

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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| ELECTRONIC JOINT APPLICATION OF ATMOS) | |
| ENERGY CORPORATION AND MILLENNIUM) | |
| ENERGY, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF THE) | CASE NO. |
| TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL OF) | 2026-00061 |
| MILLENNIUM ENERGY, INC.) | |

ORDER

This matter arose from Atmos Energy Corporation (Atmos) and Millennium Energy, Inc.'s (Millennium) (collectively, Joint Applicants) joint application, filed pursuant to KRS 278.020(6) and KRS 278.020(7), KRS 278.218, and 807 KAR Section 5:001, Section 12, for authority to transfer the ownership of Millennium and all its assets to Atmos.¹ The Commission, on its own motion, finds that a procedural schedule should be established for the orderly processing of this case. The procedural schedule is attached as an Appendix to this Order.

KRS 278.020(7) requires the Commission to issue a decision on an application for transfer within 60 days of the date that the application was filed. KRS 278.020(7) also provides that the Commission may continue its review of the application for longer than 60 days upon a showing of good cause. The Commission, on its own motion, finds that an additional 30 days is necessary for thorough investigation. Therefore, processing of the application should be continued through June 9, 2026.

¹ Application (filed Mar. 11, 2026) at 1.

Any hearing scheduled in this matter shall be held on the designated day or days and continued until called from the bench by the presiding officer. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 2, if the hearing is not concluded on the designated day, the hearing may be continued upon verbal announcement by the presiding officer. A verbal announcement made by the presiding officer shall be proper notice of the continued hearing. Hearings are held in the Richard Raff Hearing Room at the offices of the Public Service Commission at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky. Witnesses who sponsor schedules, testimony, or responses to requests for information are expected to participate in person at a hearing.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order shall be followed. If intervenors are joined, the Commission may amend the procedural schedule to permit additional discovery.

2. Processing of the application is continued through June 9, 2026.

3. Joint Applicants shall respond to all requests for information propounded by Commission Staff, whether identified on the procedural schedule or otherwise, as provided in those requests.

4. Any party filing a paper with the Commission shall file an electronic copy in accordance with the electronic filing procedures set forth in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked. The Commission directs the parties to the

Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085² regarding filings with the Commission.


5. As set forth in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(11), a person requesting permissive intervention in a Commission proceeding is required to demonstrate either (1) a special interest in the proceeding that is not otherwise adequately represented in the case, or (2) that intervention is likely to present issues or develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings. Therefore, any person requesting to intervene in a Commission proceeding must state with specificity the person's special interest that is not otherwise adequately represented, or the issues and facts that the person will present that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter. A mere recitation of the quantity of utility service consumed by the movant or a general statement regarding the potential impact of possible modification of rates will not be deemed sufficient to establish a special interest.

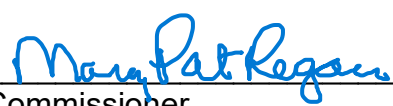
6. Any motion to intervene filed after the date established in the procedural schedule shall also show good cause for being untimely. If the untimely motion is granted, the movant shall accept and abide by the existing procedural schedule.

² Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19* (Ky. PSC July 22, 2021), Order (in which the Commission ordered that for case filings made on and after March 16, 2020, filers are NOT required to file the original physical copies of the filings required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8).

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Commissioner


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director



APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2026-00061 DATED MAR 31 2026

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| Last day for intervention requests to be accepted..... | 04/06/2026 |
| All initial requests for information to Joint Applicants shall be filed no later than | 04/13/2026 |
| Joint Applicants shall file responses to initial requests for information no later than..... | 04/27/2026 |
| All supplemental requests for information to Joint Applicants shall be filed no later than | 05/11/2026 |
| Joint Applicants shall file responses to supplemental requests for information no later than | 05/26/2026 |
| Last day for parties to request a public hearing or submit a request for the matter be decided based upon the written record | 06/01/2026 |

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