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APPLICATION OF ROLLING HILLS
WATER SERVICE, INC. FOR A
RATE/TARIFF CHANGE

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BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE
OF
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
FILING CLERK

STATUS REPORT AND MOTION FOR CONTINUED ABATEMENT

COMES NOW the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) AND files this Status Report and Motion for Continued Abatement. In support thereof, the Staff would show the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On March 31, 2015, Rolling Hills Water Service, Inc. (Rolling Hills or Applicant) filed an Application for a Water Rate/Tariff Change (Application) for water certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) No. 12724 in Hood County, Texas pursuant to Tex. Water Code § 13.187 (TWC) and 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 24.22 (TAC). Rolling Hills reported an adjusted annual revenue requirement of \$47,529 and proposed an effective date of June 1, 2015.

Order No. 2, issued on December 2, 2015, abated this case due to settlement discussions between the Applicant and Staff. Parties were given until January 6, 2016 to file a status report. This pleading is therefore timely filed.

II. CONTINUED ABATEMENT

Staff and Applicant are in continued discussions regarding the settlement agreement and require additional time to work out a possible final settlement. Applicant has represented to Staff that they are unopposed to this continued abatement while settlement discussions are ongoing. For this reason, the parties agree to file another status report in 30 days, by February 5, 2016. Continuing abatement does not have any adverse impact on any party.

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II. CONCLUSION

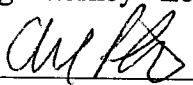
Staff requests the entry of an order granting this unopposed motion to continue abatement.

Dated January 6, 2016

Respectfully Submitted,

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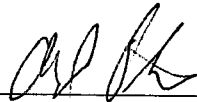


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on January 6, 2016, in accordance with 16 TAC § 22.74.



Alexander Petak