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House Bill (HB) 1600 and Senate Bill (SB) 567 83rd Legislature, Regular Session, transferred the functions relating to the economic regulation of water and sewer utilities from the TCEQ to the PUC effective September 1, 2014.

SOAH DOCKET NO. 582-13-4617 TCEQ DOCKET NO. 2013-0865-UCR

PETITION OF NORTH AUSTIN **UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 1,** NORTHTOWN MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT, TRAVIS COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 10 AND WELLS **BRANCH MUNICIPAL UTILITY** DISTRICT ("PETITIONERS") FROM THE RATEMAKING ACTIONS OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN ("CITY") AND REQUEST FOR INTERIM RATES IN WILLIAMSON AND TRAVIS **COUNTIES**

§ BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE § ω ω ω ω ω ω ω ω ω

OF

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

ORDER NO. 1 GRANTING MOTION TO CONTINUE PRELIMINARY HEARING

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The Chief Clerk of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) docketed this case at the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) on May 30, 2013. On June 7, 2013, the Chief Clerk of the TCEQ issued a Notice of Hearing setting a preliminary hearing on July 9, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.

On June 11, 2013, counsel for the City of Austin filed a motion to continue the preliminary hearing, stating that the scheduled date conflicts with dates specified in a vacation notice letter filed with the Chief Clerk of the TCEQ on May 30, 2013. The motion represents that counsel for Petitioners North Austin Utility District No. 1, Northtown Municipal Utility District, Travis County Water Control and Improvement District No. 10, and Wells Branch Municipal Utility District, as well as counsel for TCEQ, are unopposed to the continuance. In addition, the motion sets forth three agreed dates on which to reset the preliminary hearing.

The motion has merit. The undersigned Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) is assigned to this matter, and is available on one of the agreed dates.

Therefore, it is ORDERED that the preliminary hearing in this matter shall commence at 10:00 a.m. on July 31, 2013, at the William P. Clements Office Building, Fourth Floor, 300 West 15th Street, Austin, Texas.

A party with a procedural question may contact the ALJ's assistant, Melissa Ethridge, at 512.463.0203.

SIGNED June 17, 2013.

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ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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