

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT)
FILING OF HERITAGE PROPANE) CASE NO. 2012-00007
D/B/A BRIGHT'S PROPANE SERVICE)

O R D E R

On February 15, 1991, in Case No. 1990-00091,¹ the Commission approved rates for Bright's Propane Service, Inc. ("Bright's Propane") and provided for their further adjustment on a quarterly basis in accordance with Bright's Propane's Gas Cost Adjustment ("GCA") clause. On March 5, 2008, Heritage Propane acquired the assets of the former Bright's Propane and adopted Bright's Propane's tariffs.

On January 9, 2012, Bright's Propane filed its proposed GCA to be effective February 1, 2012.

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

1. Bright's Propane's notice includes revised rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected change in wholesale propane costs.
2. Bright's Propane's notice sets out an Average Gas Cost ("AGC") component of \$.04200 per cubic foot, which represents no change from the previous AGC.

¹ Case No. 1990-00091, Jurisdictional Status of Bright's Propane Service, Inc.'s Propane Distribution System (Ky. PSC Feb. 15, 1991).

3. Bright's Propane's notice sets out a total Actual Adjustment ("AA") of \$.00217 per cubic foot, which is a decrease of \$.00003 per cubic foot from the previous total AA of \$.00220 per cubic foot.

4. Bright's Propane's notice sets out \$.015 per cubic foot to recover overhead operating costs as approved in its tariff.

5. Bright's Propane's GCA is \$.05917 per cubic foot, which is a decrease of \$.00003 per cubic foot from the previous rate of \$.05920 per cubic foot.

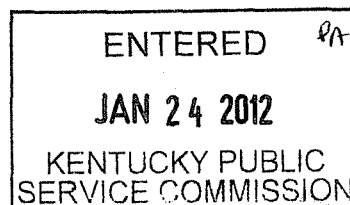
6. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable, and should be approved; because the change in rates is a decrease, it should be approved for final meter readings on and after February 1, 2012 despite the lack of 30 days' notice.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates in the Appendix, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are approved for final meter readings on and after February 1, 2012.

2. Within 20 days from the date of this Order, Bright's Propane shall file its revised tariffs with this Commission setting out the rates approved herein and reflecting that they were approved pursuant to this Order.

By the Commission



ATTEST:


Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2012-00007 DATED JAN 24 2012

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Heritage Operating L/P D/B/A Bright's Propane Service, Inc. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

RATES: Monthly

All Propane	\$.05917 per cubic foot
Minimum Bill (First 400 Cubic feet or less)	\$ 23.67

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