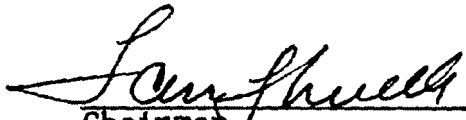


On November 26, 1982, and December 9, 1982, incidents occurred in the service area of Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc., ("Delta") which were not reported to the Commission within the specified time frame. On November 26, 1982, a customer's home in Williamsburg, Kentucky, was totally destroyed by fire. News reports indicated natural gas as the probable cause. This Commission was notified by Delta on December 9, 1982. An incident on December 9, 1982, at Manchester, Kentucky, resulted in three fatalities. Notification of this incident was also late.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Delta shall appear at the offices of the Public Service Commission in Frankfort, Kentucky, on the 31st day of January, 1983, at 11 a.m., E.S.T., to show cause, if any it can, why it should not be subject to penalties prescribed under KRS 278.992 for failure to properly notify the Commission of these accidents.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 20th day of December, 1982.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary