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### SOAH DOCKET NO. 582-05-1005 TCEQ DOCKET NO. 2004-1384-UCR

PETITION OF BEXAR METROPOLITAN §
WATER DISTRICT TO COMPEL RAW §
WATER COMMITMENT FROM §
GUADALUPE-BLANCO RIVER §
AUTHORITY §

BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE

OF

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

### ORDER NO. 8 EXTENDING DEADLINE FOR REPORT

On May 2, 2006, Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority ("GBRA"), an intervenor in the captioned action, submitted to the State Office of Administrative Hearings ("SOAH") a scheduled status report, indicating that the parties have been prevented from fully discussing the appropriate level of GBRA's reimbursable expenses in this proceeding, because of out-of-town personal commitments on the part of one party representative. GBRA proposed leaving the record open for an additional two weeks to allow the parties further opportunity to resolve questions regarding the appropriate expenses

Based upon the parties' representations, the ALJ hereby extends until May 23, 2006, the deadline to propose an appropriate amount of case expenses for Petitioner to defray in order to qualify for dismissal without prejudice under 30 TAC § 80.25(e). By that date, Petitioner shall submit to the ALJ a brief written status report, indicating whether the parties have reached an agreement regarding expenses or expect to be able to do so within a reasonably short time thereafter. If no agreement is then anticipated, the report should include a proposal for a procedural mechanism that will enable the ALJ to make an efficient determination of reimbursable expenses. Other parties may also submit status reports by May 23, if desired.

## PROCEDURAL QUESTIONS

Routine procedural and logistical questions may be directed to Rita McBride at (512) 475 3419, however, please note that SOAH support personnel are not authorized to provide general advice or the interpretation of regulations or policy.

SIGNED May 8, 2006.

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ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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> Re SOAH Docket No. 582-05-1005 TCEQ Docket No. 2004-1384-UCR Status Report in Response to Order No. 7

Dear Judge Rogan:

Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority ("GBRA") encloses with this letter its Status Report in the above referenced case.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Molly Cagle

Enclosure

cc. LaDonna Castañuela (Via Facsimile)
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#### STATUS REPORT

This status report is submitted on behalf of Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority ("GBRA") in response to Order No 7, Directing Parties to Determine Expenses, and request for status report.

Because of extended, out-of-town personal commitments, counsel for GBRA was not able to confer with Bexar Metropolitan Water District ("Bexar Met") during the period proposed for conference in Order No. 7. The undersigned advised Mr. Paul Terrill via phone message yesterday that a summary of expenses would be forthcoming today, and that GBRA would file a status report with the Judge taking responsibility for the lack of activity regarding resolution of expenses. A summary of expenses has now been sent to Mr. Terrill for his consideration. We apologize to Your Honor and to BexarMet for any inconvenience our delay in conterring regarding expenses, or submission of this status report may have caused.

Under the circumstances, GBRA respectfully requests that the Judge leave the record open in this matter for at least two weeks, to allow GBRA to file any papers which may be appropriate. We are hopeful that reimbursement of expenses will be resolved by that date as well.

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Respectfully submitted,

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I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority's Status Report was served on the following person(s) via electronic mail and/or facsimile on May 2, 2006.

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MESSAGE: Please see attached GBRA's Status Report in response to SOAH Order No. 7

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Re:

SOAH Docket No. 582-05-1005 TCEQ Docket No. 2004-1384-UCR

Petition of Bexar Metropolitan Water District to Compel Raw Water Commitment from Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority

Dear Ms. Castañuela:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket, please find Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority's ("GBRA's") Reply to the Response of Bexar Metropolitan Water District to GBRA's Motion to Dismiss. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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Hon. Mike Rogan (via facsimilie) cc:

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