

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE DISCLOSURE OF THE PURCHASE PRICE OF GAS TRANSPORTED BY LONE STAR GAS COMPANY; PROVIDING A PENALTY AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, THE CITY OF ABILENE, CITY COUNCIL HAS PASSED AN AMENDMENT TO ITS FRANCHISE WITH LONE STAR GAS COMPANY; AND,

WHEREAS, THE FRANCHISE AMENDMENT PROVIDES FOR THE FRANCHISE FEE TO BE LEVIED ON THE PURCHASE PRICE OF ALL GAS CONSUMED WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF ABILENE; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

PART 1: That the President and Vice-President of all corporations having the following characteristics;

- (1) the corporation consumes gas within the corporate limits of Abilene; and,
- (2) the gas is transported, but not sold by Lone Star Gas Company;


shall file a sworn affidavit setting out the quantity and purchase price of the gas. The sworn affidavit shall be in sufficient detail that the Franchise Fee as provided by Section 9, of Franchise Ordinance 17-1989 can be calculated. The sworn affidavit shall be filed with the City Secretary of the City of Abilene and the General Manager of Lone Star Gas Company by the 30th day of the month for the preceding month.

PART 2: That any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000). Each day such violation shall continue or be permitted to continue, shall be deemed a separate offense.

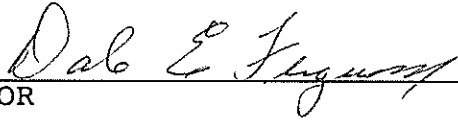
Said Ordinance, being a penal ordinance, shall become effective ten (10) days after its publication in the newspaper as provided by Section 19 of the Charter of the City of Abilene, Texas.

PASSED ON SECOND AND FINAL READING THIS 8 DAY OF
June, 1989.

ATTEST:



CITY SECRETARY



MAYOR

APPROVED:



CITY ATTORNEY