

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF DUKE ENERGY)	CASE NO.
KENTUCKY, INC. FOR 1) AN ADJUSTMENT OF)	2025-00125
THE NATURAL GAS RATES; 2) APPROVAL OF)	
NEW TARIFFS; AND 3) ALL OTHER REQUIRED)	
APPROVALS, WAIVERS, AND RELIEF	


NOTICE OF FILING

Notice is given to all parties that the following materials have been filed into the record of this proceeding:

- The digital video recording of the evidentiary hearing conducted on October 28, 2025 in this proceeding;
- Certification of the accuracy and correctness of the digital video recording; and
- A written log listing, *inter alia*, the date and time of where each witness's testimony begins and ends on the digital video recording of the evidentiary hearing conducted on October 28, 2025.

A copy of this Notice, the certification of the digital video record, and the hearing log has been served upon all persons listed at the end of this Notice. Parties may view the digital video recording of the hearing at <https://youtu.be/dQ9cb0OuNcI>.

Done on this day, December 16, 2025.



Linda C. Bridwell, PE
Executive Director

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ADJUSTMENT OF THE NATURAL GAS RATES;)	CASE NO.
2) APPROVAL OF NEW TARIFFS; AND 3) ALL)	2025-00125
OTHER REQUIRED APPROVALS, WAIVERS,)	
AND RELIEF)	

CERTIFICATION

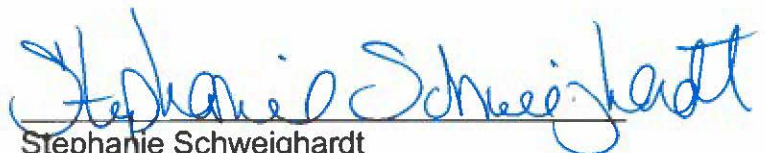
I, Candace H. Sacre, hereby certify that:

1. I am responsible for the preparation of the electronic files containing the recording of the Formal Hearing conducted in the above-styled proceeding on October 28, 2025. The Formal Hearing Log is included with the recording on October 28, 2025.
2. The recording accurately and correctly depicts the Formal Hearing of October 28, 2025; and
3. The Formal Hearing Log accurately and correctly states the events that occurred at the Formal Hearing on October 28, 2025, and the time at which each occurred.

Signed this 16th day of December, 2025.



Candace H. Sacre
Administrative Specialist Senior



Stephanie Schweighardt
Kentucky State at Large ID# KYNP64180
Commission Expires: January 14, 2027



Session Report - Detail

2025-00125 28Oct2025

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (Duke
Kentucky)

Date:	Type:	Location:	Department:
10/28/2025	Public Hearing\Public Comments	Hearing Room 1	Hearing Room 1 (HR 1)

Witness: Jefferson Brown; Daniel Dane; Douglas Heitkamp; Sara Lawler; Bruce Sailers; Amy Spiller
Judge: Angie Hatton; Mary Pat Regan; Andrew Wood
Clerk: Candace Sacre

Event Time	Log Event
9:07:23 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Preliminary remarks.
9:07:23 AM	Session Started
9:07:41 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Introductions.
9:07:50 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Hearing recommendations.
9:08:14 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Entry of appearance of counsel.
9:08:25 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky Note: Sacre, Candace Rocco D'Ascenzo, appearing with me is Larisa Vaysman, Sheena McGee, and Valerie Herring.
9:08:40 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Witnesses that remain?
9:08:43 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky Note: Sacre, Candace Amy Spiller, Sarah Lawler, Jay Brown, Doug Heitkamp, Bruce Sailers, and Dan Dane.
9:09:06 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace For the Attorney General?
9:09:09 AM	Asst Atty General Goad Note: Sacre, Candace Angela Goad, and due to proposed settlement, all of our witnesses excused.
9:09:17 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace For staff?
9:09:19 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC Note: Sacre, Candace Whitney Saffari, Moriah Tussey, and Wright Williams.
9:09:27 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Public notice.
9:09:35 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Outstanding motions.
9:10:20 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Public comment.
9:11:23 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Settlement script read.
9:13:21 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Any further matters before presentation of evidence?
9:13:27 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Call first witness?
9:13:32 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky Note: Sacre, Candace Call Amy Spiller.

9:13:43 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Witness is sworn.
9:13:47 AM	Camera Lock Witness Activated	
9:13:48 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Name and business address?
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	Note: Sacre, Candace	Changes or corrections?
9:14:27 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Asked same questions, answers be same?
9:14:30 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Intent information be admitted into record?
9:14:38 AM	Camera Lock Deactivated	
9:14:48 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Staff?
9:14:50 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination. Copy of responses to AG's First Request?
9:15:13 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Looking for response to AG First, Item 23-B.
9:15:20 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Stipulation, Item 12, page 8, confirm total of shareholder funds to each program each year?
9:16:10 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	On top of \$50,000 total for programs or divided?
9:16:48 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Total of \$90,000 or \$140,000?
9:17:22 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Any money contributed by employees or customers voluntary, not automatically taken from customers?
9:17:36 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination (cont'd). Lead-lag study, explain why delay for late payments, such delay between bills go out and customers able to pay and receive payment?
9:18:46 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Steps Duke taking to lower lag time?
9:19:57 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Response, AG First Request, Item 23-B, available now?
9:20:14 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	In response, Duke states no allocated costs been rejected?
9:20:31 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Explain whether Duke considered review process of all allocated expenses?
9:20:57 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Aware time any Duke subsidiary rejected cost allocated on behalf of Duke Kentucky?
9:21:06 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	What happen if that would occur?
9:21:26 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Not a formal process to discuss and evaluate how expenses allocated?

9:21:40 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Duke Kentucky considered creating formal process for that?
9:21:57 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Commissioner Wood?
9:22:04 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Cash management, Duke charge deposits for gas customers?
9:22:20 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	When have gas service established, have to put money down before meter turned on?
9:22:57 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Know how much customer money Duke holds in deposits?
9:23:15 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Tell me about cash and working capital, request for amount allocated towards cash and working capital, know how much request is and basis?
9:24:00 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Tell me if Duke takes advantage of float, pay all bills as soon as receive invoice or wait until last day due or wait further into cycle before make payments?
9:24:33 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Float works to the benefit of Duke as well?
9:24:49 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. People very concerned about shutdown, LIHEAP funds not coming, Share the Light up to \$300 annual bill assistance, HEAP up to \$99 month or \$400 per crisis, understanding those two?
9:25:28 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	How qualify for those two, some qualify for both?
9:27:29 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Some customers qualify for both, separate applications, prohibited from one if have other?
9:27:47 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Expecting increase in applications in light of situation with LIHEAP?
9:28:24 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Gearing up or need extra staff or premature?
9:28:46 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Not as many below poverty line, what percentage get LIHEAP?
9:29:00 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Be significant administrative hurdle, how energy efficiency upgrade for homes work for Neighborhood Energy Saver Program, help fund upgrades to homes?
9:30:00 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Do assessment, have partners help fund it or do work?
9:30:14 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Customer satisfaction monitoring, not many say nice things about utility company?
9:30:26 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Experience surveys seem show not as mad at you, how process work, email survey, how get responses?
9:31:40 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Know what percentage customers responded?
9:32:42 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Spiller Note: Sacre, Candace	Advisory Council not something PSC ordered you do?
9:32:59 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Redirect?

9:33:14 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Call next witness.
9:33:16 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Sarah Lawler.
9:33:32 AM	Camera Lock Witness Activated	
9:33:34 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Witness is sworn.
9:33:41 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Name and business address?
9:33:58 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Direct Examination. Position with company?
9:34:08 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cause file direct, supplemental, and responses?
9:34:15 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Changes or corrections?
9:34:20 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Asked those questions again, answers be same?
9:34:26 AM	Atty D'Ascenzo Duke Kentucky - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Intent information entered into record?
9:34:34 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Staff?
9:34:37 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination. Have testimony filed in support of stipulation?
9:34:39 AM	Camera Lock Deactivated	
9:34:42 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Page 4, lines 12-13, confirm stated ROE 9.7 percent applicable current pending rider payment case or only for stipulation going forward?
9:35:12 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Not apply 2025-00229?
9:35:36 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Confirm no incentive compensation tied to financial goals removed as part of stipulation?
9:36:23 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	In terms of customer charge, explain whether affects any other proposed customer classes?
9:37:03 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	If Commission find fair just and reasonable revenue requirement decrease, Duke Kentucky preference reduction applied to specific class or across the board?
9:37:45 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Have preference whether reduction applied to customer charge or only distribution charge or both?
9:38:12 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Describe what effect have on nonrecurring charges and tariff changes proposed?
9:38:28 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Describe what effect have on nonrecurring charges and tariff changes proposed?
9:38:56 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	In post-hearing data request, ask Duke provides version of Attachment C Stipulation Agreement Excel spreadsheet with all columns and rows?
9:38:57 AM	POST-HEARING DATA REQUEST	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	STAFF ATTY SAFFARI PSC - WITNESS LAWLER

	Note: Sacre, Candace	PROVIDE VERSION OF ATTACHMENT C TO STIPULATION AGREEMENT IN EXCEL SPREADSHEET
9:39:17 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Commissioner Wood?
9:39:20 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Tell me about cash and working capital Duke has made, what have say about strategy of company is?
9:41:14 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Lawler	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	To layman, would mean Duke really good at working cash accounts and taking time pay bills versus what customers use to pay Duke??
9:41:44 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Redirect?
9:41:58 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Next witness?
9:42:02 AM	Atty Herring Duke Kentucky	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Daniel Dane, here virtually.
9:42:58 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Witness is sworn.
9:43:07 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Name and business address?
9:45:00 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Take a ten-minute break.
9:45:16 AM	Session Paused	
9:49:11 AM	Session Resumed	
9:49:57 AM	Session Paused	
9:55:47 AM	Session Resumed	
9:55:49 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Back on the record.
9:56:09 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Witness is sworn.
9:56:17 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Name and business address?
9:56:47 AM	Atty Herring Duke Kentucky - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Direct Examination. By whom employed and what position?
9:57:00 AM	Atty Herring Duke Kentucky - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cause be filed direct, rebuttal, and responses?
9:57:09 AM	Atty Herring Duke Kentucky - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Changes or corrections to any of that information?
9:57:14 AM	Atty Herring Duke Kentucky - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Asked same questions, answers be same?
9:57:20 AM	Atty Herring Duke Kentucky - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Intent information be admitted into the record?
9:57:37 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination. Copy of rebuttal in front of you?
9:57:42 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Refer to page 16, explain how prepayments of fees not already included in rate base?
9:58:50 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Has this been practice of Duke in past or accounting practices changed?
9:58:53 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Followed up in data request, confirm that?
9:58:54 AM	POST-HEARING DATA REQUEST	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	STAFF ATTY SAFFARI PSC - WITNESS DANE

	Note: Sacre, Candace	SCHEDULE SHOWING PREPAYMENT FEES ZEROED OUT IN TERMS OF WHAT APPLIED TO RATE BASE
9:59:00 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination (cont'd). Direct testimony, page 7, reading, explain why collection lag so high?
10:01:03 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Speak as to what factors Duke specifically seen impact that day?
10:01:58 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Commissioner Wood?
10:02:04 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Seems like Duke Kentucky manages cash well, what finding according to lead-lag study?
10:03:58 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Tell me whether customer deposits play role in lead-lag study?
10:05:11 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Tell me how much money company holds in deposits for customers?
10:05:29 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Hundred of thousands or millions, enough supply cash and working capital for company?
10:06:11 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Looking at exhibit that says, reading, last page in exhibits, last page, line 66, referencing property tax bill, mistake to include property tax bill from North Carolina?
10:07:57 AM	Commissioner Wood	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Not think extreme amount of money, good explanation for it.
10:08:09 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Commissioner Regan?
10:08:18 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Question about year of study, 2023?
10:08:28 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Know gas commodity prices spiked in 2023, representative year, an unusual year compared to '22 and '24, do you know?
10:10:15 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Normally when prices spike see increase in customer bills and increased delayed payments?
10:11:27 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Ways to correct for that, numbers be anomalous that year?
10:12:41 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Dane	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	During COVID, anomalies all the way around for everyone?
10:12:53 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Redirect?
10:13:09 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Next witness?
10:13:14 AM	Video Conference Deactivated	
10:13:15 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Jefferson Brown.
10:13:35 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Brown	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Name and business address?
10:13:39 AM	Camera Lock Witness Activated	
10:13:46 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky - witness Brown	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Direct Examination. Title with company?
10:13:54 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky - witness Brown	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cause testimony, rebuttal, and responses be filed?

10:14:02 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Corrections or changes?
10:14:06 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Tell us which document and page and line number?
10:14:48 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	With that correction, if had to file responses and testimony today, testimony be same?
10:14:57 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Intent, again with that correction, these documents be admitted in the record?
10:15:08 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Staff?
10:15:10 AM	Camera Lock Deactivated	
10:15:11 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination. Questions about stipulation, pages 5 and 6, Double-A Replacement Program or double replacement, saying AA Replacement or Double-A Replacement Program?
10:15:46 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Based on July 1 true-up filing, explain when Duke anticipate first CPCN filing?
10:16:26 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Possible result in year no projects being approved?
10:16:32 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Every year be something approved?
10:16:37 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Determine specific month for CPCN be filed, is month Duke thinks be best?
10:16:57 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	For true-up provision, occur on same lag?
10:17:10 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Of the following year?
10:17:30 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	For true-up after rates go into effect, that would be filed?
10:17:44 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Anticipating same lag?
10:17:51 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Page 7, annual revenue requirement cap of no more than five percent, hit cap in 2025-00229, what advantage not increasing cap or not adjusting cap?
10:19:12 AM	Staff Atty Saffari PSC - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Page 7 and page 8, ROE agreed to 9.7 percent, explain when go into effect, immediately for this rider or only effect once AMO-7 project complete?
10:19:58 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. In testimony, upcoming bid event, recall that?
10:20:09 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Happened now?
10:20:12 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Have no need to adjust or figure out confirmed expected forecasted increase or not know?
10:20:24 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Futral used 3 percent inflation rate, what rate company use?
10:21:04 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Brown Note: Sacre, Candace	Just using general inflationary budget not accurate?

10:21:25 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Redirect?
10:21:34 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky - witness Brown	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Redirect Examination. How stipulation resolve issue of leak locates?
10:22:14 AM	Chair Hatton - witness Brown	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. So \$335,647?
10:22:39 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Next witness?
10:22:47 AM	Atty Leach Duke Kentucky	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Douglas Heitkamp.
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	Note: Sacre, Candace	Asked same questions today, responses still be same?
10:23:40 AM	Atty Leach Duke Kentucky - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Intent documents be submitted as part of record?
10:23:48 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Staff?
10:23:48 AM	Camera Lock Deactivated	
10:23:52 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination. Assume have reviewed stipulation?
10:24:06 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Explain how cost allocation in stipulation addresses subsidization between rate classes?
10:24:33 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	The fixed charge decreased still not impact overall allocation subsequent to that?
10:24:50 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	What parts of stipulation take into account some of the flux in gas supply prices and market uncertainty?
10:25:10 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Stipulation a compromise, Lawler testimony says as much?
10:25:18 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Company wants protections if gas prices spike, volatility, your perspective what part of stipulation most protects Duke?
10:26:12 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Fixed customer charge mentioned one of lowest?
10:26:25 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Tell us why able maintain lower fixed cost?
10:27:00 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Commissioner Wood?
10:27:13 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Commissioner Regan?
10:27:15 AM	Commissioner Regan - witness Heitkamp	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Tariff questions for you or Sailors?

10:27:21 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Redirect?
10:27:33 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Next witness?
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	Note: Sacre, Candace	Direct Examination. Title?
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	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cause direct testimony and responses be filed?
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	Note: Sacre, Candace	Corrections or changes?
10:28:30 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Asked same questions, responses be same?
10:28:37 AM	Atty Vaysman Duke Kentucky - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Intent testimony and responses be admitted into record?
10:28:49 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Staff?
10:28:49 AM	Camera Lock Deactivated	
10:28:52 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination. Have responses AG's Second in front of you, specifically Item 9, in response stated, reading, new proposal or how currently Duke treats penalties?
10:30:48 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Ask to clarify, not new request?
10:30:56 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Soft close option, discussed at technical conference, talk about how Duke Kentucky treated seasonal soft close options, what led to creation, and why company now proposing terminate?
10:32:43 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Mentioned feedback not been good, of customers who participated in option feedback generally been negative?
10:33:35 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Also have to pay reconnection fee?
10:33:57 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Talk about changes to calculation and processing fees, describe what operational flow order is?
10:34:51 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Particular criteria goes into issuing order or more flexibility than that?
10:35:15 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Able provide in post-hearing DR if is one?
10:35:16 AM	POST-HEARING DATA REQUEST	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	ASST GEN COUNSEL TUSSEY PSC - WITNESS SAILERS
	Note: Sacre, Candace	DEFINITION OF WHEN ISSUE OPERATIONAL FLOW ORDER
10:35:28 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailers	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination (cont'd). Explain how underdeliveries and overdeliveries handled under tariff?

10:36:37 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Give example of how underdeliveries or overdeliveries affect Duke?
10:37:35 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Happened within last 12 months or 18 months aware of, the penalty part?
10:38:53 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Not recall seeing actual penalties, further questions post-hearing DR.
10:39:01 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Explain how underdeliveries and overdeliveries handled under proposed tariff?
10:39:30 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Based on Lawler answer, anything in application not changed is adopted?
10:39:57 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Explain why feel \$15 fee necessary reduce underdeliveries and overdeliveries?
10:40:39 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	When say industry standard, you mean fee or \$15 specific fee?
10:40:47 AM	Asst Gen Counsel Tussey PSC - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Just fee generally?
10:41:04 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Commissioner Wood?
10:41:11 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Interested hearing more WNA, mind explaining that to me?
10:41:45 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Company ever utilized before or new trend, genesis of how came to be?
10:42:18 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	More like levelized billing feature, seems like seen where pay same bill every month, less of shock in winter?
10:43:20 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Seems like that should help affordability in winter, make natural gas more affordable?
10:44:02 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Which changes consider have most significant impact on customers and for which classes?
10:45:02 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Weather normalization adjustment rider?
10:45:12 AM	Commissioner Wood - witness Sailors	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Which methods underlie load forecast in rate design?
10:45:45 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Redirect?
10:45:53 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Reason recall Spiller?
10:46:06 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Is that your case?
10:46:19 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Requests for information by Friday, the 31st.
10:46:28 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Respond by November 14.
10:46:41 AM	Chair Hatton	
	Note: Sacre, Candace	Final order January 2.

10:46:47 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Briefs November 21.
10:47:00 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Response needed or required, December 5.
10:47:18 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Anything further?
10:47:40 AM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Hearing adjourned.
10:47:52 AM	Session Ended	

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