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RE: Case No. 2007-00153 Atmos Energy Corporation (Franchise)

This letter is to acknowledge receipt of initial application in the above case. The application was date-stamped received April 12, 2007 and has been assigned Case No. 2007-00153. In all future correspondence or filings in connection with this case, please reference the above case number.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at (502) 564-3940.

Sincerely,

Beth O'Donnell Executive Director