

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF COMMONWEALTH)
WASTEWATER SYSTEMS, LLC FOR A)
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND) CASE NO. 2003-00431
NECESSITY, INITIAL RATES AND)
AUTHORITY TO OPERATE)

O R D E R

Commonwealth Wastewater Systems, LLC ("Commonwealth Wastewater") has applied to the Commission for authority to operate a wastewater system, to construct facilities, and to establish initial rates. Commonwealth Wastewater has proposed March 1, 2004 as the effective date of its rates.

The Commission finds that, pursuant to KRS 278.190, further proceedings are necessary in order to determine the reasonableness of the proposed rates and that such proceedings cannot be completed prior to the proposed effective date.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The proposed rates are hereby suspended for 5 months from March 1, 2004 up to and including July 31, 2004.
2. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering a final decision in this case prior to the termination of the suspension period.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 23rd day of February, 2004.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director