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APPLICATION OF PALO DURO
SERVICE COMPANY, INC. TO AMEND §
ITS CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE §
AND NECESSITY IN PARKER AND
WISE COUNTIES

BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE OF

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION

Commission Staff (Staff) of the Public Utilities Commission of Texas files Commission Staff's Request for an Extension in response to SOAH Order No. 4. In support thereof, Staff shows the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On November 21, 2014 Palo Duro Service Company (Palo Duro) filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) a request for correction of maps related to water certificate of convenience (CCN) No. 12200 in Parker and Wise Counties. The Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) gave Staff until February 16, 2016 to file a final recommendation or joint proposed order. Thus, this extension request is timely.

II. REQUEST

Pursuant to 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 24.102(a)(1), the Commission must ensure the Applicant has a Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) approved system before granting or amending a CCN. On February 16, 2016, the ALJ gave Palo Duro until March 15, 2016 to demonstrate approval for construction of certain facilities. Staff requests that its deadline for completing its review and filing a recommendation or joint proposed order be extended until April 5, 2016.

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 February 16, 2016, in accordance with 16 TAC \S 22.74.

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