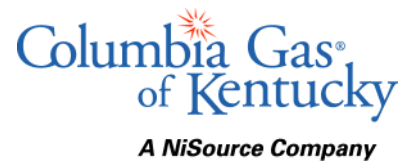


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October 15, 2020

Mr. Kent Chandler
Acting Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
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Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. Case No. 2020-00327 Safety Modification and Replacement Program Filing

Dear Vice Chairman Chandler:

Pursuant to the Commission's Order dated December 22, 2016 in Case No. 2016-00162, please find enclosed and accept for filing Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc.'s 2021 annual forecasted data and proposed tariffs submitted pursuant to the requirements of the Safety Modification and Replacement Program Rider ("SMRP"). Columbia also includes the testimony of David Roy and Gary Sullivan to support its In-Line-Inspection program as part of the SMRP. By updating the SMRP Rider, Columbia proposes to revise its current rates per bill to tariff customers effective December 30, 2020 (the beginning of Columbia's January 2021 billing cycle) as follows:

Rate GSR, Rate SVGTS – Residential Service	\$8.04
Rate GSO, Rate GDS, Rate SVGTS – Commercial or Industrial	\$29.50
Rate IUS, Rate IUDES	\$252.13
Rate IS, Rate DS ¹ , Rate SAS	\$1,481.70

¹ Excluding customers subject to Flex Provisions of Rate Schedule DS

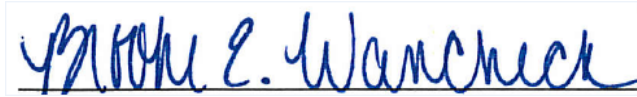
In accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, I certify that the electronically filed documents are a true and accurate copy of the same documents to be filed in paper medium once the state of emergency has ceased; that there are currently no parties in this proceeding that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means; and that one paper copy of this filing will be filed by hand-delivery with the Commission once the state of emergency has ceased.

Please feel free to contact me if there are any questions.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brooke E. Wancheck". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a thin horizontal line.

Brooke E. Wancheck
Attorney for
COLUMBIA GAS OF KENTUCKY, INC.