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APPLICATION OF THOMPSON  
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COMPANY FOR A PASS THROUGH  
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## COMMISSION STAFF'S RESPONSE TO NOTICE FINDING APPLICATION DEFICIENT, SUPPLEMENTAL RECOMMENDATION ON SUFFICIENCY

COMES NOW the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), representing the public interest, and files this Response to Notice Finding Application Deficient, and would show the following:

### I. BACKGROUND

On December 3, 2014, Thompson Heights Development Company (THDC) filed an application pursuant to P.U.C. SUBST. R. 24.21(h) for approval of pass through water charges to reflect increases in purchased water rates assessed by the City of Denison, affecting Thompson Heights subdivision in Grayson County, Texas.

On January 6, 2015, the ALJ issued a notice finding the application deficient, and requiring THDC to file additional information and a revised proposed notice to cure the deficiencies identified by Staff by February 5, 2015. The notice also required Staff to file a supplemental recommendation on the sufficiency of the application and notice, and a proposed procedural schedule, within 15 working days of THDC's filing of the revised proposed notice.

On February 5, 2015, THDC requested a one-week extension to February 12, 2015 to file its additional documentation in order to gather information requested by Staff. On February 6, 2015, the ALJ granted THDC's request for extension. On February 13, 2015, THDC filed the additional documentation and a revised proposed notice intended to cure the deficiencies identified by Staff. Staff now timely files this response within 15 working days of THDC's filing.

### II. ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLETENESS OF THE APPLICATION AND NOTICE

Staff has reviewed THDC's revised application and notice, and has determined that there are no material deficiencies and that it satisfies the requirements of P.U.C. SUBST. R. 24.21(h)(4)

and (5). Therefore, Staff recommends that THDC's amended application and notice be found administratively complete and sufficient for a review on the merits.

### **III. PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

Staff proposes the following procedural schedule:

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>
Application Filed	December 3, 2014
Deadline for Staff to request a hearing or to file a final recommendation	March 19, 2015

### **IV. CONCLUSION**

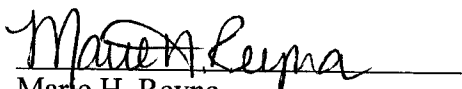
Staff respectfully requests that the ALJ issue an order consistent with this pleading.

**Dated: March 5, 2015**

Respectfully Submitted,

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Division Director-Legal Division

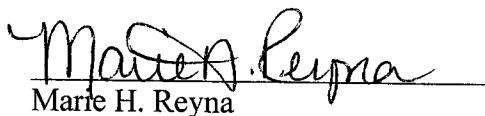
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I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on March 5, 2015, in accordance with P.U.C. Procedural Rule 22.74.

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