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APPLICATION OF J&S WATER §
COMPANY, LLC AND UTILITIES §
INVESTMENT COMPANY, INC. FOR §
SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF §
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE §
RIGHTS IN HARRIS COUNTY §

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF TEXAS

COMMISSION STAFF'S CLARIFICATION

Commission Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) files its Clarification. In support of its Clarification, Staff states the following:

I. Background

On September 9, 2014, J&S Water Company, LLC (J&S Water) filed an application requesting approval of the sale and transfer of a water system and sewer system and corresponding certificates of convenience and necessity (CCN Nos. 12085 and 20658) for a certificated service area in Harris County, Texas. J&S Water is the seller, and Utilities Investment Company, Inc. (Utilities Investment) is the purchaser. Utilities Investment currently holds water CCN No. 12671 and sewer CCN No. 20765.

On October 19, 2015, Staff recommended that the Commission approve the application and the sale and transfer transaction between J&S Water and Utilities Investment Company.

On November 3, 2015, the Administrative Law Judge entered Order No. 12, which approved the application and sale and transfer transaction. Additionally, Order No. 12 required J&S Water and Utilities Investment to file closing documents within one (1) year of the approval date. In response, J&S Water and Utilities Investment filed closing documents on November 16, 2015 and June 29, 2016.

On August 22, 2016, Staff filed its Recommendation on Final Disposition. Staff recommended that the Commission approve the application and the sale and transfer transaction between J&S Water and Utilities Investment Company. As part of its recommendation, Staff proposed revisions to J&S Water's and Utilities Investment's respective water and sewer CCNs.

On September 1, 2016, the Administrative Law Judge entered Order No. 15, which requested a clarification regarding Staff's recommendation. Specifically, Order No. 15 sought clarification on whether two additional CCNs, water CCN No. 13242 and sewer CCN No. 21091,

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needed to be created for and issued to Utilities Investment.

II. Clarification

Staff has determined that water CCN No. 13242 and sewer CCN No. 21091 will need to be created for and issued to Utilities Investment. To assist in the processing of the remainder of this proceeding, Staff requests that the Commission adopt the procedural schedule below:

Event	Deadline
Deadline for Staff to provide certificates to J&S Water and Utilities Investment	October 14, 2016
Deadline for J&S Water and Utilities Investment to file signed consent forms with the Commission	October 21, 2016
Deadline for parties to file a supplemental proposed order, including findings of fact and conclusions of law	October 28, 2017

III. Conclusion

Staff has determined that water CCN No. 13242 and sewer CCN No. 21091 will need to be created for and issued to Utilities Investment. Thus, Staff requests that the Commission adopt the procedural schedule above so that Staff may create and issue new CCNs for Utilities Investment.

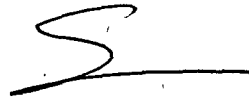
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Respectfully Submitted,

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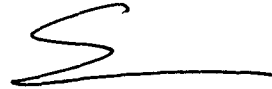


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