COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT FILING OF SENTRA COPORATION

) CASE NO.) 2016-00319

COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO SENTRA CORPORATION

Sentra Corporation ("Sentra"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission the original and six copies of the following information, with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein is due within seven days of the date of this information request. Responses to requests for information shall be appropriately bound, tabbed and indexed. Each response shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to questions related to the information provided.

Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Sentra shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which Sentra fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Sentra shall

provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention should be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations. When filing a paper containing personal information, Sentra shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

- Refer to Sentra's Gas Cost Recovery ("GCR") application, Schedule II,
 Expected Gas Cost ("EGC") calculation.
- a. Confirm that the rates shown in column 5 are from the "High" column of the monthly NYMEX futures rates for September 2016 through August 2017 provided as an attachment to the GCR schedules. Explain why the high futures price was used, and not the average of prices in the High and Low columns.
- b. Confirm that the NYMEX futures prices are reported per MmBtu, and state whether Sentra's reported purchase volumes in Schedule II, column 4 are in Mcf as indicated. If so, provide the btu factor of Sentra's gas so that the EGC can be correctly calculated.
- c. Confirm that the GCR rate proposed in this application will be charged only until November 1, 2016, when Sentra's next GCR rates will become

effective pursuant to its tariff. If so, confirm that the EGC should be based only on the expected cost of gas for September and October.

d. Explain whether the \$.45 average difference between Greystone and NYMEX prices provided as the last page of the application should be included in the calculation of the EGC on Schedule II. If so, explain why.

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