

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

June 8, 2010

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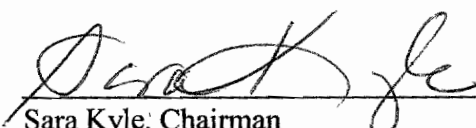
**REQUEST OF CHATTANOOGA GAS COMPANY
FOR APPROVAL OF AN RFP FOR AN ASSET
MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT AND A GAS
PURCHASE AND SALES AGREEMENT**

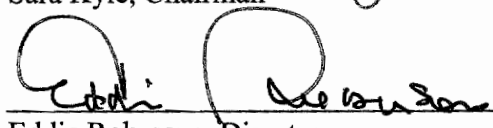
**DOCKET NO.
10-00049**

**ORDER CONVENING A CONTESTED CASE
AND APPOINTING A HEARING OFFICER**

This matter came before Chairman Sara Kyle, Director Eddie Roberson and Director Kenneth C. Hill of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on May 24, 2010, for consideration of the proposed Request for Proposal for an Asset Management Agreement and a Gas Purchase and Sales Agreement filed by Chattanooga Gas Company ("CGC") on April 9, 2010. The Consumer Advocate and Protection Division of the Office of the Attorney General filed a *Petition to Intervene* on May 10, 2010. During the Authority Conference, the panel voted unanimously to convene a contested case proceeding and to appoint Director Kenneth C. Hill to serve as Hearing Officer for the purpose of hearing preliminary matters, including entering a protective order¹ and ruling on petitions to intervene.

IT IS SO ORDERED.


Sara Kyle, Chairman


Eddie Roberson, Director


Kenneth C. Hill, Director

¹ CGC was directed to submit a proposed protective order no later than June 3, 2010.