

# Petition For Gas Service

Gas heat will be made available to 486 additional households in Columbus if an application filed Monday by Indiana Gas and Water company is approved by the Indiana Public Service Commission.

According to W.W. O'Laughlin, manager, the utility is petitioning the commission for permission to take on a total of 7,700 new home heating customers throughout its service area in central and southern Indiana.

Additional natural gas for the new users will become available to Indiana Gas & Water from its pipe line supplier companies before the next heating season.

Mr. O'Laughlin states that when these new heating installations have been added, 90 out of every 100 homes served in the Columbus area by Indiana Gas & Water will be heated with natural gas.

A date will be set by the Public Service Commission to hear the petition and its approval must be secured before the company can authorize the additional heating installations.

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