## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT ) CASE NO. FILING OF ATMOS ENERGY CORPORATION ) 2022-00418

## ORDER

On January 31, 2023, the Commission issued an Order that suspended Atmos Energy Corporation's (Atmos) proposed Gas Cost Recovery (GCR) rates for one day, February 1, 2023, in order for Commission Staff to review Atmos's proposed Performance Based Rate Recovery Factor (PBRRF) rate.

On June 24, 2024, Atmos filed its notice of intent to file an application for its PBRRF mechanism, which was established as Case No. 2024-00205.<sup>1</sup> The PBRRF is approved by the Commission to exist within a given timeframe up to an established end date. Should a utility wish to request an extension of the PBRRF mechanism, it must file before the Commission and provide sufficient evidence that supports the reasonableness of its mechanism.

Given the opening of the PBRRF case in Case No. 2024-00205, the Commission finds the current status of Case No. 2022-00418 to be duplicative. Instead, a more thorough review of Atmos's PBRRF mechanism will be undertaken in Case No. 2024-00205. The Commission further finds, without additional inquiry, that the GCR rate report

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Case No. 2024-00205, Electronic Application of Atmos Energy Corporation for Performance Based Ratemaking Mechanism (filed Aug. 30, 2024).

for rates proposed facially appears to be correctly calculated based on the information provided and does not require the issuance of a refund or recredit.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this case be closed and removed from the Commission's docket.

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