

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In the Matter of:

**ELECTRONIC JOINT APPLICATION OF)
PNG COMPANIES LLC, DRAKE MERGER)
SUB INC., AND DELTA NATURAL GAS)
COMPANY, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF AN) CASE NO. 2017-00125
ACQUISITION OF OWNERSHIP AND)
CONTROL OF DELTA NATURAL GAS)
COMPANY, INC.)**

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**DELTA NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC.'S NOTICE OF FILING
NOTARIZED PROOF OF PUBLICATION**

FILED: June 6, 2017

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

COUNTY OF Franklin

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said county and state, this 31st day of May 2017, came Rachel McCarty, personally known to me, who, being duly sworn, states as follows: that she is the Advertising Assistant of the Kentucky Press Service, Inc.; that she has personal knowledge of the contents of this Affidavit; that the newspapers shown on Attachment No. 1 to this Affidavit published the Notice of Public Hearing, on the dates shown thereon at the request of Kentucky Press Service, Inc. for Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc.; that the form and content of the Notice submitted for publication to each newspaper shown in Attachment No. 2 to this Affidavit; and that the Kentucky Press Service, Inc. has presented to Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. proof of these publications in the form of "tear sheets" for retention its files. Said Notice pertains to the Public Hearing scheduled for June 8, 2017, as ordered by the Kentucky Public Service Commission in Case No. 2017-00125.

Rachel McCarty
Signature

Bonnie J. Howard
Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 9-18-20
Id. # 563384
(SEAL)

[Attachments: (1) List of publications and dates of publication; (2) sample published notice]

KENTUCKY PRESS SERVICE

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Rachel McCarty Advertising Dept.

List of newspapers running the Notice to Delta Natural Gas Company Customers. Attached tearsheets provide proof of publication:

Barbourville Mountain Advocate -- May 25
Beattyville Enterprise -- May 24
Berea Citizen -- MAY 24
Clay City Times -- May 25
Corbin Times Tribune -- May 24
Flemingsburg Gazette -- May 24
Hyden Leslie Co. News -- May 25
Irvine Citizen Voice Times -- May 25
Irvine Estill Co. Tribune -- May 24
Lancaster Central Record -- May 25
Lexington Herald Leader -- May 24
London Sentinel Echo -- May 24
Manchester Enterprise -- May 25
Maysville Ledger Independent -- May 24
Mckee Jackson Co. Sun -- May 24
Menifee Co. News -- May 25
Middlesboro Daily News -- May 24
Morehead News -- May 23
Mt. Sterling Advocate -- May 25
Nicholasville Jessamine Journal -- May 25
Owingsville Bath Co. New Outlook -- May 25
Paris Bourbon Citizen -- May 24
Pineville Sun -- May 24
Richmond Register -- May 24
Robertson Co. News -- May 24
Three Forks Tradition -- May 24
Williamsburg News Journal -- May 24
Winchester Sun -- May 25

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Public Service Commission of Kentucky will hold a hearing on June 8, 2017, beginning at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, at its offices at 211 Sower Boulevard in Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of cross examining witnesses of the Joint Applicants in Case No. 2017-00125, which is the Electronic Joint Application of PNG Companies, LLC, Drake Merger Sub Inc. and Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. for Approval of an Acquisition of Ownership and Control of Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc. This hearing will be streamed live and may be viewed on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov.

**DELTA NATURAL GAS
COMPANY, INC.**

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