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CITY OF CELINA'S NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROVIDE WATER AND SEWER SERVICE TO AREA DECERTIFIED FROM AQUA TEXAS, INC. IN DENTON COUNTY

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

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SOAH ORDER NO. 6 REQUESTING PROPOSED FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

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On October 4, 2016, the ALJs issued SOAH Order No. 5 adopting the parties' proposed briefing outline. The order did not, however, address proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law as is normally done in PUC dockets at SOAH. This case is one of first impression. As a result, although the proposal for decision (PFD) is largely complete, the ALJs request that the parties provide, at a minimum, proposed conclusions of law and ordering provisions, if any. The parties are welcome to also provide proposed findings of fact, although this is not as important as conclusions of law. In drafting proposed conclusions of law, the ALJs also request that the parties include legal conclusions that may play a role in their ultimate proposed conclusions of law.

The ALJs request that the parties file proposed findings (if any) and conclusions of law no later than **January 10, 2017**. The ALJs anticipate issuing the PFD shortly thereafter. All such filings must also be emailed to <u>melissa.ethridge@soah.texas.gov</u> in Microsoft Word format.

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SIGNED December 27, 2016.

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