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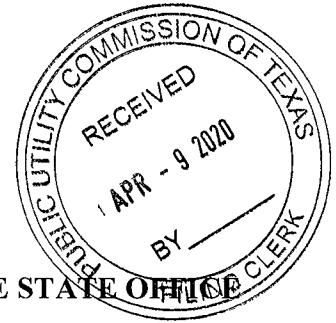


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I certify that, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer, notice of the filing of this document was provided to all parties of record via electronic mail on April 9, 2020, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.



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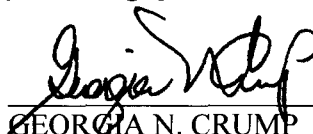
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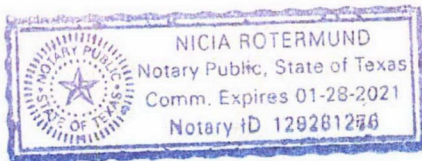
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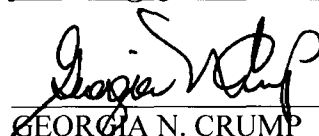
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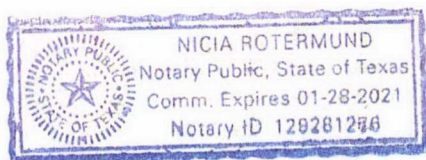
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INFORMATION

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SOAH ORDEN NO. 1

Marzo 30, 2020

Estimados clientes de Undine,

Nuestra solicitud para un cambio en las tarifas ha sido referido por la Comisión de Servicios Públicos a un Juez de Derecho Administrativo de la Comisión (ALJ) y el 18 de febrero de 2020, el ALJ emitió una orden que determina que los requisitos de la solicitud están administrativamente completos.

El 26 de marzo de 2020, el juez administrativo emitió la Orden N° 1 de SOAH, describiendo el caso, convocando a una Conferencia previa a la audiencia y describiendo los requisitos de procedimiento. Otros asuntos que aún deben dirigirse incluyen la designación de los interventores, mociones pendientes, la posible solución de problemas y "otros asuntos que pueden ayudar en el procesamiento eficiente y justo de este caso".

Por favor de revisar el aviso de la audiencia que proporciona la fecha propuesta de la conferencia, así como el proceso requerido que los clientes que deseen asistir o intervenir en el proceso DEBEN seguir.

Respetuosamente,

Manejo de la Undine



AVISO DE CONFERENCIA DE PREHEARING
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SOLICITUD

Undine Texas, LLC y Undine Texas Environmental, LLC han presentado ante la Comisión de Servicios Públicos (Comisión) una solicitud para un cambio de tarifa / tarifa bajo el Certificado de Conveniencia y Necesidad de Agua No. 13260, y los Certificados de Conveniencia y Necesidad de Alcantarilla No. 20816, 20832, 21019, 21026 y 21106 en los condados de Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Johnson, Matagorda, Montgomery, Parker y Tarrant, Texas. Los aumentos propuestos tuvieron una fecha efectiva del 24 de enero de 2020, que ha sido suspendida por la Comisión hasta el 15 de octubre de 2020.

AVISO DE CONFERENCIA DE PREHEARING

Una conferencia previa a la audiencia se convocará a las **10:00 a.m., el 2 de junio de 2020, en la Oficina Estatal de Audiencias Administrativas, 300 West 15th Street, 4th Floor, Austin, Texas**. Los asuntos que pueden discutirse incluyen procedimientos, mociones pendientes, posible solución de problemas y otros asuntos que pueden ayudar en el procesamiento eficiente y justo de este caso. Las personas que asisten a la conferencia previa a la audiencia deben primero registrarse con el personal de seguridad del edificio en el vestíbulo del edificio y recibir una credencial de visitante, y deben dar tiempo suficiente para el procedimiento de registro.

Para intervenir (es decir, participar en este caso como parte), una persona deberá intervenir interviniendo presentando una moción por escrito para intervenir ante la Comisión **a más tardar el 21 de abril de 2020**. Cualquier moción se referirá al expediente SOAH No. 473-20- 3110.WS y PUC Docket No. 50200, incluyen la información de contacto de la persona (incluyendo, como mínimo, la dirección, el número de teléfono y la dirección de correo electrónico de la persona), y de lo contrario cumplen con las reglas de procedimiento de la Comisión. La presentación previa de una protesta no cumple con el requisito de que una persona que quiera participar como parte debe moverse para intervenir como se describió anteriormente. **Debido al coronavirus, la Comisión solo acepta presentaciones realizadas en línea a través del sistema de archivos electrónicos Interchange de la Comisión en <https://interchange.puc.texas.gov/filer>**. Al realizar presentaciones en línea para este caso, utilice el "número de control" 50200. Cuando los clientes afectados tengan intereses similares, se les recomienda que presenten una solicitud conjunta para intervenir y designar en esa solicitud o lo antes posible en una presentación posterior a un solo representante para actuar por el grupo.

Se ha establecido un cronograma de procedimiento en este caso y está disponible en la Comisión de Servicios Públicos de Texas Interchange en <http://interchange.puc.texas.gov>, ingresando el número de control 50200, presionando "buscar" y haciendo clic en el documento número para SOAH Order No. 1.

INFORMACIÓN

Para obtener información sobre el proceso de audiencia, comuníquese con el Secretario de la PUC, 1701 N. Congress Ave., P.O. Box 13326, Austin, TX 78711-3326. Puede encontrar información general sobre la Comisión en su sitio web en www.puc.texas.gov. Las personas con discapacidades que planean asistir a esta audiencia y que necesitan adaptaciones especiales en la audiencia deben llamar al Departamento de Docketing de SOAH al (512) 475-3445, al menos una semana antes de la conferencia previa a la audiencia.

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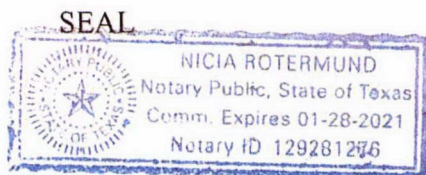
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