

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT OF)
PENDLETON COUNTY WATER DISTRICT) CASE NO. 2000-295

O R D E R

On June 12, 2000, Pendleton County Water District ("Pendleton") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure. KRS 278.015 and 807 KAR 5:068.

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

1. Pendleton purchases its water from the city of Falmouth ("Falmouth").
2. Falmouth has increased the wholesale water rate charged to Pendleton effective July 17, 2000.
3. During the 12 months ending May 30, 2000, Pendleton purchased a total of 114,594,500 gallons of water and sold 100,217,179 gallons.
4. The increase in the cost of purchased water will be \$6,091.14, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$0.06 per 1,000 gallons of water. Based on a monthly usage of 5,000 gallons, the average bill of a Pendleton customer would increase \$.30 from \$35.55 to \$35.85 or 0.84 percent.
5. The calculations and tariff provided by Pendleton are correct and should be approved.

6. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.06 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.06 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A are approved for services rendered on and after July 17, 2000.

2. The tariff submitted by Pendleton is hereby approved as filed.

3. Within 20 days from the effective date of this Order, Pendleton shall file with the Commission a copy of the notice to its customers and verification that such notice has been given.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 10th day of July, 2000.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2000-295 DATED JULY 10, 2000

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Pendleton County Water District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

Monthly Water Rates

5/8 inch x 2 inch meter

First	2,000 gallons	\$15.12	Minimum bill
Next	3,000 gallons	6.91	per 1,000 gallons
Next	5,000 gallons	6.56	per 1,000 gallons
Over	10,000 gallons	5.56	per 1,000 gallons

Pendleton County High School

First	125,000 gallons	\$713.05	Minimum bill
Over	5,000 gallons	5.56	per 1,000 gallons

Griffin Industries

First	400,000 gallons	\$2,242.05	Minimum bill
Over	400,000 gallons	5.56	per 1,000 gallons