

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC PURCHASED GAS)
ADJUSTMENT FILING OF DUKE) CASE NO.
ENERGY KENTUCKY, INC.) 2018-00162

ORDER

On December 29, 2009, in Case No. 2009-00202,¹ the Commission approved rates for Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (“Duke”) and provided for their further adjustment in accordance with Duke’s Gas Cost Adjustment (“GCA”) clause.

On June 7, 2018, Duke filed its GCA to be effective June 29, 2018. On June 19, 2018, Duke filed supplemental information in this matter.

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

1. Duke’s notice includes rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected change in gas costs.
2. Duke’s notice sets out an Expected Gas Cost (“EGC”) of \$3.949 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.190 per Mcf from its previous EGC of \$3.759 per Mcf.
3. Duke’s notice sets out no current quarter Refund Adjustment (“RA”). Duke’s total RA is (\$.017) per Mcf, which is no change from its previous total RA.

¹ Case No. 2009-00202, *Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. for an Adjustment of Rates* (Ky. PSC Dec. 29, 2009)

4. Duke's notice sets out a current quarter Actual Adjustment ("AA") of \$.104 per Mcf. Duke's total AA is \$.232 per Mcf, which is no change from its previous total AA.

5. Duke's notice sets out a current quarter Balance Adjustment ("BA") of (\$.004) per Mcf. Duke's total BA is \$.025 per Mcf, which is no change from its previous total BA.

6. Duke's GCA is \$4.189 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.190 per Mcf from its previous GCA of \$3.999 per Mcf.

7. The rates as proposed by Duke and set forth in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for final meter readings by Duke on and after June 29, 2018.

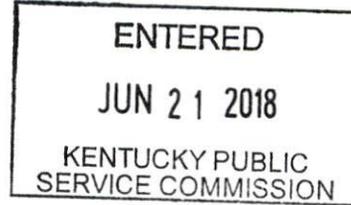
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates proposed by Duke and set forth in the Appendix to this Order are approved for final meter readings on and after June 29, 2018.

2. Within 20 days of the date of entry of this Order, Duke shall file with this Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, revised tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein and reflecting that they were approved pursuant to this Order.

3. This case is closed and removed from the Commission's docket.

By the Commission



ATTEST:


Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2018-00162 DATED **JUN 21 2018**

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Duke Energy Kentucky, 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.

GAS SERVICE RATES

RATE RS
RESIDENTIAL SERVICE

	<u>Base</u> <u>Rate</u>		<u>Gas Cost</u> <u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>Rate</u>
Commodity Charge for All Ccf Consumed	\$.37213	plus	\$.41890	\$.79103

RATE GS
GENERAL SERVICE

	<u>Base</u> <u>Rate</u>		<u>Gas Cost</u> <u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>Rate</u>
Commodity Charge for All Ccf Consumed	\$.20530	plus	\$.41890	\$.62420

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