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## Re: Atmos Energy Corporation's Petition for Confidentiality PSC Case No. 2008-00160

Dear Mr. Hutchinson:

The Public Service Commission has received Atmos Energy Corporation's Petition for confidential treatment requesting to protect as confidential certain information contained in its Gas Cost Adjustment for the period commencing June 1, 2008 through July 31, 2008. This information is described as the Weighted Average Cost of Gas ("WACOG") schedule pertaining to prices projected to be paid for purchase contracts, and also Atmo's quarterly correction factor.

Based upon a review of the information, I have determined that it is entitled to the protection requested on the grounds relied upon in the Petition and should be withheld from public inspection.

If the information becomes publicly available or no longer warrants confidential treatment, Atmos Energy Corporation is required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7(9)(a), to inform the Commission so that the information may be placed in the public record.

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