COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION OF THE GAS COSTS OF JOHNSON COUNTY GAS COMPANY, INC. AND HALL, STEPHENS AND HALL GAS COMPANY PURSUANT TO KRS 278.2207, AND KRS 278.274

CASE NO. 2020-00122

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<u>ORDER</u>

On May 11, 2021, pursuant to the Commission's March 22, 2021 Order, Johnson County Gas Company, Inc. (Johnson County) and Hall, Stephens and Hall (Hall) filed notice that the asset transfer and sale of Johnson County to Navitas KY NG LLC (Navitas KY) had closed on April 30, 2021. In the March 22, 2021 Order, the Commission adopted a Stipulation of Facts and Settlement Agreement (Stipulation and Settlement Agreement), to settle an investigation of the gas costs paid by Johnson County for natural gas sold by Johnson County's affiliate Hall. The Stipulation and Settlement Agreement adoption was conditioned upon the asset sale and transfer of Johnson County to Navitas KY closing no later than June 30, 2021. Additionally, pursuant to a commitment memorialized in Case No. 2020-00396¹ approving the transfer, Navitas KY is liable for the refund of \$9,450 to Johnson County customers for an over collection of the gas cost adjustment rate.

Based on the above, the Commission, on its own motion, finds that the conditions to the Stipulation and Settlement Agreement have been satisfied, a mechanism to refund

¹ Case No. 2020-00396, Electronic Application of Navitas KY NG, Johnson County Gas Company, and B & H Gas Company for Approval of Acquisition, Transfer of Ownership, and Control of Natural Gas Utility Systems (Ky. PSC Apr. 27, 2021).

\$9,450 to Johnson County customers was effectuated, and that all claims against Johnson County and Hall for any violation of KRS Chapter 278 raised in this proceeding have been satisfied and resolved. For this reason, the Commission further finds that this case can be closed and removed from the Commission's docket.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. All claims against Johnson County and Hall for any violation of KRS Chapter 278 raised in this proceeding have been satisfied.

2. This case is closed and removed from the Commission's docket.

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By the Commission



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Executive Director

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