

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

January 8, 2019

IN RE:

**ATMOS ENERGY CORPORATION - 2018 ARM
RECONCILIATION FILING**

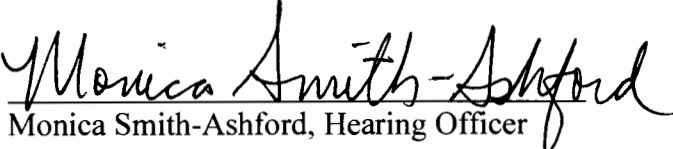
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18-00097**

ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This matter is before the Hearing Officer of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission (“Commission” or “TPUC”) to establish a procedural schedule for the orderly administration of these proceedings. The goal and design of any procedural schedule is to efficiently move the proceedings forward to a hearing and final conclusion on the merits. Nevertheless, a procedural schedule’s effectiveness directly depends on cooperation by the parties in meeting the individual benchmark dates. Based on a joint proposed procedural schedule submitted by the parties, the Hearing Officer hereby establishes the Procedural Schedule set forth in **Exhibit A** attached to this Order.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED.


Monica Smith-Ashford, Hearing Officer

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January 8, 2019

Due Date	Filing
January 9, 2019	Consumer Advocate Pre-filed Testimony
January 16, 2019	Atmos Discovery requests
January 23, 2019	Consumer Advocate Discovery Responses
February 6, 2019	Atmos Pre-filed Rebuttal Testimony
TBD	Pre-Hearing Telephone Conference
March 11, 2019	Target Hearing Date

- All filings should be filed by 2:00 p.m., including all hard copies if filing is made electronically.
- Nothing herein restricts the parties from participating in additional informal discovery.
- Copies of all discovery exchanged between the parties shall be filed with TPUC within 3 working days of the exchange of information. All spreadsheets shall be filed in Excel format with working formulas intact.
- Any pre-filed testimony should include all supporting worksheets in Excel format with working formulas intact.
- Rebuttal Testimony should be limited only to issues raised in the Consumer Advocate's Direct Testimony and should include the page and line number of the Consumer Advocate's testimony that is being rebutted.

EXHIBIT A