

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

NOTICE OF DELTA NATURAL GAS) CASE NO.
COMPANY, INC. TO CONTINUE ITS) 2007-00154
ENERGY ASSISTANCE PLAN)

ORDER

On June 14, 2007, Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("Delta") filed the required report evaluating its Energy Assistance Plan ("EAP"). Delta was authorized to implement the EAP on February 1, 2006 in Case No. 2005-00464¹ through April 30, 2007. At an informal conference on Tuesday, April 24, 2007, Delta, the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, by and through his Office of Rate Intervention ("AG"), and Commission staff agreed to extend the EAP beyond April 30, 2007, discussed proposed contents for the required report, set a date for submission of data requests to Delta, and set aside a tentative date for an informal conference to discuss any remaining issues.

On June 14, 2007, Delta filed the required report and has responded to data requests from the Commission Staff and the AG. Both the AG and Delta have stated through e-mail that they see no need for an informal conference. The AG has

¹ Case No. 2005-00464, The Tariff Filing of Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. to Establish an Energy Assistance Program Rider Surcharge, final Order dated February 1, 2006.

requested the opportunity to file comments and agreed to allow Delta to submit reply comments before the case is submitted to the Commission for decision.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The AG shall file comments in this proceeding no later than July 31, 2007.
2. Delta shall file reply comments no later than August 10, 2007.
3. Upon submission of Delta's reply comments, the case shall stand submitted.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 26th day of July, 2007.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director