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**APPLICATION OF MELVIN BLOCK §
AND CITY OF BRIDGE CITY FOR §
SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF §
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE §
RIGHTS IN ORANGE COUNTY §**

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**ORDER NO. 4
APPROVING SALE/TRANSFER TO PROCEED**

This Order addresses Commission Staff's May 4, 2017, recommendation that the transaction proposed in this application be allowed to proceed.

Consistent with Commission Staff's recommendation the transaction proposed in this application may proceed and be consummated. As soon as possible after the effective date of the transaction, but not later than 30 days after, applicants shall file proof that the transaction has been consummated and customer deposits have been properly addressed.¹ Applicants have 180 days to complete the transaction.² If the transaction is not consummated within this period, the approval is void, unless the commission in writing extends the time period for good cause shown.³ Applicants are advised that the certificate affected by this application will continue to be held by Melvin Block until this application is complete in accordance with the Commission's rules and final approval is issued

In an effort to finalize this case as soon as possible, beginning June 5, 2017, and continuing monthly thereafter, applicants shall file an update regarding the status of the efforts to complete the transaction and to submit documents evidencing the transaction was consummated and customer deposits properly addressed.

Within 15 days following the filing of applicants' proof that the transaction has been consummated and customer deposits (if any) have been addressed, Commission Staff shall file a recommendation regarding the sufficiency of the documents and propose a schedule for the continued processing of this docket

¹ 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 24.109(n) (TAC).


² 16 TAC § 24.109(o).

³ *Id.*

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Signed at Austin, Texas the 5TH day of May 2017.

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JEFFREY J. HUHN
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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