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Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc.
3617 Lexington Road
Winchester, Ky 40391
Attn: John F. Hall

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P O Box 615

Frankfort, Ky 40602

As residential customers of Delta Natural Gas Co, we wish to protest the raising of rates.

Natural Gas is a natural resource, this is a greed raise - not a need one. Our rates are already so high we keep our thermostat on 60°. We live on a fixed income, have 3 very sick people and recently had our taxes raised by the City of Barlowville. We get no raise.

Neva, Milton & Josh Kaplan
106 So Allison
Barlowville, Ky 40906

Also -

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Our handicapped son, Dennis Glasscock
lives at 109 So Allison. He's on your
budget plan and pays \$164.00 monthly, yes
round for gas. He has double brick walls,
carpet on the floor and an insulated house.
He heats only the 3 downstairs rooms. His
disability check is only \$930.00 a month and
after his utilities he has to live cheaply
to afford food and medicine. \$164.00 a month
now is high - how can he pay more.
He's asked for assistance and they won't give
him a dime.

Keep this gas affordable - Kentucky is
cold and people must have heat.
Don't raise these rates!

Sincerely
Milton, Nora + Josh Kaplan
Dennis Glasscock

MILTON KAPLAN
106 S. ALLISON AVE
BARDOWVILLE, KY 40906

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. seeks approval by the Public Service Commission, Frankfort, Kentucky, of an adjustment of rates to become effective on and after May 5, 2004. The present rates charged in all territories served by Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. are as follows:

PRESENT RATES

	Base Rate +	GCR =	Total Rate
Residential			
Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 8.00		\$ 8.00
All Residential	\$ 3.6224	\$ 8.2193	\$ 11.8417 per Mcf
Small Non-Residential			
Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 17.00		\$ 17.00
.1 - 200 Mcf	\$ 3.6224	\$ 8.2193	\$ 11.8417 per Mcf
200.1 - 1,000 Mcf	\$ 2.4000	\$ 8.2193	\$ 10.6193 per Mcf
Over 1,000 Mcf	\$ 2.0495	\$ 8.2193	\$ 10.2688 per Mcf
Large Non-Residential			
Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 50.00		\$ 50.00
.1 - 200 Mcf	\$ 3.6224	\$ 8.2193	\$ 11.8417 per Mcf
200.1 - 1,000 Mcf	\$ 2.0063	\$ 8.2193	\$ 10.2256 per Mcf
1,000.1 - 5,000 Mcf	\$ 1.3190	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.5383 per Mcf
5,000.1 - 10,000 Mcf	\$.9190	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.1383 per Mcf
Over 10,000 Mcf	\$.7190	\$ 8.2193	\$ 8.9383 per Mcf
Interruptible			
Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 250.00		\$ 250.00
.1 - 1,000 Mcf	\$ 1.6000	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.8193 per Mcf
1,000.1 - 5,000 Mcf	\$ 1.2000	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.4193 per Mcf
5,000.1 - 10,000 Mcf	\$.8000	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.0193 per Mcf
Over 10,000 Mcf	\$.6000	\$ 8.2193	\$ 8.8193 per Mcf
Reconnect Charge	\$ 40.00		

The proposed rates to be charged in all territories served by Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. are as follows:

PROPOSED RATES

	Base Rate +	GCR =	Total Rate
Residential			
Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 12.50		\$ 12.50
All Residential	\$ 4.1638	\$ 8.2193	\$ 12.3831 per Mcf
Small Non-Residential			
Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 22.00		\$ 22.00
All Small Non-Residential	\$ 3.8984	\$ 8.2193	\$ 12.1177
Large Non-Residential			
Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 80.00		\$ 80.00
.1 - 200 Mcf	\$ 3.8984	\$ 8.2193	\$ 12.1177 per Mcf
200.1 - 1,000 Mcf	\$ 2.3334	\$ 8.2193	\$ 10.5527 per Mcf
1,000.1 - 5,000 Mcf	\$ 1.3500	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.5693 per Mcf
5,000.1 - 10,000 Mcf	\$.9500	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.1693 per Mcf
Over 10,000 Mcf	\$.7500	\$ 8.2193	\$ 8.9693 per Mcf
Interruptible			
Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 250.00		\$ 250.00
.1 - 1,000 Mcf	\$ 1.6000	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.8193 per Mcf
1,000.1 - 5,000 Mcf	\$ 1.2000	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.4193 per Mcf
5,000.1 - 10,000 Mcf	\$.8000	\$ 8.2193	\$ 9.0193 per Mcf
Over 10,000 Mcf	\$.6000	\$ 8.2193	\$ 8.8193 per Mcf
Reconnect Charge	\$ 48.00		

Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. proposes the following new tariff: Gas Technology Institute Adjustment Clause.

Copies of the proposed tariffs may be obtained by contacting John F. Hall, Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc., at the address and telephone number shown below.

The foregoing rates reflect an annual proposed increase in revenues of approximately 7.4% to Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. The estimated amount of annual increase per customer class is as follows: Residential GS: \$3,050,462, 10.00%; Small Non-Residential GS: \$494,989, 5.42%; Large Non-Residential GS: \$716,613, 5.39%; Interruptible: \$0, 0%.

The average monthly bill for each customer class to which the proposed rates will apply

No Raise in Rates - Too High Now!