COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE TARIFF FILING OF COLUMBIA GAS) OF KENTUCKY, INC. TO IMPLEMENT GAS) CASE NO. 96-079 COST INCENTIVE RATE MECHANISMS)

<u>order</u>

This matter arising upon the motion of the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, by and through his Public Service Litigation Branch of the Civil & Environmental Division ("Attorney General"), filed March 11, 1996, pursuant to KRS 367.150(8) for full intervention as a party, such intervention being authorized by statute, and this Commission being otherwise sufficiently advised,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the motion is granted and the Attorney General is hereby made a party to these proceedings.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 15th day of March, 1996.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

Executive Director