

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE	)	
GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR	)	CASE NO.
APPROVAL OF REVISED GAS LINE TRACKER	)	2022-00056
RATES EFFECTIVE FOR SERVICES RENDERED	)	
ON AND AFTER MAY 1, 2022	)	

ORDER

On March 1, 2022, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) submitted an application requesting to revise rates for its Gas Line Tracker Adjustment Clause (GLT) effective May 1, 2022, pursuant to the Commission’s Order in Case No. 2012-00222<sup>1</sup> approving the GLT program and associated rates. There are no Intervenors in this proceeding. This case now stands submitted for decision.

KRS 278.509 states that “Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, upon application by a regulated utility, the commission may allow recovery of costs for investment in natural gas pipeline replacement programs which are not recovered in the existing rates of a regulated utility. No recovery shall be allowed unless the costs shall have been deemed by the commission to be fair, just, and reasonable.”

Based upon its application, LG&E’s revenue requirement eligible for recovery under its GLT mechanism for 2022 is \$6,711,424 related to distribution projects.<sup>2</sup> During

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<sup>1</sup> Case No. 2012-00222, *Application of Louisville Gas and Electric Company for an Adjustment of Its Electric and Gas Rates, a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, Approval of Ownership of Gas Service Lines and Risers, and a Gas Line Surcharge* (Ky. PSC Dec. 20, 2012).

<sup>2</sup> See Application, Exhibit 2.

2021, LG&E had a total under collection of \$1,437,711,<sup>3</sup> related to distribution and transmission projects which it proposes to include as a charge to its 2022 revenue requirement in order to collect through its GLT balancing adjustment for 2021.

In order to aid in the timely review of LG&E's GLT rate application, the Commission finds that LG&E's applications for a revision in GLT rates shall include an electronic version of the supporting calculations and exhibits used to compute the GLT rates in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas intact and unprotected, and with all columns and rows accessible.

Having reviewed the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that the information contained in LG&E's filing is in sufficient detail to support the reasonableness of LG&E's revised GLT rates.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The GLT rates in the Appendix to this Order are approved for service rendered by LG&E on and after May 1, 2022.
2. LG&E's future applications for a revision in GLT rates shall include an electronic version containing the supporting calculations and exhibits used to compute the GLT rates in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas intact and unprotected, and with all columns and rows accessible.
3. Within 20 days of the date of entry of this Order, LG&E 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.

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<sup>3</sup> See Application, Exhibit 2.

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

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



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ATTEST:

  
Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2022-00056 DATED

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Louisville Gas and Electric Company. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under the authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of the Order.

Gas Line Tracker Rates:

	Distribution Projects <u>(\$/delivery point)</u>	Transmission Projects <u>(\$/Ccf)</u>
RGS, VFD	\$ 1.39	\$ 0.00256
CGS, SSGS	\$ 6.91	\$ 0.00204
IGS, AAGS, DGGS	\$ 94.58	\$ 0.00132
FT, LGDS	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00015

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