BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

IN RE:)	
PETITION OF ATMOS ENERGY CORPORATION FOR APPROVAL OF NEGOTIATED FRANCHISE AGREEMENT WITH THE TOWN OF BLUFF CITY, TENNESSEE))) Docket No. 17-0013))	0

NOTICE OF COMPLIANCE WITH TPUC RULE 1220-4-1-.05

Atmos Energy Corporation respectfully submits proof of publication of public notice in this matter as required by TPUC Rule 1220-4-1-.05. The relevant newspaper publications and related documents are attached.

Respectfully submitted?

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To Whom It May Concern:

The enclosed invoice number D18.7484 is for publication for ATMOS ENERGY for the "Public Notice/Docket 17-00130 - Town of Bluff City" in the list of newspaper(s) and dates below:

Order D18.7484 ran in:

Bristol - Bristol Herald Courier D18.7484 01/01/2018 Atmos Energy

Public Notice/ Docket 17-00130

I, Jessica Ferguson, Advertising Assistant for Tennessee Press Service, Inc., do hereby certify that the attached is true and correct.

This Fifth day of January, 2018

Jessica Ferguson, Advertising Assistant

Sworn before me this 5th day of January, 2018

Earl Goodman, Notary Public My commission expires August 02, 2020

Legal Notices

The Bristol Virginia Public School Board will hold Public Hearings to obtain community input regarding

school consolidation and the selection of a site for constructing of a

new elementary school, on Wednesday, January 3, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. at Van Pelt Elementary School, 200

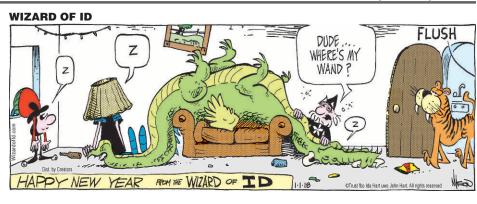
Springhill Terrace, Bristol, Virginia, January 4, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. at Highland View Elementary School, 1405 Eads Street, Bristol, Virginia, January 17, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. at

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