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APPLICATION OF POLONIA WATER	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COM
SUPPLY CORPORATION AND THE	§	
CITY OF LOCKHART FOR APPROVAL	§	
OF A SERVICE AREA CNTRACT	§	OF TEXAS
UNDER TEXAS WATER CODE § 13.248	§	
AND TO AMEND CERTIFICATES OF	§	
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN	§	
CALDWELL COUNTY	§	

### STAFF'S SECOND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

**COMES NOW** the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), representing the public interest, and files this Second Request for Extension. In support thereof, Staff would show the following:

#### I. BACKGROUND

On February 24, 2020, Polonia Water Supply Corporation (Polonia WSC) and the City of Lockhart (Lockhart) (the "Applicants") filed an application for approval of a service area contract under Texas Water Code (TWC) § 13.301 and to amend its Certificates of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) in Caldwell County. The Applicants filed supplemental information on April 3, 2020 and April 9, 2020.

On March 5, 2020 the Administrative Law Judge in this case issued Order No. 2 giving Polonia WSC and Lockhart until April 8, 2020 to clarify whether the applicant intended for the application to proceed under TWC § 13.248 or TWC § 13.301. Order No. 2 also required Staff to file a recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application and propose a procedural schedule by April 22, 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. The Applicants clarified that they wish to proceed with this application under TWC § 13.301. This requires Staff to do a financial review of the application that is not required for an application under TWC § 13.248. Staff requires additional time to

complete a financial review of the application. Therefore, Staff requests that it be given until May 15, 2020 to file a recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application.

#### III. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests an order consistent with the foregoing request for extention.

Dated: April 21, 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 April 21, 2020, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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