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REQUEST OF GREENWOOD WATER  
CORPORATION FOR APPROVAL OF  
WATER UTILITY STOCK TRANSFER  
(CCN NO. 11792)

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PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF TEXAS

**COMMISSION STAFF’S MOTION FOR EXTENSION**

COMES NOW the Staff (“Staff”) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (“Commission”), representing the public interest and files this Motion for Extension and would show the following:

**I. BACKGROUND**

On August 20, 2014, a request was filed with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality for approval of the transfer of stock in Greenwood Water Corporation (“Greenwood”) from Paul R. Wilhite to Permian Basin Water Resources, LLC (the “Purchaser”).<sup>1</sup> If the transaction is completed, the Purchaser will become of the owner of Greenwood.<sup>2</sup> This proceeding was transferred to the Commission’s jurisdiction on September 1, 2014.

On October 29, 2014, SOAH Order No. 1 was entered requiring Staff to file a recommendation on final disposition or to propose a procedural schedule by December 19, 2014. This pleading is timely filed.

<sup>1</sup> Request for Approval of Water Utility Stock Transfer (Aug. 20, 2014).

<sup>2</sup> *Id.* at 3.

## **II. MOTION FOR EXTENSION**

Staff and Greenwood continue to confer regarding an appropriate resolution of the issues in this proceeding. In order to permit additional time for the parties to confer, Staff requests that the deadline for Staff to file a recommendation on final disposition or to propose a procedural schedule be extended to **January 20, 2015**.

Staff has consulted with Greenwood, which agrees with Staff's request.

## **III. CONCLUSION**

Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order consistent with the above discussion.

Date: December 19, 2014

Respectfully Submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on December 19, 2014 in accordance with P.U.C. PROC. R. 22.74.



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