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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION)
OF JURISDICTIONAL STATUS)
OF EAST KENTUCKY)
MIDSTREAM, LLC, AND OF ITS) Case No.
COMPLIANCE WITH KRS) 2022-00238
CHAPTER 278, 807 KAR)
CHAPTER 005, AND 49 CFR)
PARTS 191 AND 192)

VIDEO DEPOSITION OF MICHAEL HARRIS

On the 22nd day of June, 2023,
beginning at approximately 11:08 a.m., at the
Carter County Courthouse, 100 West Main Street,
Grayson, Kentucky, before me, Jo Ann Betler,
Registered Diplomate Reporter and Notary Public,
appeared MICHAEL HARRIS, Witness, who being by
me first duly sworn, gave his oral deposition in
the causes pursuant to notice of counsel and for
the respective parties as hereinafter set forth.

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VIDEO INTRODUCTION

VIDEO SPECIALIST: We are now on the record.

This is the videotaped deposition of Michael Harris. We are beginning at 11:08 a.m. Thursday, the 22nd day of June, 2023, at the Carter County Courthouse in Grayson, Kentucky.

The court reporter is Jo Ann Betler. I'm the videographer, Deborah Greathouse.

Counsel, please identify yourselves for the record, plaintiff's counsel first, and then the court reporter may swear in the witness.

MS. CANFIELD: Jessica Norris Canfield, Public Service Commission.

MS. FREDERICK: Tina Carson Frederick, Public Service Commission.

MS. HONAKER: Allyson Honaker, Kentucky Frontier.

MS. ECKERT: Kathryn Eckert, East Kentucky Midstream.

MR. BENTLEY: Jason Bentley, East Kentucky Midstream.

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PROCEEDINGS

MICHAEL HARRIS was thereupon called as a witness and, after having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

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EXAMINATION

BY MS. CANFIELD:

Q. Mr. Harris, where are you employed?

A. Kentucky Frontier Gas.

Q. And what is your position there?

A. I'm the operations supervisor.

Q. What does that position entail?

A. Daily -- daily operations of our business, turn ons, turn offs, sending people out, fixing line breaks, 811s, compliance.

Q. Okay. So were you familiar with the sale of Jefferson Gas to East Kentucky Midstream?

A. Yeah.

Q. Okay. Were you presented materials when Jefferson Gas became available for sale?

A. Yes.

1 Q. That was part of your position with
2 Kentucky Frontier?

3 A. Yes. We were doing some due
4 diligence, because we were looking into purchase
5 -- purchasing Jefferson Gas.

6 Q. Okay. Did those materials describe
7 the structure of East Kentucky Midstream's
8 system?

9 A. Yeah. I mean, it is -- it is now
10 part of East Kentucky Midstream, yes.

11 Q. Okay. Or what Jefferson Gas system
12 was?

13 A. Yeah.

14 Q. Sorry about that.

15 And then do you work with East
16 Kentucky Midstream's system?

17 A. Yes. Yes, we work hand in hand on
18 -- on some 811s now that we've had some issues
19 with. We work -- monthly we send them reports
20 of all of our farm tap usage on their system so
21 they can properly bill us for the gas that was
22 sold on their system.

23 Q. Can you talk a little bit more
24 about that relationship with Frontier's
25 customers and East Kentucky Midstream?

1 A. So Jefferson Gas, when they -- when
2 they, I guess, opted to sell their systems of
3 Jackson, Campton, Hazel Green, Cliffview, their
4 actual gas systems, they sold those. And then
5 in the sale -- and this was not to us, this was
6 a sale to Gas Natural, an Ohio company.

7 They also sold, you know, had random
8 farm taps or what was called farm taps that was
9 meters that the company would have to sell gas
10 to customers. Then you would have to give
11 Jefferson the volumes to properly bill, and they
12 were not systems or pipelines that was purchased
13 by the company.

14 Q. Okay. And so those systems are now
15 part of?

16 A. EKM.

17 Q. Okay. And then Frontier's
18 relationship to EKM is through the meter?

19 A. Yes. So basically Frontier owns
20 the meter. Frontier buys the gas from EKM
21 through the meter. And then after it goes
22 through the meter, it's essentially immediately
23 the customer's.

24 Q. Okay.

25 A. So basically we're billing for the

1 gas that the customer uses at our rate and then
2 they send us a bill for their rate on the gas.

3 Q. Okay. So through this relationship
4 on the farm taps with the EKM system, you are
5 familiar with the EKM system.

6 Correct?

7 A. Yes. I'm pretty -- I mean, I don't
8 know everything, but I'm pretty familiar with
9 it.

10 Q. Okay. The EKM system that you were
11 familiar with, would you describe that as a
12 gathering system?

13 MS. ECKERT: Object to the form.

14 BY MS. CANFIELD:

15 Q. Is the EKM system a gathering
16 system?

17 MS. ECKERT: Objection. Calls for
18 a legal conclusion.

19 BY MS. CANFIELD:

20 Q. Would you describe the EKM system
21 as you perceive it?

22 A. I would describe the EKM system --
23 and like I said, I don't know everything about
24 it, but I would describe it much as the system
25 of Frontier Gas in the Magoffin County area. We

1 buy gas from gas wells. We sell to the
2 customer.

3 Q. Okay. And Frontier is not a
4 gathering system.

5 Correct?

6 A. No. It is not a gathering company.

7 Q. Okay. What kind of system is
8 Frontier?

9 A. It is considered a distribution
10 system. Everything we have.

11 Q. Okay. And what about the EKM
12 system that you're familiar with is similar to
13 the Frontier distribution system?

14 A. They'll buy gas from major
15 pipelines. They'll buy gas from local
16 production. And then they sell to their
17 customers, which would be their farm taps. They
18 would serve our farm taps. They would serve
19 Frontier. They would serve the city of West
20 Liberty. They would serve the state prison in
21 West Liberty. And like I said, several places
22 to Frontier.

23 Q. Could you tell me anything that you
24 know about line A-3 on the EKM system from
25 Royalton to Louisa?

1 A. So A-3, to my knowledge, was an old
2 -- it's an old line that -- that I don't really
3 know what it does besides serve customers.

4 Q. Okay. What about --

5 A. I mean, there was always a
6 potential. At one time A-3 has got taps in the
7 Louisa area on -- which is now TC Energy. There
8 used to be taps along that line that was active,
9 I believe, but they're no longer active.
10 They're not -- you know, they're not using those
11 taps to sell into the Columbia or TC Energy
12 line. And basically I'm pretty sure that that
13 line is just there to serve the customers that's
14 connected to it.

15 Q. Can you tell me anything you know
16 about line A-2 from Royalton to Hazel Green?

17 A. Royalton to Hazel Green, the lines
18 there -- I mean, it's there to serve us,
19 Frontier, and lines along the -- or the
20 customers along that -- their pipeline. I'm
21 pretty sure that that gas would feed into the J
22 line. And the J line is connected to
23 TC Energy in Butcher Hollow, which they've -- I
24 may sometimes sell gas into. I'm not sure. I
25 know in the wintertime they do not. I don't

1 know about the summertime.

2 Q. Will you tell me anything you know
3 about line A-1 from Hazel Green to Campton and
4 beyond Campton?

5 A. That's just to serve Campton and
6 Cliffview and the customers along the pipeline
7 of that.

8 Q. Okay. Can you tell me anything you
9 know about the C line from Hazel Green to KZ?

10 A. Well, I mean, I know that they're
11 claiming that is a transmission line, and, you
12 know, they're taking gas from the KZ line coming
13 south towards Jackson and Hazel Green from --
14 and they're basically getting the gas from Means
15 in the wintertime, because that's their major
16 supply of gas that runs through the KZ line to
17 the C line.

18 Q. Okay. And when you say major
19 supply of gas --

20 A. Well, it's on a FERC-regulated
21 pipeline they're buying gas from.

22 Q. Okay. And can you tell me more --
23 anything else you know about the KZ line in
24 general?

25 A. KZ line used to be a Columbia

1 trans- -- a Columbia Gas transmission pipeline
2 that served the city of Frenchburg and the city
3 of West Liberty. And it also had a KZ West,
4 which went -- I don't know where it ended at,
5 but it went towards Winchester. They may have
6 sold gas to Winchester at one time. And then
7 they wanted to abandon sections of it, and then
8 Elam -- Elam Gas owed a big, huge debt and that
9 was -- that was out of West Liberty, and
10 basically the line from Frenchburg to West
11 Liberty was really useless to them because it
12 was going to nowhere and nobody was paying the
13 bills.

14 So they were wanting to shut it
15 down. They were wanting to shut the pipeline
16 down. And I'm pretty sure that's when Jefferson
17 stepped in and they wanted to take over the
18 pipeline, and then they would have the major
19 meter at Means and they would also have the
20 sales to West Liberty and the farm taps and the
21 sales to the West Liberty prison. So they
22 wanted to take over that pipeline.

23 Q. Okay. So in your experience
24 working around the system, are there any
25 specific areas that appear to be distribution

1 similar to Frontier?

2 A. Yeah. There's -- there's several
3 places down on 205. There's Bearpen Hollow has
4 got -- you know, there may be a mile or, you
5 know, plus sections of lines that are -- we're
6 calling them farm tap customers because they're
7 not -- they're not -- we don't have a master
8 meter that measures the one gas to 50 customers
9 or a hundred customers. So to us they're farm
10 taps because we don't own any of the pipelines.
11 So there's Bearpen. And it's got -- there is a
12 well there, and I know that they'll take gas out
13 in the summertime. And then there's a regulator
14 set there that when the pressure drops low
15 enough, the gas will then go back up the
16 pipeline in the wintertime just to be sure that
17 the customers have gas. So I know there is a
18 well there, but I don't know their production of
19 it or anything like that.

20 Q. But you are familiar with the fact
21 that they're being served by other gas on that
22 well?

23 A. Yeah. Yes. Yes, other gas besides
24 the well. And there's a lot of places to where
25 there's -- there's our customers and EKM

1 customers, you know, right -- right beside each
2 other or within reason.

3 Q. What county is Bearpen Hollow?

4 A. It's in Campton, so I guess that's
5 Wolfe County.

6 Is that right?

7 Q. Campton?

8 A. It's right outside of Campton.

9 MS. CANFIELD: I don't think I have
10 any other questions at this moment.

11 MR. BENTLEY: I think we're going
12 to have some.

13 MS. CANFIELD: Do we need to break?

14 MR. BENTLEY: Yes, let's take a
15 break.

16 VIDEO SPECIALIST: We are off the
17 record at 11:23 a.m.

18 (A recess was taken, after which the
19 proceedings were resumed as follows.)

20 VIDEO SPECIALIST: Okay. We are
21 back on the record at 11:30 a.m.

22 BY MS. CANFIELD:

23 Q. Mr. Harris, when you were talking
24 about the EKM customers and the Frontier
25 customers being placed next to each other, what

1 kind of customers are those for Frontier?

2 A. Well, those are -- those would be
3 farm taps. I mean, what we would call farm
4 taps, where we don't own any lines.

5 Q. Okay. And where does that gas come
6 from for those customers?

7 A. EKM.

8 Q. Okay. And where would the main
9 line be located?

10 A. The main line could be a hundred
11 foot away, it could be 5 foot away. It could be
12 thousands of feet away.

13 Q. So you're saying it varies based on
14 the customer?

15 Are you familiar with the school in
16 Johnson County?

17 A. Highland Elementary, yes.

18 Q. Okay. Could you tell me about that
19 service?

20 A. That service is tapped off of their
21 main line. There's a mile of line, I would say,
22 running adjacent to 23, and the meter is sitting
23 at the back of the school. I think I even have
24 some pictures of it, I believe.

25 Q. And that is not a Frontier

1 customer?

2 A. They're not a Frontier customer,
3 no. I actually was contacted about checking on
4 a service for a car lot there, Discount Auto
5 Brokers, that I thought we were going to get as
6 a customer, but we didn't get them as a
7 customer. Jefferson got them as a customer.

8 Q. Okay. So they were previously a
9 customer of Jefferson Gas?

10 A. Well, no. That would have been a
11 brand-new service.

12 Q. Okay.

13 A. So they were -- they didn't have
14 any service at all, but they kind of contacted
15 us and asked us about it. And then the next
16 thing I knew, they ended up being a Jefferson
17 customer.

18 Q. Okay. And so now --

19 A. And not Frontier.

20 Q. So they're now an East Kentucky
21 Midstream customer currently?

22 A. Yes.

23 MS. FREDERICK: What kind of
24 customer would they have been for Frontier?

25 THE WITNESS: They would have been

1 a farm tap. Yeah, they would have been a farm
2 tap. And we would have called the Public
3 Service Commission and got an inspection, and
4 they would have been a Frontier customer on an
5 EKM system.

6 MS. CANFIELD: No further
7 questions.

8 MS. ECKERT: I have some questions.

9 THE WITNESS: Okay.

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EXAMINATION

13 BY MS. ECKERT:

14 Q. Kathryn Eckert, again for East
15 Kentucky Midstream.

16 What's your background in the oil
17 and gas industry?

18 A. Well, I have -- when I was in high
19 school, my grandfather owned a company called
20 East Kentucky Utilities, which Frontier now
21 owns. When I was in school and the summers, I
22 worked at the gas company in the summers
23 painting meters and working on meter houses and
24 painting and cutting weeds. And I done that
25 every summer in high school. Then I got out of

1 school and I went a different direction. I
2 worked on a strip job for a little while. But
3 I've been in the oil and gas business, in
4 distribution, for 20-plus years.

5 Q. How long have you been with
6 Kentucky Frontier?

7 A. I was -- it would have been 2008 or
8 '9. 2008, I believe. November 2008.

9 Q. Did you work at any utilities prior
10 to 2008?

11 A. Yeah, which was East Kentucky
12 Utilities.

13 Q. Well, immediately prior was my
14 question or meant to be my question.

15 A. Immediate prior to that I worked
16 for Interstate Natural Gas, which owns -- which
17 owned a lot of gas wells that used to be Nytis
18 Exploration, now Diversified owns. So I worked
19 for Interstate Natural Gas.

20 Q. Do you handle 811 calls yourself?

21 A. Heather at the office, she -- she
22 is the one that does most of all of our 811s.
23 I'm involved in 811s on who I'm going to send
24 out, and then if there's questions when they go
25 out there, then I'm usually the one that tries

1 to answer the questions for them or go out there
2 myself if I need.

3 Q. Can you walk us through the process
4 of responding to an 811 call for Kentucky
5 Frontier farm tap customer?

6 A. So a Kentucky Frontier Gas farm tap
7 customers -- Kentucky Frontier Gas has not --
8 does not own any pipelines. So we were not
9 doing 811s for any of -- any of those pipelines.
10 Or anything that was a farm tap, because we've
11 got Kinzer farm taps. We've got Nytis farm
12 taps. We've got -- or now Diversified Oil &
13 Gas. We've got EKM farm taps. And so it was
14 not until we were getting 811s on a project that
15 EKM just said that they were not going to go
16 locate, and I had contacted the Public Service
17 Commission about, well, what should Frontier do?
18 Should Frontier -- I mean, we don't feel -- we
19 don't know anything about their system. We
20 don't feel comfortable doing 811s or doing
21 locates with them. And we actually had a little
22 hearing on that of what we were going to do.
23 And Frontier has agreed to help and work hand in
24 hand with EKM on some of the farm taps that
25 could affect our customers. And so we're --

1 we're just doing it for the safety of everybody
2 until we figure something out.

3 Q. Okay. And, you know, you send
4 someone from your office to go physically arrive
5 at the farm tap location --

6 A. With an EKM employee, yeah.

7 Q. And that's been the process that's
8 been in place for how long?

9 A. I'm not sure. Four months, five
10 months.

11 We had -- we had one instance years
12 ago. I mean, I would have to go back to -- I
13 don't have the information on me. We had an
14 incident years ago where a guy hit a 1-inch gas
15 line in a farm tap area in the Denver area of
16 Johnson County, and they were a customer of
17 Frontier, and they broke the gas line. And I
18 had called Jefferson -- I had called Jack Banks
19 with Jefferson and told him about the pipeline
20 that had been broken, and he said he would get
21 somebody out there.

22 And that was fairly early one day.
23 I don't know the times or anything right now.

24 And then late that evening, they
25 called and said, Is anybody going to come and

1 check this gas?

2 It's blowing. So it had blowed for
3 numerous hours, and it was not Frontier's gas
4 blowing.

5 Q. But this was Jefferson --

6 A. Yeah.

7 Q. -- Gas at the time?

8 A. Yes, it was Jefferson Gas at the
9 time. It was not EK -- but I'm giving you an
10 example of some issues that has been out there.

11 Q. Well, again, we're focusing on East
12 Kentucky Midstream today. I'm not asking about
13 Jefferson Gas at this time. Thank you.

14 You also testified earlier that you
15 had knowledge of the EKM system and walked us
16 through some of that.

17 Correct?

18 A. Um-hum.

19 Q. Have you ever worked for East
20 Kentucky Midstream?

21 A. No.

22 Q. Have you ever worked, you know,
23 servicing any of those lines of East Kentucky
24 Midstream?

25 A. Yeah. I actually have had to

1 service a line that was a customer of ours and
2 they refused to do it, and they refused to fix
3 their line because they were a customer of
4 Frontier's.

5 Q. A Kentucky farm tap -- Kentucky
6 Frontier?

7 A. A Kentucky Frontier farm tap, which
8 we don't own any lines. A farm tap, the meter
9 should be at the main.

10 And they refused to fix the line.
11 And we did fix the line, and we sent EKM a
12 notice that we done it, and we fixed it. Got
13 the gas back on.

14 Q. So I think in a broader sense, you
15 walked us through a pretty robust discussion at
16 the beginning of the deposition where you, you
17 know, told us all these things about the
18 different lines, you know. Jefferson wanted to
19 do this, for example. You know, so on and so
20 forth. Where did you come by that knowledge?

21 A. Mostly during our due diligence to
22 purchasing the pipeline, which was given to us
23 by Jack Banks, by their lawyer at the time -- I
24 don't recall his name right offhand -- and
25 Copper Run, which was the people trying to sell

1 the company.

2 Q. But you never worked directly for
3 Jefferson Gas.

4 Correct?

5 A. No.

6 Q. Okay. So you weren't necessarily
7 privy to their discussions about, you know, any
8 decisions that went into, you know, how they
9 built their system.

10 Correct?

11 A. No.

12 MR. BENTLEY: Is it okay if I ask a
13 question?

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16 EXAMINATION

17 BY MR. BENTLEY:

18 Q. So tell me about your time at
19 Interstate Gas.

20 A. Um-hum.

21 Q. Did you -- what was your
22 responsibility there?

23 A. I built well locations and I done
24 reclamation and I worked in the pipeline side.

25 Q. So production gathering?

1 A. Um-hum.

2 Q. Did Interstate Gas own a gathering
3 system?

4 A. They did.

5 Q. Okay. Did they have farm tap
6 customers?

7 A. They do.

8 Q. Okay.

9 MR. BENTLEY: That's all I've got.

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12 EXAMINATION

13 BY MS. ECKERT:

14 Q. I just wanted to clarify something
15 I heard in your testimony earlier. You said
16 that if you had provided service for the car
17 lot, it would have been a farm tap customer?

18 A. Um-hum. Yes.

19 MS. ECKERT: I think that's all my
20 questions for right now.

21 MS. HONAKER: I have a couple
22 redirect.

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EXAMINATION

BY MS. HONAKER:

Q. I want to take you back to some of Ms. Norris Canfield's questions early on when you were talking about when Jefferson decided to sell off some of their system to Gas Natural.

A. Um-hum.

Q. And you were talking about the Jackson system, the Campton system, going through that. And then you went on to talk about some other things about farm taps and she asked about the systems. I think you said that those were EKM systems now?

A. No. Those are Frontier gas systems. We own the pipelines and the customers.

Q. And that's at Jackson and Campton and those areas?

A. Jackson, Campton, Pine Ridge, Cliffview, and Hazel Green.

Q. Okay. I just wanted to clear that up, because I think you were talking about the farm tap things that she was asking, but --

A. Those are Frontier gas customers.

1 And the Bearpen is close to Campton, so like
2 I've got a pipeline here and my pipeline stops
3 here, and theirs keeps going. So we -- I guess
4 I've got -- I've got customers here close to the
5 system, but there's also farm taps real close
6 that are -- that are EKM's or ours. They could
7 be both.

8 I've also got -- you know, I've got
9 a map kind of show you if anybody wanted to see
10 any of it would be fine.

11 Q. Okay. And then she also asked you
12 about describing places where EKM's system looks
13 like what Kentucky Frontier's distribution
14 system is.

15 A. Um-hum.

16 Q. And you talked about Bearpen
17 Hollow?

18 A. Yeah.

19 Q. Are there others?

20 A. Yeah. There's Cannel City is a
21 place. Wolverine, which is in Jackson is also
22 the same.

23 Q. Can you kind of describe those to
24 me, what you're talking about, that those look
25 like a Kentucky Frontier -- what is considered

1 distribution for you all?

2 A. Yeah. Basically there's pipelines
3 -- there's a pipeline along the road or the
4 highway or the highway or -- could be in the
5 mountains that serve customers across the road
6 from it or -- and there's also, you know, like I
7 said, EKM and Frontier Gas customers along this.
8 There could be connected wells, but -- that they
9 buy gas from. But still again, it's -- you
10 know, they're buying gas from a well, and
11 serving customers just like Frontier.

12 Q. Okay. And so when you're saying
13 that there's a pipe, so they will have a main
14 pipeline, but then there's pipelines that come
15 off of that and then meters are set off of those
16 lines, not the main line; is that what you're
17 talking about?

18 A. Yes. Yes. And these pipelines are
19 not the typical A-1, A-2, C line. These are
20 whatever -- I don't know.

21 Q. What you-all would call
22 distribution lines in your system?

23 A. Yeah, I would. Yeah.

24 Q. And we were talking about the
25 school. And I think you said that was Highland

1 Elementary.

2 Is that correct?

3 A. Yes.

4 Q. And then we were talking about the
5 Discount Auto Brokers that's near there?

6 A. Yeah.

7 Q. And that that was maybe going to be
8 a customer of your alls?

9 A. The Discount Auto Brokers was. The
10 Highland Elementary has always been a customer
11 of Jefferson now EKM from, I guess, the day that
12 the school was built. It's a fairly new school.

13 Q. Okay.

14 A. And this was before these
15 transactions were done.

16 Q. Okay. And the school is not --
17 their meter is not at EKM's main line.

18 Correct?

19 A. No. The school's is directly
20 behind the school. Like against the wall on the
21 back of the school.

22 Q. Okay. And how is the auto brokers
23 connected to EKM's line?

24 A. It's on the same tap. I think
25 they're using the same regulator that serves the

1 school and Discount Auto Brokers. I'm not a
2 hundred percent sure on where the meter is at
3 Discount Auto Brokers, I don't recall, like,
4 seeing that one. I've not looked for it. But
5 I'm pretty sure it's on the same tap.

6 Q. Okay. And there was questions
7 about the auto brokers possibly being a customer
8 of Kentucky Frontier, and that they would have
9 been a farm tap?

10 A. Yeah.

11 Q. Would you have set that meter at
12 EKM's main line?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. If you had been the one to set that
15 meter?

16 A. Yes. I would have set the meter at
17 the EKM main line. I would have had to got EKM
18 to tap their line or whatever, but --

19 Q. And would you have called the
20 Public Service Commission to come and inspect
21 that?

22 A. Yes, we would have done an
23 inspection.

24 MS. HONAKER: Okay. I think that
25 clears up the questions I had.

1 MS. ECKERT: I have some redirect.

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4 EXAMINATION

5 BY MS. ECKERT:

6 Q. You know, we just talked about the
7 school. So you don't know when that meter was
8 installed.

9 Is that correct?

10 A. No. I mean, like I said, it's a
11 newer school, but it's more than ten years old.

12 Q. Okay. And so you don't know the
13 circumstances that caused that meter to be
14 placed.

15 Is that correct?

16 A. I have no idea.

17 Q. You're not aware of any
18 conversations that the PSC had with Jefferson
19 Gas about the need for the school to have --
20 gas?

21 A. I didn't get in the middle of that,
22 no.

23 Q. So you don't really have any direct
24 knowledge of why --

25 A. I just know the meter's there.

1 Q. Wait a second. Let me finish my
2 question so I can get it out. Thank you.

3 A. Sorry.

4 Q. So you don't have any actual
5 knowledge of why the decision was made for that
6 to be done the way it is.

7 Correct?

8 A. Nope.

9 Q. You're just speculating?

10 MS. HONAKER: I object. He's not
11 speculating. He said he's seen the meter and
12 knows where it is at.

13 MS. ECKERT: But he's not been part
14 of any conversations with the PSC or with
15 Jefferson Gas as to why it was placed.

16 MS. HONAKER: And he didn't testify
17 to that.

18 MS. ECKERT: Okay. Anything else?
19 I think that's it for us.

20 VIDEO SPECIALIST: Okay. If there
21 are no objections, we are off the record at
22 11:49 a.m.

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Given under my hand this 24th day of
June, 2023.

My Commission expires January 8,
2025.

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