

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT OF)
BRACKEN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT) CASE NO. 99-323

O R D E R

On July 30, 1999, Bracken County Water District ("Bracken County") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure. KRS 278.015 and 807 KAR 5:068.

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

1. Bracken County purchases its water from Augusta Regional Water Treatment Plant ("Augusta").
2. Augusta increased the wholesale water rate charged to Bracken County from \$1.09 per 1,000 gallons to \$1.21 per 1,000 gallons purchased, effective August 1, 1999.
3. During the 12 months ending June 30, 1999, Bracken County purchased a total of 162,815,400 gallons of water and sold 151,703,000 gallons.
4. The increase in the cost of purchased water will be \$19,537.85, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$0.13 per 1,000 gallons of water. Based on a monthly usage of 5,000 gallons, the average bill of a Bracken County customer would increase \$0.65 from \$17.75 to \$18.40 or 3.66 percent.
5. The tariff provided by Bracken County is correct and should be approved.

6. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.13 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.13 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A are approved for services rendered on and after August 1, 1999.

2. The tariff submitted by Bracken County is hereby approved as filed.

3. Within 20 days from the effective date of this Order, Bracken County shall file a copy of the notice to its customers and verification that such notice has been given.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 27th day of August, 1999.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 99-323 DATED AUGUST 27, 1999

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Bracken County Water District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

Monthly Water Rates

First	2,000 gallons	\$8.80	Minimum bill
Over	2,000 gallons	3.20	per 1,000 gallons
Wholesale Division 1 (Applicable to Brooksville)		\$2.59	per 1,000 gallons
Bulk Sales (Loading Station Division 1)		\$4.62	per 1,000 gallons