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APPLICATION OF LIL	§	PUBLIC UTILITY CO
COUNTRYSIDE WSC TO OBTAIN A	§	
WATER CERTIFICATE OF	§	OF TEXAS
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN	§	
HUNT COUNTY	§	

## ORDER NO. 5 FINDING NOTICE DEFICIENT; GRANTING GOOD CAUSE EXCEPTION; ESTABLISHING DEADLINES FOR OPPORTUNITY TO CURE

This Order addresses Commission Staff's July 28, 2017, recommendation on notice. Commission Staff noted there remain unresolved deficiencies with the notice. These deficiencies are described in the memorandum of Andrew Novak of the Commission's Water Utility Regulation Division attached to Commission Staff's filing of July 28, 2017. Commission Staff proposed the Lil Countryside WSC be given until August 31, 2017, to file supplemental documents addressing the deficiencies.

Commission Staff further recommended that Lil Countryside WSC's request for a good cause exception to waive the notice requirements under 16 Texas Administrative Code § 24.106(c) be granted. Due to Lil Countryside's small size, general financial condition, and its provision of notice to all required entities by mail, Commission Staff believes the requirement of published notice would be unduly burdensome.

Consistent with Commission Staff's recommendation, Lil Countryside WSC's request to waive the requirements for published notice is granted. Additionally, notice is deemed deficient. On or before August 31, 2017, the Lil Countryside WSC shall file information to correct the deficiencies identified by Commission Staff. Commission Staff shall file a supplemental recommendation on sufficiency of the notice and propose a procedural schedule, if appropriate, no later than 10 days after receiving supplemental documents from the applicant.



Signed at Austin, Texas the  $12^{\frac{1}{2}}$  day of August 2017.

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS** 

JEFFREY J. HUHŃ

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE** 

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