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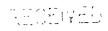
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APPLICATION OF AQUA UTILITIES,

INC. AND AQUA TEXAS, INC. FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE

RIGHTS IN BANDERA COUNTY



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AQUA TEXAS, INC.'S RESPONSES TO COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

To: Public Utility Commission of Texas Staff, by and through its attorney of record, Robert Dakota Parish, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas 78711.

Aqua Texas, Inc. (Aqua) serves the following Responses to the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) Staff's First Request for Information. Pursuant to the PUC Procedural Rules, these responses are timely filed. Aqua stipulates that the following responses to RFIs may be treated by all parties as if the answer was filed under oath.

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 February 22, 2021, in accordance with the Orders Suspending Rules filed in Project No. 50664.

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RESPONSES TO REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

STAFF RFI 1-1

Please provide the docket number(s) where SW Water Area 1 and SW Water Area 2, listed in the proposed tariff for Aqua Texas, Inc., were added to the tariff and the public water system numbers for each of these systems.

RESPONSE:

SW Water Area 1 and SW Water Area 2 were added to Aqua Texas, Inc.'s tariff in PUC Docket No. 48769. However, the areas were certificated to Aqua Development, Inc., CCN No. 12902, for many years prior even though not identified as SW Water Area 1 and SW Water Area 2. Those identifiers were assigned as part of the PUC Docket No. 48769 application process for notice purposes. There are no facilities or customers in those areas and no corresponding public water system numbers.

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RESPONSES TO REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

STAFF RFI 1-2 Please provide a copy of the corporation's "Certificate of Account Status" from the Texas Comptroller.

RESPONSE: Please see attached "Certificate of Account Status" for Aqua Texas, Inc.

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RESPONSES TO REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

STAFF RFI 1-3 Please provide a list of all affiliated organizations and explain the affiliate's

business relationship with the applicant.

RESPONSE: Aqua Utilities, Inc., Aqua Development, Inc., Harper Water Company, Inc.,

and Kerrville South Water Company, Inc. are all business organizations that are or were previously regulated by the Public Utility Commission of Texas and TCEQ. They are all owned by Essential Utilities, Inc. (formerly known as Aqua America, Inc.) as is Aqua Texas, Inc. All previously operated together under the assumed name of Aqua Texas, but Aqua Development, Inc., Harper Water Company, Inc. and Kerrville South Water Company, Inc. have now transferred their assets and CCN service areas to Aqua Texas, Inc. with PUC approval. Aqua Utilities, Inc. still holds some water and wastewater facilities and CCN service areas, but it has transferred most of its facilities and CCN service areas to Aqua Texas, Inc. with PUC approval.

Another Texas business organization owned by Essential Utilities, Inc. is called Aqua Operations, Inc. That entity does not perform functions regulated by the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

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Franchise Tax Account Status

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AQUA TEXAS, INC.

Texas Taxpayer Number 32014405503

1106 CLAYTON LN STE 400W AUSTIN, TX Mailing Address

78723-2476

Right to Transact Business in Texas ACTIVE

State of Formation TX

Effective SOS Registration Date 02/13/2004

Texas SOS File Number 0800304878

Registered Agent Name C T CORPORATION SYSTEM

1999 BRYAN ST., STE. 900 DALLAS, TX **Registered Office Street Address**

75201

Public Information Report

Public Information Report AQUA TEXAS, INC.

Report Year :2019

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