

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

September 4, 2002

MEMORANDUM

To: Sharla Dillon
Dockets

From: Pat Murphy *PM*
Energy and Water Division

Subject: Request for Docket Number
Nashville Gas Company

Our division is currently auditing Nashville Gas Company's Incentive Plan Account for the plan year ended June 30, 2002. We, therefore, respectfully request that a docket number be assigned for this audit.

Upon assigning a docket number, please advise Betty Patton, so that appropriate files may be set up in our division. We appreciate your assistance in this matter.

cc: Dan McCormac

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Re: Nashville Gas Company, Docket No. 99-00207

ENERGY & WATER DIVISION

Dear Chairman Kyle:

In accordance with the reporting provisions of Service Schedule No. 14, Performance Incentive Plan, as approved in the above captioned docket, Nashville Gas Company ("Nashville") submits the accompanying report of shared gas cost savings for the plan year ended June 30, 2002.

As the summary indicates, the accumulated total gains and savings under the plan for the plan year total \$2,592,578. Of this amount, \$1,207,494 has accrued to the Company's ratepayers. The remaining \$1,385,084 will be credited to the Company's Incentive Plan Account (IPA).

Detailed calculations supporting the amounts shown on the summary for the period July 2001 through April 2002 have previously been provided to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority Staff and the Consumer Advocate and Protection Division. Supporting calculations for May 2002 and June 2002 are provided in this filing subject to the execution of non-disclosure agreements. As permitted by the provisions of the approved tariff, the Company will file a rate adjustment on or about October 1, 2002, to amortize the collection of the June 30, 2002 IPA balance over the 12-month period beginning November 1, 2002 and ending October 31, 2003.

I am enclosing one additional copy of the summary that I would appreciate your stamping "filed" and returning to me in the enclosed envelope.

Sincerely,

Jerry W. Amos
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Enclosures

c: Russell Perkins, Deputy Attorney General
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Report on Nashville Incentive Plan July 2001 - June 2002

Month	Year	Gas Procurement Incentive Mechanism Gain/(Loss) 1/	Nashville GPI Sharing Gain/(Loss) 2/	Ratepayer GPI Sharing Gain/(Loss)	Capacity Management Incentive Mechanism Gain/(Loss)	Nashville CMI Sharing Gain/(Loss) 3/	Ratepayer CMI Sharing Gain/(Loss) 3/	Total Gain/(Loss)	Total Nashville Gain/(Loss)	Total Ratepayer Gain/(Loss)
July 2001		\$ (11,568)	\$ -	\$ (11,568)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (11,568)	\$ -	\$ (11,568)
August 2001		\$ (49)	\$ -	\$ (49)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (49)	\$ -	\$ (49)
September 2001		\$ (5,199)	\$ -	\$ (5,199)	\$ 1,217	\$ -	\$ 1,217	\$ (3,982)	\$ -	\$ (3,982)
October 2001		\$ 2,000	\$ -	\$ 2,000	\$ 11,437	\$ -	\$ 11,437	\$ 13,437	\$ -	\$ 13,437
November 2001		\$ (59,648)	\$ -	\$ (59,648)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (59,648)	\$ -	\$ (59,648)
December 2001		\$ (48,032)	\$ -	\$ (48,032)	\$ 224,468	\$ 21,147	\$ 203,320	\$ 176,436	\$ 21,147	\$ 155,288
January 2002		\$ (79,724)	\$ -	\$ (79,724)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (79,724)	\$ -	\$ (79,724)
February 2002		\$ (35,661)	\$ -	\$ (35,661)	\$ 250,352	\$ 112,957	\$ 137,395	\$ 214,692	\$ 112,957	\$ 101,735
March 2002		\$ (58,084)	\$ -	\$ (58,084)	\$ 10,661	\$ 5,331	\$ 5,331	\$ (47,423)	\$ 5,331	\$ (52,754)
April 2002		\$ (29,418)	\$ -	\$ (29,418)	\$ 12,918	\$ 6,459	\$ 6,459	\$ (16,500)	\$ 6,459	\$ (22,959)
May 2002		\$ (43,311)	\$ -	\$ (43,311)	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 1,250,000	\$ 1,250,000	\$ 2,456,689	\$ 1,250,000	\$ 1,206,689
June 2002		\$ (55,226)	\$ (13,532)	\$ (41,694)	\$ 5,444	\$ 2,722	\$ 2,722	\$ (49,782)	\$ (10,810)	\$ (38,972)
		\$ (423,920)	\$ (13,532)	\$ (410,388)	\$ 3,016,498	\$ 1,398,616	\$ 1,617,882	\$ 2,592,578	\$ 1,385,084	\$ 1,207,494

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