

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF KENTUCKY

A meeting of the Public Service Commission was held this date. Present: Chairman William A. Logan, Vice Chairman Barkley J. Sturgill and Commissioners Charles W. Berger, Robert E. Spurlin and Joe S. Wheeler, Jr.

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In the Matter of

THE REVISION OF COMMISSION)
RULES GOVERNING GAS) ADMINISTRATIVE CASE NO. 168
UTILITIES)

O R D E R

On November 12, 1970, the minimum Federal Safety Standards of the Office of Pipeline Safety, Department of Transportation, became effective and on February 16, 1971, were adopted by this Commission. To update Commission rules and recognize certain amendments to the minimum Federal Safety Standards the staff of the Public Service Commission proposed the following rule revision:

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8. "The Commission being certified and financed by the Office of Pipeline Safety, Department of Transportation hereby adopts the minimum Federal Safety Standards, Title 49 CFR Part 192, as published in the Federal Register on August 19, 1970, (35 F.R. 13247) and subsequent amendments as Minimum Gas Safety Standards for the Public Service Commission of Kentucky. The said Federal Minimum Standards shall apply except where the rules adopted by this Commission are more stringent than and not inconsistent with the Federal Standards. Nothing contained in these standards, however, shall prevent the Commission from adopting, after due notice and hearing, additional or more stringent standards for intrastate gas facilities now under the Commission's jurisdiction, provided that

APPENDIX "A"

APPENDIX TO THE ORDER OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN ADMINISTRATIVE CASE NO. 168,
DATED JANUARY 28, 1974.

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