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

COMMISSION STAFF’S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On March 9, 2020, MSEC Waste Water, Inc. (MSEC) 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) No. 20984 with a total of 10 active connections

On July 1, 2021, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 15, suspending the 120-day deadline¹ for the Commission to set the matter for a hearing on its own motion and requiring the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff) to request a hearing or file a recommendation on final disposition on or before July 21, 2021. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Under 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Staff recently received requested information from MSEC to review and requires additional time to finalize its final recommendation. Therefore, Staff respectfully requests that the deadline for Staff to file its final recommendation or request a hearing be extended to August 4, 2021.²

II. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the issuance of an order granting Staff’s request and extending the deadline for Staff to file its final recommendation or request a hearing to August 4, 2021.

¹ See Order No. 15 (Jul. 1, 2021) (citing 16 TAC § 24.35(c)(1)).

Dated: July 20, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS
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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 July 20, 2021, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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