TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY



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NOTICE OF DESIGNATION OF HEARING OFFICER

DOCKET: 07-00225

RE: Docket to Evaluate Atmos Energy Corporation's Gas Purchases and Related

Sharing Incentives

DATE: January 9, 2012

On July 25, 2008, the Tennessee Regulatory Authority issued an *Order Appointing a New Hearing Officer*, which designated the General Counsel or his designee to act as the Hearing Officer to handle preliminary matters and to continue to prepare this matter for hearing before the panel of directors assigned to this docket.

Because of personnel changes and various assignments in other dockets, and to avoid any conflicts with staff acting as party, the General Counsel is designating Jean A. Stone to act as Hearing Officer in this docket in the place of Kelly Cashman-Grams.

Jean A. Stone, General Counsel

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