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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.

Kathleen Hartnett White, Chairman R. B. "Ralph" Marquez, Commissioner Larry R. Soward, Commissioner Margaret Hoffman, Executive Director



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Application of the City of Royse City to Amend Water CCN and Obtain Sewer CCN in Collin, Rockwall, and Hunt Counties; Application of Verandah Communities, LP to Obtain sewer CCN in Hunt and Rockwall Counties; Application of Parker Creek Estates, L.P. to Obtain a Water and Sewer CCN in Rockwall County, Texas, Application of the City of Fate to Amend Water CCN in Rockwall County, Texas; SOAH Docket Nos. 582-04-0253; 582-04-1268; and 582-04-2730.

Docket Clerk:

Re:

Please find enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter:

"Executive Director's Motion to Extend Procedural Deadlines."

The deadline to propound written discovery in the above cases was yesterday, May, 10. The Executive Director's intention was to file this motion requesting a one week extension yesterday, before the expiration of this deadline, however, by mistake, this Motion was only filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk of the TCEQ. Please accept this Executive Director's Motion to Extend Procedural Deadlines for filing.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (512) 239-5845. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 11th day of May, 2004, a true and correct copy of the foregoing Executive Director's Motion to Extend Procedural Deadlines was sent by first class mail, agency mail and/or facsimile to all persons on the attached mailing list.

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APPLICATIONS OF THE CITY OF ROYSE CITY TO AMEND WATER CCN NO. 12827 AND TO OBTAIN A SEWER CCN IN COLLIN, ROCKWALL AND HUNT COUNTIES, TEXAS; APPLICATION NOS. 34270-C AND 34277-C	2004 11.37 1 J PN 4: 1 CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE
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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S MOTION TO EXTEND PROCEDURAL DEADLINES

COMES NOW, the Executive Director of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality ("TCEQ" or "Commission"), by and through a representative of the Commission's Environmental Law Division, and files the Executive Director's Motion to Extend Procedural Deadlines. The Executive Director requests that procedural deadlines in SOAH Docket Nos. 582-04-0253 and 582-04-1268 be extended by one week.

I. REVISED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

In Order No. 4 applicable to State Office of Administrative Hearings ("SOAH") Docket No. 582-04-0253 and 582-04-1268, the Honorable Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") extended the last day to propound written discovery on the parties until May 10, 2004 and revised several other deadlines. Currently, in Order No. 3 applicable only to SOAH Docket No. 582-04-2730 issued today, the proceedings for that docket were abated until June 4, 2004, however, the procedural schedule for Docket Nos. 582-04-0253 and 582-04-1268 are continuing. The parties wish to continue the discovery schedule for these dockets without abating any of those proceedings, therefore, the Executive Director submits that it would be appropriate to extend the deadlines outlined in ALJ Order No. 4 applicable to SOAH Docket numbers 582-04-0253 and 582-04-1268 by one week. This extension is necessary to enable the Executive Director to receive the answers to its first round of discovery requests to the City of Fate and to make any additional requests, if necessary, since the City of Fate is still a party in the proceedings under SOAH Docket Numbers 582-04-0253 and 582-04-1268.

II. CONCLUSION

The Executive Director respectfully requests that the ALJ extend the deadline to propound written discovery requests in SOAH Docket Nos. 582-04-0253 and 582-04-1268 by one week from the date of this filing and to revise the schedule as follows:

May 17, 2004:

Last day to propound written discovery on the parties

June 10, 2004:

All discovery responses and supplementation due

June 17, 2004

All Applicants' prefiled direct testimony due.

The Executive Director has conferred with representatives for all parties participating in SOAH Docket Nos. 582-04-0253 and 582-04-1268 except the City of Royse City (contact was attempted but unsuccessful), and those parties do not oppose the Executive Director's motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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