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**APPLICATION OF THE CITY OF
EDINBURG TO AMEND A
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE
AND NECESSITY UNDER TEXAS
WATER CODE § 13.255 AND
DECERTIFY A PORTION OF
NORTH ALAMO WATER SUPPLY
CORPORATION'S SERVICE AREA
IN HIDALGO COUNTY**

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COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

COMES NOW the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), representing the public interest, and files this Commission Staff's Request for Extension.

I. BACKGROUND

On September 27, 2018, the City of Edinburg (Edinburg) filed an application to amend water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 12106 to incorporate areas it currently serves and to decertify a portion of North Alamo Water Supply Corporation's water service area in Hidalgo County. The requested service area consists of 218.71 acres.

On October 3, 2018, Order No. 1 was issued establishing a deadline of October 27, 2018 for Staff to file a recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application and notice and propose a procedural schedule for further processing of the application. Since that day falls on a Saturday, the pleading is due the next business day, which is October 29, 2018.¹ Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

II. STAFF'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Pursuant to 16 TAC § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Staff requires additional time to review the application. Therefore, Staff respectfully requests that the ALJ find good cause to extend Staff's deadline to file its recommendation to November 2, 2018.

¹ 16 TAC § 22.4(a).

III. CONCLUSION

For the reasons discussed above, Staff respectfully requests that its motion for a good cause extension be granted.

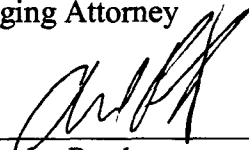
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on October 26, 2018, in accordance with 16 Texas Administrative Code § 22.74.



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