. ("Bright's Propane"), a propane gas distribution system in Old Bridge Subdivision ("Old Bridge") in Boyle County, Kentucky, filed a motion requesting that the current procedural schedule be held in abeyance and that the evidentiary hearing scheduled for June 12, 2014, be cancelled. In support of its motion, AmeriGas states that on June 4, 2014, it came to an agreement in principle to sell Bright's Propane and that time is needed to prepare the documents necessary for the sale. In addition, an application for approval to transfer the utility is required, and time will be needed for it to be prepared and filed with the Commission. AmeriGas states that the requested abeyance would allow it time to prepare all the necessary documents and to file an application for the transfer. There are no intervenors in this case, although many customers have filed public comments in opposition to the proposed abandonment of the utility.

Having reviewed the pleading and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that AmeriGas has established good cause to have the current

procedural schedule established by our March 31, 2014 Order held in abeyance. Because we are granting AmeriGas's request to have the procedural schedule be placed in abeyance, the Commission finds that the hearing scheduled for June 12, 2014, should be cancelled and, if necessary, rescheduled.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. AmeriGas's Motion to Hold Procedural Schedule in Abeyance is granted.
- 2. The current procedural schedule as established by the March 31, 2014 Order shall be held in abeyance.
- 3. The hearing scheduled to begin on June 12, 2014, is cancelled and shall be rescheduled if necessary.
- 4. AmeriGas shall notify all customers of Bright's Propane that the hearing scheduled on Thursday, June 12, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time, in Conference Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, has been cancelled due to ongoing negotiations for the sale of Bright's Propane.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

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