COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE TARIFF FILING OF AUXIER ROAD GAS COMPANY TO MAKE VARIOUS REVISIONS TO TARIFF CASE NO. 2004-00074

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<u>ORDER</u>

On February 18, 2004, Auxier Road Gas Company ("Auxier") filed a tariff proposal to make various revisions to its existing tariff. Auxier proposed that the revisions become effective on March 18, 2004.

After reviewing the tariff, the Commission finds that, pursuant to KRS 278.190, further proceedings are necessary to determine the reasonableness of the proposed tariff, and that such proceedings cannot be completed prior to the proposed effective date.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

The proposed tariff filing of Auxier is suspended for five months from March
18, 2004, up to and including August 17, 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 17th day of March, 2004.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Directo