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APPLICATION OF SUNSET WATER,  
LLC FOR A RATE/TARIFF CHANGE

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COMMISSION STAFF'S STATUS UPDATE

TO THE HONORABLE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE REBECCA SMITH:

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff), representing the public interest, and files this Commission Staff's Status Update. In support thereof, Staff shows the following:

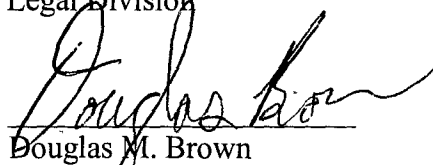
On June 16, 2015, Sunset Water, LLC (Sunset or Applicant) filed an application with the Commission for a rate/tariff change within Moore County.

This matter was referred to the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) on September 10, 2015. On October 13, 2015, Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Rebecca Smith presided over a prehearing conference for this matter where Staff and Applicant discussed the possibility of working together towards a settlement and agreed to provide the ALJ with a status update. Staff shared affidavits in support of stipulations with the Applicant and Intervenors on August 4, 2016, and Staff and the Applicant are working on the proposed terms, so the Applicant can present a settlement offer to its customers. Therefore, Staff respectfully requests until September 3, 2016 to file a supplemental status update or settlement package.

Respectfully Submitted,

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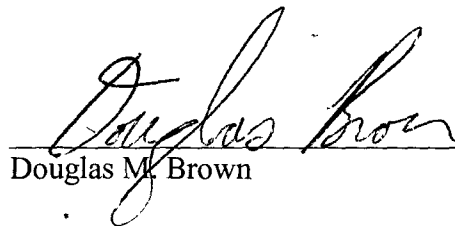


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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on August 5, 2016 in accordance with 16 TAC § 22.74.



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