

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

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| THE APPLICATION OF FERN HILL UTILITIES, |) | |
| INC., FOR A RATE ADJUSTMENT PURSUANT |) | CASE NO. |
| TO THE ALTERNATIVE RATE FILING PROCEDURE |) | 9102 |
| FOR SMALL UTILITIES |) | |

O R D E R

On July 23, 1985, the Commission notified Fern Hill Utilities, Inc., ("Fern Hill") that it was in violation of KRS 278.185 because it failed to give proper notice of the proposed rates to its customers. Fern Hill was required to notify each affected customer by individual mailing to comply with this Statute.

Following that notice, the Commission has received numerous protest letters and requests for public hearing concerning this case. We are of the opinion that a public hearing should be held to allow consumers the opportunity to comment and to allow the introduction of evidence concerning the rates of Fern Hill.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that a hearing be and it hereby is scheduled on the 15th day of October, 1985, at 1:30 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in the Commission's offices, Frankfort, Kentucky.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Fern Hill shall give notice of the hearing in accordance with the provisions of 807 KAR 5:011, Section 8(5).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Fern Hill be represented at the hearing by appropriate officials and be ready to respond to any questions which may be asked.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 2nd day of October, 1985.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Richard D. Hemann
For the Commission

ATTEST:

Secretary