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APPLICATION OF SOUTHWEST	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND	§	
MANVEL TERRACE UTILITIES, INC.	§	OF TEXAS
FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER	§	
OF FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	
RIGHTS IN FORT BENDCOUNTY	§	

COMMISSION STAFF’S SECOND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On July 16, 2021, Manvel Terrace Utilities, Inc. (Manvel Terrace) and the Southwest Environmental Resources (Southwest) (collectively, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Fort Bend County. Specifically, Manvel Terrace seeks approval to acquire facilities and to transfer water service area held under Southwest’s Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 11648 to Manvel Terrace’s CCN No. 12080.

On January 5, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 5, establishing a deadline of February 18, 2022, for the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to request a hearing or file a final recommendation on approval of the sale and CCN amendment. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

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 filed its first request for information to Southwest on February 4, 2022. Staff requests this extension so that it may review Southwest’s responses. Accordingly, Staff requests that the deadline to request a hearing or file a final recommendation on approval of the sale and CCN amendment be extended to March 16, 2022.

II. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the issuance of an order consistent with the foregoing request.

Dated: February 17, 2022

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 February 17, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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