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## ORDER NO. 18 FINDING CLOSING DOCUMENTS SUFFICIENT AND ESTABLISHING A PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This Order addresses Commission Staff's February 2, 2017, recommendation that Aqua Utilities, Inc. and Aqua Texas, Inc. d/b/a Aqua Texas have provided sufficient documentation demonstrating that Aqua Texas has completed the purchase of Aqua Utilities' facilities and certificate rights and that Aqua Utilities' customer deposits have been properly addressed. This Order also addresses Commission Staff's proposed procedural schedule.

Consistent with Commission Staff's recommendation, the closing documents filed by the applicants on January 3, 2017 are deemed sufficient. The transfer of certificate rights requested in this application is not complete until final approval of the application is granted.

The following procedural schedule, as proposed by Commission Staff, shall apply:

Deadline for Commission Staff to submit final maps and blank consent forms to applicants for review	February 22, 2017	
Deadline for applicants to file completed and signed consent forms	March 7, 2017	
Deadline for Commission Staff to file a final recommendation on the application	March 11, 2017	
If no disputed issues, deadline for parties to file a motion to admit evidence and a proposed notice of approval, including findings of fact, conclusion of law and ordering paragraphs	March 18, 2017	

SIGNED AT AUSTIN, TEXAS the day of February 2017.

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS** 

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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