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APPLICATION OF EAST HOUSTON UTILITIES, INC. FOR AUTHORITY TO CHANGE RATES BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

EAST HOUSTON UTILITIES, INC.'S THIRD STATUS REPORT

On February 27, 2024, East Houston Utilities, Inc. (EHU) filed a motion to abate PUC Docket No. 52370, which was granted. On April 5, 2024, the ALJ issued Order No. 11 Extending Abatement; Requiring Status Report and instructed the parties to file either a status report or a proposed procedural schedule by May 6, 2024. On May 13, 2024 EHU filed a Status Report and requested a deadline of May 24, 2024 to file another status report. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

During the abatement, the parties finalized and filed a Unanimous Stipulation and Settlement Agreement and Motion to Dismiss Mr. Gary Lechner as a party to this proceeding. However, additional time is needed to prepare Motion to Remand and Motion to Admit Evidence and proposed Final Order for the contested case proceeding. Therefore, EHU respectfully requests that this proceeding continue to be abated until June 7, 2024, and that a deadline of June 7, 2024 be set for the parties to file a Motion for Remand and Motion to Admit Evidence and proposed Final Order, or another status report if needed. Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer, notice of this document was provided to all parties of record via electronic mail on May 24, 2024 in accordance with the Second Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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