

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PROPOSED REVISIONS TO THE MAINLINE )  
EXTENSION POLICY OF NORTHERN ) CASE NO. 97-468  
KENTUCKY WATER SERVICE DISTRICT )  
)

O R D E R

Northern Kentucky Water Service District ("Northern Kentucky") has filed proposed revisions to the water mainline extension policy contained in its filed rate schedules. Northern Kentucky originally submitted its proposed revision on September 24, 1997 and subsequently amended its proposal on October 30, 1997. Northern Kentucky proposed that the revisions become effective as of July 1, 1997. As KRS 278.180(1) requires that a utility provide the Commission with 30 days' notice prior to any change in its rate schedules, Northern Kentucky's proposed revision may not become effective earlier than November 29, 1997.

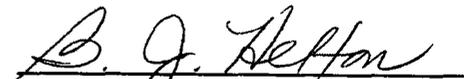
Finding that further proceedings are necessary in order to determine the reasonableness of the proposed revisions to Northern Kentucky's water mainline extension policy, the Commission HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. The proposed revisions to Northern Kentucky's water mainline extension policy are suspended for five months from November 29, 1997 up to and including April 28, 1998.
2. This proceeding is established to investigate the reasonableness of the proposed revisions to Northern Kentucky's water mainline extension policy.

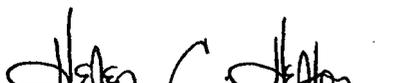
3. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering a final decision in this case prior to the termination of the suspension period.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 21st day of November, 1997.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

  
For the Commission

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director