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October 23, 2007

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

RE: Case No. 2007-00416 Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc.

I, Beth O'Donnell, Executive Director of the Public Service Commission, hereby certify that the enclosed attested copy of the Commission's Order in the above case was served upon the addressee by U.S. Mail on October 23, 2007.

**Executive Director** 

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## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

NOTICE OF PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT FILING OF DELTA NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC.

CASE NO. 2007-00416

### ORDER

On November 10, 2004, in Case No. 2004-00067,<sup>1</sup> 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 ("GCA") clause.

On September 21, 2007, Delta filed its proposed GCA to be effective October 24, 2007. 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 Expected Gas Cost ("EGC") is \$8.6577 per Mcf, which is \$1.0337 per Mcf less than the previous EGC of \$9.6914.

3. Delta's notice sets out no current quarter Refund Adjustment ("RA"). Delta's notice sets out no total RA, which is no change from the previous total RA.

4. Delta's notice sets out a current quarter Actual Adjustment ("AA") of 38.10 cents per Mcf. Delta's total AA is \$1.2719 per Mcf, which is an increase of 26.19 cents per Mcf from the previous total AA.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Case No. 2004-00067, Application of Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. for an Adjustment of Rates.

5. Delta's notice sets out a Balance Adjustment ("BA") of .16 cent per Mcf, which represents a decrease of \$1.4141 per Mcf from the previous BA.

6. Delta's GCA is \$9.9312 per Mcf, which is \$2.1859 per Mcf less than the previous GCA of \$12.1171.

7. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable, and should be approved for final meter readings by Delta on and after October 24, 2007.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are approved for final meter readings on and after October 24, 2007.

2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Delta shall file with this Commission its revised tariffs setting out the rates authorized herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 23rd day of October, 2007.

By the Commission

Executive Director

# APPENDIX

# APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2007-00416 DATED October 23, 2007

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.

#### <u>RATES</u>

	<u>Base Rate</u> plus	Gas Cost Recovery <u>Rate</u> equals	Total Rate
Residential Monthly Service Charge All Ccf	\$ 15.50 \$ .4158	\$.99312	\$ 1.40892
Small Non-Residential Monthly Service Charge All Ccf	\$ 25.00 \$ .4158	.99312	\$ 1.40892
Large Non-Residential Monthly Service Charge First 200 Ccf Next 800 Ccf Next 4,000 Ccf Next 5,000 Ccf Over 10,000 Ccf	<pre>\$ 100.00 \$ .4158 .2509 .1713 .1313 .1113</pre>	\$.99312 .99312 .99312 .99312 .99312 .99312	\$1.40892 1.24402 1.16442 1.12442 1.10442

Interruptible			
Monthly Service Charge	\$ 250.00		
First 1,000 Ccf	\$.16000	\$ .99312	\$ 1.15312
Next 4,000 Ccf	\$.12000	.99312	1.11312
Next 5,000 Ccf	.08000	.99312	1.07312
Over 10,000 Ccf	.06000	.99312	1.05312