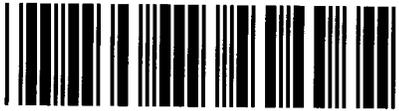


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SOAH ORDER NO. 1
DESCRIPTION OF CASE AND
NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE

1. Description of Case

On December 15, 2014, the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) referred this case to the State Office of Administrative Hearings to conduct a contested case hearing and issue a proposal for decision, if necessary. On December 9, 2014, M.E.N. Water Supply Corporation, Angus Water Supply Corporation, Chatfield Water Supply Corporation, Corbet Water Supply Corporation, and the City of Kerens (the Ratepayers) filed an appeal of the water rates set by the City of Corsicana. The Ratepayers also requested that the Commission establish interim rate to be in effect until the Commission makes a final decision. The Ratepayers filed their appeal pursuant to Texas Water Code § 13.043(f) and seek interim rates under Texas Water Code § 13.043(h). The Commission is currently scheduled to consider and possibly adopt a preliminary order in this case at its January 29, 2015 open meeting.

2. Notice of Prehearing Conference

The Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) will convene a prehearing conference on:

February 2, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.
State Office of Administrative Hearings
300 W. 15th Street, Fourth Floor
Austin, Texas

As set out in P.U.C. Proc. R. 22.121, the ALJ will consider the following matters at the prehearing conference:

- (1) motions and other preliminary matters related to the proceeding, including notice, discovery, and procedural schedules;
- (2) settlement of the case or clarification and simplification of the issues;
- (3) the necessity or desirability of amended pleadings;
- (4) the possibility of obtaining stipulations that would avoid the unnecessary introduction of evidence;
- (5) evidentiary matters, including a request for interim relief;
- (6) the specific procedures to be followed at the hearing;
- (7) the scheduling of the hearing on the merits; and
- (8) any other matters as may assist in the disposition of the proceeding in a fair and efficient manner.

SIGNED December 22, 2014.



**KERRIE JO QUALTROUGH
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS**