



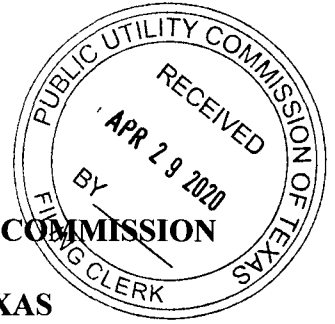
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APPLICATION OF SIMPLY AQUATICS, §
INC. FOR A CLASS D ANNUAL RATE §
ADJUSTMENT §

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF TEXAS

**ORDER NO. 5
FINDING APPLICATION ADMINISTRATIVELY
COMPLETE AND ACCEPTED FOR FILING**

This Order addresses Commission Staff’s recommendation filed on April 28, 2020, regarding administrative completeness of Simply Aquatics, Inc.’s (Simply Aquatics) application. Commission Staff recommended that the application be found administratively complete and accepted for filing. Commission Staff recommended that, in order for the notice to comply with Texas Water Code § 13.1872(c)(1), Simply Aquatics should be required to issue notice at least 30 days before the effective date established in the Commission’s order approving or modifying Simply Aquatics’ application.

The administrative law judge (ALJ) finds Simply Aquatics’ application administratively complete and accepted for filing. The ALJ establishes an effective date of the rate increase of June 19, 2020.

Under 16 Texas Administrative Code § 24.49(e), Simply Aquatics is required to provide notice to each ratepayer after it receives a written notice of approval issued by the Commission and at least 30 days before the effective date of the proposed rate change. Because the notice of approval has not yet been issued, the ALJ instructs Simply Aquatics not to provide notice to ratepayers until the notice of approval is issued in the present docket.

Signed at Austin, Texas the 29th day of April 2020.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS



HUNTER BURKHALTER
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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