

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

JOEY HODGES )

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ALLEGED VIOLATION OF UNDERGROUND )  
FACILITY DAMAGE PREVENTION ACT )

CASE NO.  
2019-00336

ORDER

On September 17, 2019, the Commission ordered Joey Hodges (Mr. Hodges) to submit a written response on or before October 21, 2019, to the allegations contained in the Staff Incident Report for Incident No. 21169, which was attached as an Appendix to the Commission's Order. The Commission further ordered Mr. Hodges to appear at a hearing to be held in this matter on November 22, 2019, at 9 a.m. Eastern Standard Time, in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard.

On November 12, 2019, the Commission received a check in the amount of \$500 for payment of Incident No. 21169. A copy of the receipt for that payment is attached to this Order as an Appendix.

The Commission finds that Mr. Hodges has addressed to its satisfaction the probable violation cited by Staff in the Incident Report. The Commission further finds the Commission's investigation of this incident should be closed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Mr. Hodges' payment of Staff's proposed penalty resolves the alleged violation that was the subject of the Incident Report.

2. Mr. Hodges' payment of Staff's proposed penalty is not an admission by Mr. Hodges that he willfully violated any provision of KRS Chapter 367 or any administrative regulation promulgated pursuant thereto.

3. The Commission's investigation of this incident is closed.

4. The November 22, 2019 hearing is canceled.

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

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By the Commission

Commissioner Talina Mathews did not participate in this case.

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SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director

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APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2019-00336 DATED **NOV 15 2019**

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RECEIPT OF PAYMENT

This is to acknowledge receipt of check 3246 for \$500.00 payable to Kentucky State Treasurer on November 12, 2019 from Joey Hodges. The check represents payment of penalty as set out in the Demand Letter of July 1, 2019 - Incident #21169.



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Gwen R. Pinson  
Executive Director  
Dated November 12, 2019

Joey Hodges  
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