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APPLICATION OF AQUA WATER § PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
SUPPLY CORPORATION AND §
POLONIA WATER SUPPLY §
CORPORATION FOR SALE, § OF TEXAS
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF §
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE §
RIGHTS IN BASTROP AND §
CALDWELL COUNTIES §

ORDER NO. 4
FINDING NOTICE SUFFICIENT AND ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This Order addresses the sufficiency of the notice provided by the applicants regarding the application for the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Bastrop and Caldwell counties.

On September 14, 2021, the applicants filed: (1) the affidavit of Dave McMurry, general manager of Aqua Water Supply Corporation, attesting that notice was provided to current customers, landowners, neighboring utilities, and affected parties on August 26, 2021; (2) the affidavit of Paul L. Pittman, general manager of Polonia Water Supply Corporation, attesting that notice was provided to current customers, landowners, neighboring utilities, and affected parties on September 10, 2021; and (3) a sample notice to current customers, neighboring systems, and cities with maps.

On September 30, 2021, Commission Staff recommended the notice be found sufficient.

The administrative law judge finds the notice sufficient.

The following procedural schedule applies for continued processing of this docket:

| Event | Date |
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| Notice completed | September 13, 2021 |
| Deadline for intervention | October 13, 2021 |
| Deadline for Staff to request a hearing or file a recommendation on the approval of the sale and on the certificate of convenience and necessity amendments | November 12, 2021 |
| Deadline for parties to file a response to Commission Staff's recommendation on approval of the sale | November 24, 2021 |

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| Deadline for parties to file a joint motion to admit evidence and proposed order approving the sale and allowing transaction to proceed. | December 10, 2021 |
| 120-day deadline for the Commission to approve the sale or require a hearing | January 11, 2022 ¹ |

Signed at Austin, Texas the 1st day of October 2021.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS



**CHRISTINA DENMARK
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**

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¹ Under 16 TAC § 24.239(a) and (i), the deadline for Commission action is 120 days after the mailing or publication of notice, whichever occurs later. One hundred and twenty days after September 13, 2021 is January 11, 2022.