COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF ZEBULON GAS ASSOCIATION,)
INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE)
AND NECESSITY, APPROVAL OF LONG-TERM)
FINANCING THROUGH THE DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL) CASE NO.
GOVERNMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF REPLACING) 2001-358
ITS EXISTING GAS DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM AND FOR)
AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT)
WITH COLUMBIA GAS TRANSMISSION COMPANY TO)
REPAY \$175,203.37 IN GAS IMBALANCES)

ORDER

On October 25, 2001, Zebulon Gas Association, Inc. ("Zebulon Gas") filed an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for construction to replace its existing gas distribution system. In support of its application, Zebulon Gas filed financial exhibits for the fiscal period ending December 31, 2000 and one map of its existing system.

Administrative Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 11(2)(a), requires that fiscal information filed in support of such an application be for a period ending not more than 90 days prior to the filing of the application. In its application, Zebulon Gas requested a waiver of this requirement on the grounds that it is a small company, that it prepares its financial statements once a year, and that it does not wish to incur the costs of preparing additional financial statements. Upon review of the financial information filed with the application, the Commission finds that it is sufficient to adequately review the application and that there is good cause to grant the waiver.

Administrative Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(2)(d), requires that three

maps be filed in support of an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and

Necessity. Zebulon Gas has requested a waiver of this requirement that will permit it to

file one map. Upon review of the map filed with the application, the Commission finds

that it is sufficient to adequately review the application and that there is good cause to

grant the waiver.

This Commission, being sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that the motion

to deviate from the financial information requirements of Administrative Regulation 807

KAR 5:001, Section 11(2)(a), and from the map requirements of Administrative

Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(2)(d), is granted.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 8th day of November, 2001.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director