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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.

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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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August 15, 2012

Mr. Christopher Smith Thompson & Knight, LLP 1900 San Jacinto Center 98 San Jacinto Blvd. Austin, Texas 78701-4238 2014 SEP 18 AM 11: 49
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
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Re: Docket No. 2012-1563-UCR; Petition of Fort Bliss Water Services Company (FBWSC), Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 13060, Requesting a Cease and Desist Order against PRIDE Industries, Inc. (PRIDE), in El Paso County; Application No. 37305-D

Petition of FBWSC, CCN No. 20963, Requesting a Cease and Desist Order against PRIDE, in El Paso County; Application No. 37306-D

CN: 602629644; RN: 104271663 (water) 104279674 (sewer) (FBWSC)

CN: 603339003; RN: 105487417 (PRIDE)

Dear Mr. Smith:

On July 27, 2012, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) issued a letter stating that the above referenced petition had been referred to the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) for scheduling. Unfortunately, the letter did not indicate the SOAH docket number assigned to this matter. The docket number is 2012-1563-UCR.

We apologize for any inconvenience that this may have caused.

Please contact Mr. John Lock, P.E. at (512) 239-4710, if you have any questions about this letter.

Sincerely,

Tammy Benter, Manager Utilities & Districts Section Water Supply Division

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MAILING LIST FOR Application Nos. 36305-D, 37306-D Docket No. 2012-1563-UCR

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TCEQ Interoffice Memorandum

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Bridget Bohac, Chief Clerk

THRU:

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FROM:

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We hereby transfer the official file for the above application to the Chief Clerk's Office. Please refer this application to the State Office of Administrative Hearings and request that a hearing be scheduled. We estimate that approximately 10 people could attend the preliminary

hearing in this matter. Enclosed is a mailing list.

The staffs assigned to this case are:

Technical- John Lock, PE

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If we may be of further service regarding this matter, please call.

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If jurisdiction is established, you will have an opportunity to attempt to reach an agreed settlement. If settlement is not possible a schedule of dates for discovery, pre-filed testimony, and an evidentiary hearing will be set. We urge you to vigorously pursue local settlement of this matter. In addition, the TCEQ can provide a representative from the Alternative Dispute Resolution Division, available free of charge, to assist you with mediation.

If you have questions about this process or what material you should bring with you to the hearing, please contact Mr. John Lock, P.E. at (512) 239-4710.

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John,

As per our discussion today, below is my contact info.

Thx.

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