

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION)
vs.) CASE NO.
SPEARS WATER COMPANY, INC.) 9337

SHOW CAUSE ORDER

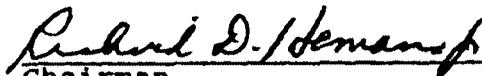
On January 9, 1984, the Commission received a letter of complaint and accompanying petition from Ms. Kathy Smitson and others in regard to low water pressure in the Ashgrove Road area of Jessamine County, Kentucky. Ms. Smitson, et al., are customers of the Spears Water Company, Inc. ("Spears"). The Commission staff investigated this complaint and notified Spears, in writing, to formulate a water system improvement program that would add additional flow in the vicinity of Ashgrove Road and maintain a minimum service pressure of thirty (30) psig. In addition, Spears was advised to develop a schedule of events and the requisite financial package to implement the improvements and was requested to file a report within 30 days of the August 23, 1984, mailing date of the request. Spears did not respond to this request nor to follow-up letters dated November 19, 1984, and March 18, 1985.

After considering the matter and being advised, the Commission, on its own motion, finds that a hearing should be held in this matter.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Spears shall appear at a hearing at the offices of the Commission in Frankfort, Kentucky, June 13, 1985, at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in Hearing Room No. 1, and show cause, if any it can, as to why it should not comply with the Commission's regulations and correct these known and identified service problems.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 23rd day of May, 1985.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary