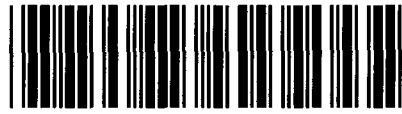


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APPLICATION OF MSEC WASTE
WATER, INC. FOR AUTHORITY TO
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PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF TEXAS

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 Request for Extension. In support thereof, Staff shows the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On March 9, 2020, MSEC Waste Water, Inc. (MSEC or the Applicant) filed as a Class D utility using a Class C rate change application for its sewer customers. MSEC holds sewer certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) number 20984 with a total of 10 active connections.

On April 8, 2020, the administrative law judge (ALJ) issued Order No. 2, directing Staff to file comments on the administrative completeness of the application and notice by April 15, 2020. On April 15, 2020, Staff filed its Recommendation on Administrative Completeness of the Application and Notice, recommending that MSEC’s application and notice be found deficient and administratively incomplete.

On April 16, 2020, the ALJ issued Order No. 3, finding the application incomplete and deficient, directing MSEC to supplement its application to cure the deficiencies by May 6, 2020, and directing Staff to file a supplemental recommendation regarding administrative completeness by May 27, 2020. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

II. 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 MSEC’s supplement to its application, filed on May 6, 2020, to determine whether MSEC filed the appropriate application and to make a determination regarding the administrative completeness of the application and notice. As such, Staff requests that the deadline for Staff to file its

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supplemental recommendation regarding the administrative completeness of the application and notice be extended to June 10, 2020.

III. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the issuance of an order granting Staff's request and extending the deadline for Staff to file its supplemental recommendation regarding the administrative completeness of the application and notice to June 10, 2020.

Dated: May 26, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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 May 26, 2020, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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