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APPLICATION OF BAMMEL FOREST §
UTILITY COMPANY AND QUADVEST, §
L.P. FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR §
MERGER OF FACILITIES AND §
CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN HARRIS §
COUNTY §

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
FILING CLERK
OF TEXAS

**ORDER NO. 4
APPROVING TRANSACTION TO PROCEED**

This Order addresses the application of Bammel Forest Utility Company and Quadvest, L.P. for sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Harris County.

The administrative law judge (ALJ) finds the transaction proposed in this application may proceed and be completed. As soon as possible after the effective date of the transaction, but not later than 30 days after, applicants must file proof the transaction has been completed¹ and that customer deposits have been properly addressed. Applicants have 180 days to complete the transaction.² If the transaction is not completed within this period, this 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 Bammel Forest 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 December 1, 2018, and continuing monthly thereafter, the applicants must file an update regarding the status of the efforts to conclude the transaction and submit documents evidencing the transaction was completed and customer deposits properly addressed.

Within 15 days following the filing of the applicants' proof that the transaction has been completed, Commission Staff is required to file a recommendation regarding the sufficiency of the documents and propose a schedule for the continued processing of this docket.

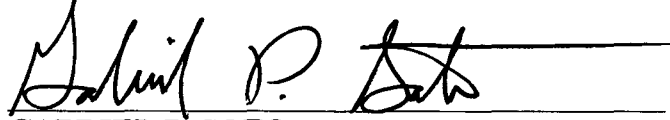
¹ 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 24.239(n).

² 16 TAC § 24.239(o).

³ *Id.*

Signed at Austin, Texas the 25TH day of October 2018.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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GABRIEL P. SOTO

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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