

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT FILING) CASE NO.
OF DELTA NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC.) 2016-00442

ORDER

On October 21, 2010, in Case No. 2010-00116,¹ the Commission approved rates for Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("Delta") and provided for their further adjustment in accordance with Delta's Gas Cost Adjustment clause.

On December 21, 2016, Delta filed its proposed Gas Cost Recovery ("GCR") application for rates to be effective January 30, 2017.

After reviewing the record in this case and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that:

1. Delta's notice includes revised rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected change in wholesale gas costs.
2. Delta's notice sets out an Expected Gas Cost ("EGC") of \$4.1006 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.4639 per Mcf from the previous EGC of \$3.6367 per Mcf.
3. Delta's notice sets out no current quarter Refund Adjustment.
4. Delta's notice sets out a current quarter Actual Adjustment ("AA") of \$.4863 per Mcf. Delta's total AA is \$.7177 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.1224 per Mcf from the previous total AA of \$.5953 per Mcf.

¹ Case No. 2010-00116, *Application of Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. for an Adjustment of Rates* (Ky. PSC Oct. 21, 2010).

5. Delta's notice sets out a current quarter Balance Adjustment ("BA") of (\$.0149) per Mcf. Delta's total BA is \$.1278 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.0189 per Mcf from the previous BA of \$.1467 per Mcf.

6. Delta's GCR rate is \$4.9461 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.5674 per Mcf from the previous GCR rate of \$4.3787 per Mcf.

7. The rates as proposed by Delta and set forth in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for final meter readings by Delta on and after January 30, 2017.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates proposed by Delta and set forth in the Appendix to this Order are approved for final meter readings on and after January 30, 2017.

2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Delta shall file with this Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, revised tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein and reflecting that they were approved pursuant to this Order.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC
SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:


Executive Director

Case No. 2016-00442

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2016-00442 DATED **JAN 20 2017**

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of this Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

RATE SCHEDULES

AVAILABILITY

Available for general use by residential, commercial, and industrial customers.

RATES

	<u>Base Rate</u>	plus	Gas Cost Recovery <u>Rate</u>	equals	<u>Total Rate</u>
Residential					
Monthly Service Charge	\$ 20.70				
All Ccf	\$.43185		\$.49461		\$.92646
Residential rates are also subject to the Conservation/Efficiency Program Cost Recovery Component (CEPRC) of \$.01508 per Ccf.					
Small Non-Residential					
Monthly Service Charge	\$ 31.20				
All Ccf	\$.43185		\$.49461		\$.92646
Large Non-Residential					
Monthly Service Charge	\$ 131.00				
First 1–2,000 Ccf	\$.43185		\$.49461		\$.92646
Next 2,001–10,000 Ccf	.26696		.49461		.76157
Next 10,001–50,000 Ccf	.18735		.49461		.68196

Next 50,001–100,000 Ccf	.14735	.49461	.64196
Over 100,000 Ccf	.12735	.49461	.62196

Interruptible

Monthly Service Charge	\$ 250.00		
First 1–10,000 Ccf	\$.16000	\$.49461	\$.65461
Next 10,001–50,000 Ccf	.12000	.49461	.61461
Next 50,001–100,000 Ccf	.08000	.49461	.57461
Over 100,000 Ccf	.06000	.49461	.55461

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