COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matters of:

	AN EXAMINATION BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE OF THE LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FROM NOVEMBER 1, 1994 TO OCTOBER 31, 1996)) CASE NO. 96-524))
and		
	AN EXAMINATION BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE OF THE LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FROM NOVEMBER 1, 1996 TO APRIL 30, 1997)) CASE NO. 96-524-A)
and		
	AN EXAMINATION BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE OF THE LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FROM MAY 1, 1997 TO OCTOBER 31, 1997)) CASE NO. 96-524-B)
and		
	AN EXAMINATION BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE OF THE LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FROM NOVEMBER 1, 1997 TO APRIL 30, 1998)) CASE NO. 96-524-C)

ORDER

The Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) and Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers (KIUC) have petitioned for rehearing on the Commission's Orders of February 9, 1999 in the above-styled matters. LG&E has further requested that the

Commission suspend operation of Ordering Paragraph 1 of each of these Orders pending a final decision on its petition.

Having considered the request and finding that the adjustments required by the February 9, 1999 Orders should not be implemented until the Commission has considered and ruled upon <u>all</u> parties petitions for rehearing, the Commission finds that LG&E s request for suspension should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. LG&E s request for suspension of the operation of Ordering Paragraph 1 of the Orders of February 9, 1999 is granted.
- 2. Operation of Ordering Paragraph 1 of the Orders of February 9, 1999 is suspended until further Order of the Commission.
- 3. LG&E is placed upon notice that, should LG&Es petition for rehearing ultimately be denied, interest may be assessed upon the amounts previously ordered refunded for the period in which operation of Ordering Paragraph 1 was suspended.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 25th day of February, 1999.

By the Commission

ATTEST:			
Executive Director	-		