

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Commission's Review)
of its Rules at Chapters 4901:1-17 and)
4901:1-18, Ohio Administrative Code,)
Regarding the Establishment of Credit for) Case No. 03-888-AU-ORD
Residential Utility Services and the)
Disconnection of Natural Gas or Electric)
Service to Residential Customers,)
Respectively.)

In the Matter of the Application of Pike)
Natural Gas Company, Eastern Natural)
Gas Company and Southeastern Natural) Case No. 05-1312-GA-UNC
Gas Company for Approval of New Bill)
and Disconnect Notice Formats.)

ENTRY

The Attorney Examiner finds:

- (1) On September 1, 2004, in Case No. 03-888-AU-ORD, amended rules in Chapters 4901:1-17 and 4901:1-18, Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.), became effective. Among the rules amended, were Rule 4901:1-18-09(B), O.A.C., which lists the specific information to be provided on residential gas bills, and Rule 4901:1-18-05(A), O.A.C., which lists the requirements of the disconnection notice.¹
- (2) On October 25, 2005, as amended on October 26, and November 1, 2005, the Clearfield Companies filed, in docket number 05-1312-GA-UNC, an application for approval of new bill formats and a new disconnection notice.
- (3) Rule 9(C), O.A.C., states that an application for a new bill format becomes effective after 45 days unless the Commission specifically rules otherwise.
- (4) The Commission Staff requires additional time to review the application and, therefore, request that automatic approval of the bill format be suspended.

¹ Hereinafter, the rules will be referred to by rule number and section only, for example Rule 4901:1-18-09(B)(4), O.A.C., will be referred to simply as Rule 9(B)(4).

- (5) Staff's request to suspend the automatic approval of the bill format is reasonable and should be granted.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That automatic approval of the Clearfield Companies' new bill and disconnection notice formats be suspended until the Commission specifically orders otherwise. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon the Clearfield Companies and their counsel and all other interested persons of record in 05-1312-GA-UNC.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO



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Secretary