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**APPLICATION OF JAMES NELSON
DBA WATERCO TO OBTAIN A
WATER CERTIFICATE OF
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN
MONTAGUE COUNTY**

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COMMISSION STAFF'S STATUS REPORT

On June 23, 2020, James Nelson dba Waterco (Waterco) filed an application to obtain a water certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) in Montague County. The requested service area consists of an undetermined number of acres and as many as 20 potential connections. On April 7, 2021, Order No. 5 was filed requiring the parties to provide a status report and procedural schedule, if appropriate, by April 16, 2021. This pleading, therefore, is timely filed.

I. STATUS REPORT

Staff recommends that this docket continue to be abated. In Docket No. 51642, CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC has sought to purchase all utility assets of Waterco.¹ Currently, that docket has been deemed administratively complete.²

Staff does not propose a further procedural schedule at this time. If and when the transaction is approved in Docket No. 51642, Staff will likely move for this docket to be dismissed for mootness under 16 Texas Administrative Code § 22.181(d)(2).

II. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully submits the foregoing status report.

Dated: April 9, 2021

¹ *Application of James L. Nelson dba Waterco and CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC for Sale, Transfer, or Merger of Facilities and Certificate Rights in Montague County*, Docket No. 51642 (pending).

² *Id.*, Order No. 3 Finding Application Administratively Complete; Requiring Notice; and Establishing Procedural Schedule (Mar. 23, 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 on April 9, 2021, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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