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House Bill (HB) 1600 and Senate Bill (SB) 567 83rd Legislature, Regular Session, transferred the functions relating to the economic regulation of water and sewer utilities from the TCEQ to the PUC effective September 1, 2014

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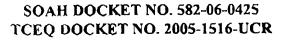
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APPLICATION OF TAPATIO SPRINGS § BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE SERVICE COMPANY, INC., § TO AMEND CERTIFICATES § OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY § ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS COUNTY, TEXAS §

ORDER NO. 10 PROPOSING TO TAKE OFFICIAL NOTICE

Judge Mike Rogan has retired, and this case has been reassigned to the undersigned Administrative Law Judge (ALJ), who is reviewing the record and arguments and preparing a proposal for decision (PFD) to be issued no later than October 6, 2006.

The ALJ proposes, pursuant to Texas Gov't Code § 2001.090, to take official notice of a portion of the Applicant's tariff. Because the tanff was approved by the Commission, which is presumed to know of its own actions, taking official notice is appropriate.

In particular, the ALJ proposes to notice whether or not the tariff provides, should CDS International, Inc., exercise its option to withdraw from the Non-Standard Service Agreement, that the Applicant may require any future developer to pay the cost of constructing facilities to serve the area that the Applicant seeks to add to its certificate of convenience and necessity. At the hearing, Executive Director witness Daniel K. Smith indicated that tariffs generally contain such a provision, and that is the ALJ's experience as well. However, the Applicant's tariff is not in evidence and has not been officially noticed in this case.

Not later than September 20, 2006, the Applicant shall file with the ALJ an authenticated copy of its tariff. By September 27, 2006, any other party may file any objection thereto.

SIGNED September 13, 2006.

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