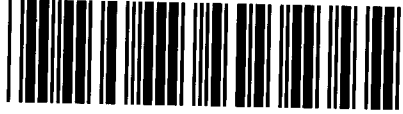


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**APPLICATION OF MSEC § PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**  
**ENTERPRISES, INC. TO AMEND §**  
**A WATER CERTIFICATE OF §**  
**CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY § OF TEXAS**  
**IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY §**

**COMMISSION STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION ON SUFFICIENCY OF NOTICE AND PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), representing the public interest and files this recommendation on Sufficiency of Notice and Proposed Procedural Schedule and would show the following:

**I. BACKGROUND**

On October 3, 2016, MSEC Enterprises, Inc. filed with the Commission an application to amend its water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 12887 in Montgomery County. On November 3, 2016, Order No. 2 was issued, setting December 16, 2016 as the deadline for MSEC to file signed affidavits that the notice was given along with a copy of the notice sent to affected parties and published in a newspaper of general circulation. Order No. 2 also required that Staff file its recommendation on the sufficiency of the notice within 10 days of MSEC filing proof of completed notice. On December 7, 2016, MSEC filed its affidavits of publication and mailed notice, with a supplemental filing on December 9, 2016 providing a copy of the actual notice mailed.

**II. RECOMMENDATION ON SUFFICIENCY OF NOTICE AND PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

Staff recommends that the notice be found sufficient, as set out in the attached memorandum from Ricky Herrera, Staff Engineer, and Gary Horton, Jr., GIS Specialist of the Water Utilities Division. Staff proposes the following procedural schedule:

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Event	Date
Notice Completed	November 23, 2016
Deadline for intervention	December 23, 2016
Deadline for Staff to provide final maps, certificates, and tariffs (if applicable) to MSEC for review and consent	March 21, 2017
Deadline for MSEC to file signed consent forms with the Commission	April 4, 2017
If no hearing is requested, deadline for Staff to file a final recommendation on the application	April 11, 2017
If no hearing is requested, deadline for parties to file joint proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law	April 18, 2017

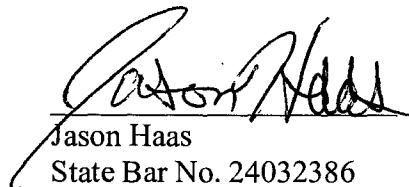
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Respectfully Submitted,

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS  
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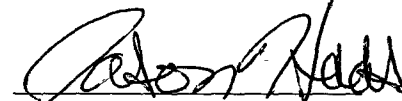
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I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on December 19, 2016 in accordance with 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 22.74.

  
Jason Haas

## PUC Interoffice Memorandum

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**To:** Jason Haas  
Legal Division

**Thru:** Tammy Benter, Director  
Lisa Fuentes, Work Lead  
Water Utilities Division

**From:** Ricky Herrera, Staff Engineer  
Gary Horton, Jr., GIS Specialist  
Water Utilities Division

**Date:** December 8 2016

**Subject:** **Docket 46423**, *Application of MSEC Enterprises, Inc. to Amend a Water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity in Montgomery County*

On October 3, 2016, MSEC Enterprises, Inc. filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) an application to amend its water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 12887 in Montgomery County, Texas pursuant to Texas Water Code Ann. (TWC), §§ 13.242 - 13.250 and the 16 Tex. Admin Code (TAC) §§ 24.101 - 24.107.

MSEC Enterprises, Inc. filed notice documentation on December 7, 2016 and supplemental information on December 9, 2016 to include a copy of the notice and map. Staff reviewed the documentation and recommends that the notice be found sufficient.