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Ms. Gwen Pinson
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
P.O. Box 615
Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc.
Gas Cost Adjustment Case No. 2018 – 00253

Dear Ms. Pinson:

Pursuant to the Commission's Order dated January 30, 2001 in Administrative Case No. 384, Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. ("Columbia") hereby encloses, for filing with the Commission, an original and six (6) copies of data submitted pursuant to the requirements of the Gas Cost Adjustment Provision contained in Columbia's tariff for its **September** quarterly Gas Cost Adjustment ("GCA").

Columbia proposes to decrease its current rates to tariff sales customers by (\$1.2634) per Mcf effective with its September 2018 billing cycle on August 29, 2018. The decrease is composed of an increase of \$0.0026 per Mcf in the Average Commodity Cost of Gas, an increase of \$0.0002 per Mcf in the Average Demand Cost of Gas, a decrease of (\$1.4075) per Mcf in the Balancing Adjustment and an increase of \$0.1413 in the Actual Cost Adjustment. Pursuant to Case No. 2016-00060 Columbia has implemented a quarterly Actual Cost Adjustment and Balancing Adjustment effective with the June 2016 billing cycle. Please feel free to contact me at 614-460-5558 or bwancheck@nisource.com if there are any questions.

Sincerely,



Brooke E. Wancheck
Assistant General Counsel

Enclosures