

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

May 9, 2018

IN RE:

**AUDIT OF ATMOS ENERGY CORPORATION'S
INCENTIVE PLAN ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD
OF APRIL 1, 2016 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2017**

**DOCKET NO.
17-00044**

**ORDER ADOPTING COMPLIANCE AUDIT REPORT OF
TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION'S UTILITIES DIVISION**

This matter came before Chairman David F. Jones, Vice Chairman Robin L. Morrison, and Commissioner Kenneth C. Hill of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission ("Commission"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, during a regularly scheduled Commission Conference held on March 19, 2018 for consideration of the report of the Commission's Utilities Division Audit Staff ("Staff") resulting from the Staff's audit of Atmos Energy Corporation's ("Atmos" or the "Company") Incentive Plan Account filing (the "IPA filing") for the year ended March 31, 2017. The Compliance Audit Report ("IPA Report"), attached hereto as Exhibit 1, and incorporated into this document as if fully rewritten herein, contains the conclusions and recommendations of the Staff.

On March 5, 2018, Staff filed the IPA Report for Atmos for the year ended March 31, 2017. There were no audit findings. Staff concluded the audit objective was met and the amount of gains and losses calculated by Atmos under its incentive plan for the plan year ended March 31, 2017, were accurate and in compliance with its tariff. Staff also agreed with the IPA Account balances as calculated by the Company.

During a regularly scheduled Commission Conference held on March 19, 2018, the panel voted unanimously to approve and adopt the IPA Report as filed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The Compliance Audit Report of Atmos Energy Corporation's Incentive Plan Account filing for the year ended March 31, 2017, a copy of which is attached to this Order as Exhibit 1, is approved and adopted, and it is incorporated in this Order as if fully rewritten herein.

Chairman David F. Jones, Vice Chairman Robin L. Morrison, and Commissioner Kenneth C. Hill concur.

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Earl Taylor", written in dark ink.

Earl R. Taylor, Executive Director