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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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> SOAH Docket No. 582-02-3056; Application from City of Austin to Re: Obtain a Water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) in Travis, Hays and Williamson Counties; Application No. 33562-C; and

Application from City of Austin to Obtain a Sewer Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) in Travis, Hays and Williamson

Counties; Application No. 33563-C

SOAH Docket No. 582-02-3056; Application of Hornsby Bend Utility Company to Amend Certificate of Convenience and Necessity No. 20650

SOAH Docket No. 582-02-3056; Application of Hornsby Bend Utility Company to Amend Certificate of Convenience and Necessity No. 11978

Dear Ms. Wise:

Attached please find the original and one copy of Second Joint Motion to Extend Time for Filing Prefiled Testimony in the above-referenced matter. Please file the original, date-stamp the copy and return the copy to my messenger.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (512) 494-3611.

Very truly yours,

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SOAH DOCKET NO. 582-02-3056 TCEQ DOCKET NOS. 2002-0189-UCR and 2000-0112-UCR

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATIONS OF THE CITY OF	§ §	BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE
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CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY	§	ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
(NO. 33563-C)	§	
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APPLICATION OF HORNSBY	§	BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE
BEND UTILITY COMPANY	§	
TO AMEND CERTIFICATE	§	OF
OF CONVENIENCE AND	§	
NECESSITY NO. 20650	§	ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
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TO AMEND CERTIFICATE	§	OF
OF CONVENIENCE AND	§	
NECESSITY NO. 11978	§	ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

SECOND JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND TIME FOR FILING PREFILED TESTIMONY

TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:

I. Introduction

The City of Austin ("City) and Hornsby Bend Utility Company, Inc. ("Hornsby"), also referred to as "the Parties," file this Second Joint Motion to Extend Time for Filing Prefiled Testimony in the above-referenced proceeding, and in support of this motion submit the following:

II. Basis for Motion

Since the Parties' Joint Motion to Extend Time for Filing Prefiled Testimony, which was granted on August 1, 2003, the Parties have successfully completed a second day of mediation that culminated in a written document outlining all major components of a complete settlement. The Parties are now finalizing a detailed settlement agreement, and have every reason to believe this matter will be settled once and for all. Finalizing the settlement agreement will take more time, however, and the Parties file today's motion to allow them the opportunity to continue finalizing the detailed settlement agreement rather than finalizing and submitting prefiled testimony. Once again, today's motion does not seek any continuance on the actual hearing date—currently scheduled to begin on October 6, 2003—but seeks only extensions on certain intermediate deadlines. Specifically, the Parties request that the scheduled dates be changed so that the Applicants file prefiled testimony on September 12, 2003; the Executive Director files prefiled testimony on September 26, 2003; and objections and motions to strike testimony and evidence are due October 1, 2003. Counsel for the Executive Director has no objection to these extensions. The Parties seek these extensions in the interest of judicial economy and not for the sake of delay.

III. Prayer

The City and Hornsby respectfully request that the ALJ issue an order extending these deadlines for the reasons stated above.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing pleading has been sent by Facsimile and Regular U.S. Mail, on this 20th day of August, 2003, to the following:

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