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**APPLICATION OF KNEE DEEP
WATER COMPANY TO RELINQUISH
EXEMPT UTILITY REGISTRATION**

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**ORDER NO. 1
REQUIRING COMMENTS ON THE APPLICATION
AND ADDRESSING OTHER PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

I. Application

This Order addresses Knee Deep Water Company's December 13, 2017 request to relinquish its exempt utility registration #N0051. The applicant stated that due to the effects of Hurricane Harvey, all the land, homes, and structures serviced by the company have been bought out by Harris County and the homes and structures in the service area are being demolished and will not be rebuilt. The water well currently does not have electricity nor will it have any in the future.

**II. Requiring Comments on Administrative Completeness of Application and
Procedural Schedule**

On or before January 26, 2018, Commission Staff shall file comments regarding the administrative completeness of the application, how the application should be processed, and propose a procedural schedule, if necessary. Notice of this application will appear in the *Texas Register*.

III. Filings

Unless otherwise specified, an original and ten copies of documents relating to this proceeding must be filed with the Commission filing clerk according to 16 TAC § 22.71. A copy of each document filed with the Commission must also be served on all parties as provided in 16 TAC § 22.74. All filings can be accessed on the PUC Interchange, <http://interchange.puc.texas.gov>.

All parties shall provide their current addresses, telephone and facsimile numbers, if

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available, to all other parties and the Commission by filing and serving all parties with such information. Each party shall provide the Commission and all parties with updated address, telephone, and facsimile information if such information changes. The telephone and facsimile numbers will be placed on the service list for this proceeding. Parties are responsible for updating their own service lists to reflect changed information and the addition of any other parties.

IV. Ex Parte Communications

Ex parte communications with the administrative law judge are prohibited.¹ Parties should communicate with the administrative law judge only through written documents filed with the Commission's filing clerk and served on all parties.

Signed at Austin, Texas the 9th day of January 2018.

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¹ 16 TAC § 22.3(b)(2).