

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE FUEL)
PROCUREMENT PRACTICES OF KENTUCKY) CASE NO. 9631
UTILITIES COMPANY)

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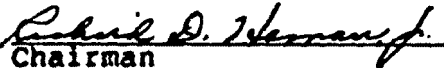
On August 26, 1988, Kentucky Utilities Company ("KU") filed a motion requesting the Commission to enter a final order concluding this investigation and approving all Fuel Adjustment Clause ("FAC") charges since 1982 based on the findings set forth in the Prudency Investigation Report filed by RCG/Hagler Bailly, Inc. KU's motion further requests that if the Commission does not enter such a final order, further proceedings in this case should be limited to discovery and cross-examination of the Prudency Investigation Report and filing of rebuttal evidence or, alternatively, if further proceedings are not so limited, that KU be given notice of the claims against it and an opportunity to rebut the claims. On August 31, 1988, KU filed a motion requesting oral argument on its August 26, 1988 motion. On September 2, 1988, the Attorney General's Office, Utility and Rate Intervention Division, filed a response in opposition to KU's August 26, 1988 motion.

Based on KU's motion for oral argument and being advised, the Commission is of the opinion and hereby finds that oral argument should be held.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that KU's August 31, 1988 motion for oral argument be and it hereby is granted. Oral argument shall be held on October 10, 1988 at 1:30 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time, at the Commission's Offices in Frankfort, Kentucky, with KU allotted 30 minutes and the intervenors, collectively, allotted 45 minutes.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 16th day of September, 1988.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Executive Director