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Commission Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas files the attached Proposed Notice of Approval.

Date: August 17, 2015

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 August 17, 2015, in accordance with 16 TAC  $\S$  22.74.

Sam Chang

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APPLICATION OF LAKE LIVINGSTON WATER SUPPLY AND	§ 8	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
SEWER SERVICE CORPORATION	8 §	OF TEXAS
AND TYLER COUNTY WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION FOR SALE,	§ 8	
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	
RIGHTS IN TYLER COUNTY (37966-S)	§ §	

## ORDER NO. 12 APPROVING SALE/TRANSFER TO PROCEED

On June 30, 2014, Lake Livingston Water Supply and Sewer Service Corporation (Lake Livingston WSC) filed an application for the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Tyler County, Texas. On July 31, 2015, Commission Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) filed its Recommendation on Final Disposition. Staff recommended that the Commission approve Lake Livingston WSC's application and the proposed sale and transfer transaction.

Consistent with Staff's recommendation, the sale and transfer transaction as contemplated in Lake Livingston WSC's application may proceed and be consummated. Pursuant to 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 24.112(e), Lake Livingston WSC shall have 365 days to submit proof to the Commission that the transaction has been consummated. If closing documents are not submitted within this period, or an extension granted, approval of this transaction is void. Lake Livingston WSC is advised that there will be no change to the relevant Certificate of Convenience and Necessity until the sale and transfer transaction is complete and in accordance with Commission rules.

Beginning September 1, 2015, and continuing monthly thereafter, Lake Livingston WSC shall file status updates regarding the sale and transfer transaction. Within thirty (30) days following the filing of Lake Livingston WSC's proof that the sale and transfer transaction has been consummated and customer deposits (if any) have been addressed, Staff shall file its recommendation on the adequacy of the documents.

SIGNED AT AUSTIN, TEXAS THE \_\_\_\_\_ day of August 2015

# PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

STEPHANIE FRAZZELL ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE