

**IN THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

IN RE:)
)
PETITION OF ATMOS ENERGY) **DOCKET NO. 12-00064**
CORPORATION FOR ADJUSTMENT)
OF RATES)

JOINT MOTION TO AMEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

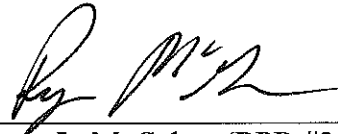
The Consumer Advocate and Protection Division of the Office of the Attorney General (“Consumer Advocate”) and Atmos Energy Corporation (“Atmos” or “Company”) jointly move to amend the procedural schedule in this case. The Consumer Advocate and Atmos propose the following procedural schedule which amends the dates of deadlines for the filing of direct testimony by one (1) day and extends the deadline for second round discovery requests and responses. The proposed schedule follows maintains the Authority’s scheduled dates for all other procedural and hearing deadlines.¹

October 5, 2012	Consumer Advocate Pre-filed Direct Testimony
October 15, 2012	Second Round Discovery Requests
October 16-19, 2012	Settlement Discussions Between Parties
October 22, 2012	Second Round Discovery Responses Due
November 1, 2012	Atmos Pre-filed Rebuttal Testimony
November 1, 2012	Pre-hearing Conference
November 7-9, 2012	Hearing on the Merits
November 21, 2012	Post-Hearing Briefs Due

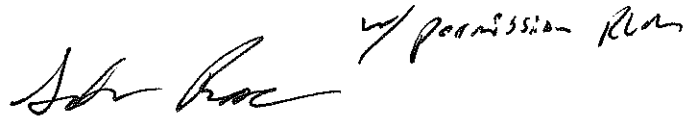
¹ Order Granting Joint Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule, (September 24, 2012).

The Consumer Advocate and Atmos respectfully submit the proposed amendments to the procedural schedule should be approved.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,



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