COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF:

APPLICATION OF ATMOS ENERGY CORPORATION FOR)
APPROVAL OF SPECIAL CONTRACT PURSUANT) Case No. 2024-00340
TO ITS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT RIDER)

MOTION TO SUBMIT

Comes now Atmos Energy Corporation ("Atmos Energy"), by and through counsel, pursuant to the November 12, 2024 Order ("November 12th Order") of the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") other applicable law, and for its Motion to Submit this case for an adjudication based upon the existing administrative record and without a formal evidentiary hearing, respectfully states as follows:

Atmos Energy filed its application in this case on October 23, 2024. The Commission entered the November 12th Order establishing the procedural schedule. The Commission issued its Initial Requests for Information on November 27, 2024 and Atmos Energy filed its responses to Commission Staff's Initial Requests for Information on December 13, 2024. Commission Staff did not issue any further requests for information. The November 12th Order allows Atmos Energy to request or waive a hearing on or before March 24, 2025. Atmos Energy believes that the issues presented in this case are straightforward and have been adequately addressed through the written discovery and the Motion for Confidential Treatment that was filed contemporaneous with Atmos Energy's responses. The interests of administrative economy favor avoiding a formal hearing when it would be unlikely to result in the development of any additional facts. Moreover, Atmos Energy

is unaware of any contested issues for which clarification might be necessary or advisable. Accordingly, Atmos Energy does not believe that a formal evidentiary hearing is necessary in this case and moves to submit the case for an adjudication based upon the existing administrative record without a formal evidentiary hearing.

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing, Atmos Energy respectfully moves to submit this case for an adjudication based upon the existing administrative record and without a formal evidentiary hearing.

This 18th day of March, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that the electronic filing was transmitted to the Commission on March 18, 2025, and that there are currently no parties that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding. Pursuant to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085 no paper copies of this filing will be made.

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