COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE TARIFF FILING OF MAGNUM DRILLING OF OHIO, INC. TO OPERATE A FARM TAP SYSTEM	))	CASE NO. 2002-00335

O R D E R

On July 9, 2002, Magnum Drilling of Ohio, Inc. ("Magnum") filed a proposed tariff of rates, rules and regulations to operate as a farm tap system.

The proposed tariff filing did not include proper cost justifications for the proposed charges. A letter requesting said information was sent to Magnum on August 7, 2002. As of this date, no response has been received.

The Commission finds that, pursuant to KRS 278.190, further proceedings are necessary in order to determine the reasonableness of the proposed tariff. Magnum did not state a date upon which the proposed tariff would become effective. Accordingly, the proposed tariff shall not become effective pending final action by the Commission or compliance with KRS 278.180.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this proceeding be established to investigate the reasonableness of Magnum s tariff proposal.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 24th day of September, 2002.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Wm H Bowker

Deputy Executive Director