

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

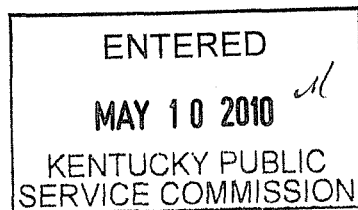
In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF ATMOS ENERGY CORPORATION) CASE NO.
FOR AN ADJUSTMENT OF RATES) 2009-00354

ORDER

Having previously scheduled this matter for a hearing on May 11, 2010 on the reasonableness of the Stipulation and Recommendation ("Stipulation") filed by the parties and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission, on its own Motion, HEREBY ORDERS counsel for the parties to appear at the hearing and present arguments on the Commission's authority to approve the Stipulation, specifically its authority with regard to the parties' agreement that the Attorney General will be reimbursed his litigation costs.

By the Commission



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