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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

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF TEXAS

COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION

On December 18, 2020, James L. Nelson dba Waterco (Waterco) and CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC (CSWR-Texas) (collectively, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale and transfer of water facilities in Montague County. CSWR-Texas seeks approval to transfer Waterco's facilities associated with the water service area formerly served under cancelled water certificate of convenience and necessity No. 10130. CSWR-Texas filed supplemental information on December 22, 2020, January 4, 5, and 19, 2021, and February 18 and 19, 2021.

Order No. 9, filed on December 30, 2021, directed the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas to jointly file a proposed notice of approval alongside the Applicants, including proposed findings of fact, conclusions of law, and ordering paragraphs by March 4, 2022. On March 4, 2022, Staff incorrectly filed this pleading erroneously titled as "Commission Staff's Recommendation on Approval of the Sale." This pleading corrects that error and provides the correct filing description.

I. 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. Staff is continuing to finalize its review of the proposed findings of fact, conclusions of law, and ordering paragraphs; however, Staff requires additional time to complete its review. Accordingly, Staff requests that the deadline for parties to file a supplemental recommendation on the sufficiency of the application and notice, and propose a procedural schedule be extended to March 9, 2022. Staff has spoken with the Applicants and the Applicants do not oppose this extension request.

II. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests an order consistent with the foregoing request.

Date: March 7, 2022

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 March 7, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

<u>/s/ John Harrison</u> John Harrison