#### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT FILING )
OF WESTERN LEWIS-RECTORVILLE ) CASE NO. 2009-00191

## ORDER

On May 12, 1993, in Case No. 1992-00331, the Commission approved rates for Western Lewis-Rectorville Water and Gas District ("Western Lewis") and provided for their further adjustment in accordance with Western Lewis's Gas Cost Adjustment ("GCA") clause.<sup>1</sup>

On May 21, 2009, Western Lewis filed its proposed Gas Cost Recovery Rate ("GCR") to be effective July 1, 2009.

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

- 1. Western Lewis's notice includes revised rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected change in gas costs.
- 2. Western Lewis's notice sets out an Expected Gas Cost ("EGC") of \$5.2542 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$4.2453 per Mcf from its previous EGC of \$9.4995 per Mcf.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Case No. 1992-00331, The Application of Western Lewis-Rectorville for an Adjustment of Rates Pursuant to the Alternative Rate Filing Procedure for Small Utilities (Ky. PSC May 12, 1993).

- 3. Western Lewis's notice sets out no Refund Adjustment.
- 4. Western Lewis's notice sets out a current quarter Actual Adjustment ("AA") of (\$1.0975) per Mcf. Western Lewis's total AA is (\$2.0344) per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.5910 per Mcf from the previous total AA of (\$1.4434) per Mcf.
- 5. Western Lewis's notice sets out a current quarter Balance Adjustment ("BA") of \$.0029 per Mcf. Western Lewis's total BA is \$.0574 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.0181 per Mcf from the previous total BA of \$.0755 per Mcf.
- 6. Western Lewis's GCR is \$3.2772 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$4.8544 per Mcf from the previous rate of \$8.1316 per Mcf.
- 7. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable, and should be approved for billing for service rendered by Western Lewis on and after July 1, 2009.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are approved for service rendered on and after July 1, 2009.
- 2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Western Lewis shall file with this Commission its revised tariffs setting out the rates authorized herein.

By the Commission

**ENTERED** 

JUN 11 2009

KENTUCKY PUBLIC
SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

Executive Director

#### APPENDIX

# APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2009-00191 DATED JUN 1 1 2009

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers served by Western Lewis–Rectorville Water and Gas District. 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.

# **RETAIL RATES:**

Customer Charge

\$1.00 per month

## Monthly usage

	Base Rate	Gas Cost Recovery <u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
First 1,000 cubic feet or less (Minimum Bill)	\$3.9883	\$ 3.2772	\$ 7.2655
Next 4,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.4565	3.2772	4.7337
Next 5,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.3970	3.2772	4.6742
Over 10,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.2228	3.2772	4.5000

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