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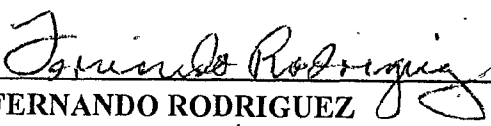
APPLICATION OF HOE WATER	§	BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE
SUPPLY CORPORATION AND HARRIS	§	
COUNTY MUD NO. 480 FOR SALE,	§	
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF	§	OF
CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN HARRIS	§	
COUNTY	§	ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

SOAH ORDER NO. 2
ABATING PROCEEDING AND CANCELING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

On October 27, 2016, Public Utility Commission Staff (Staff) filed its Unopposed Motion to Abate (Motion). In its Motion, Staff advised that the parties were working to gather necessary documentation that might prevent needless expense related to a prehearing conference currently scheduled for November 2, 2016. On behalf of the parties, Staff requests that the proceeding be abated to give Harris County MUD time to acquire necessary approvals from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality for new facility and distribution plans for the new water system. Staff also proposes that the parties file monthly status reports to ensure the continued advancement of this docket. The first status report would be filed on November 30, 2016. Staff's request, on behalf of the parties, is reasonable and has merit.

THEREFORE, this proceeding is hereby **ABATED**. The parties **SHALL FILE MONTHLY STATUS REPORTS**, beginning on November 30, 2016. The prehearing conference, previously scheduled for November 2, 2016, is hereby **CANCELED**.

SIGNED October 27, 2016.


FERNANDO RODRIGUEZ
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS