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**APPLICATION OF SAM HILL §
VENTURE TO AMEND THE TOWN OF §
LITTLE ELM'S CERTIFICATE OF §
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN §
DENTON COUNTY BY EXPEDITED §
RELEASE §**

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF TEXAS**

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COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On February 22, 2021, Sam Hill Venture (Sam Hill) filed a petition to amend the Town of Little Elm's (Little Elm) water certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) in Denton County by streamlined expedited release. Sam Hill seeks the expedited release of 14.5 acres of its tract of land that lies within the boundaries of Little Elm's water CCN number 11202.

On April 14, 2021, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 2, requiring the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff) to file its recommendation on final disposition on or before May 18, 2021. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Under 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Staff requires additional time to finalize its recommendation on final disposition. Therefore, Staff respectfully requests that the deadline for Staff to file its recommendation be extended to May 28, 2021.

II. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the issuance of an order granting Staff's request and extending the deadline for Staff to file its recommendation on final disposition to May 28, 2021.

Dated: May 17, 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 via electronic mail on May 17, 2021, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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