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APPLICATION OF CREEKWOOD	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
RANCHES WATER SUPPLY	§	
CORPORATION AND EAST MEDINA	§	OF TEXAS
SPECIAL UTILITY DISTRICT FOR	§	
SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF	§	
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	
RIGHTS IN MEDINA COUNTY	§	

COMMISSION STAFF’S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On August 24, 2021, East Medina Special Utility District (East Medina SUD) and Creekwood Ranches Water Supply Corporation (Creekwood Ranches WSC) (collectively, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale and transfer of facilities and certificate rights in Medina County. Specifically, East Medina SUD, Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 10217, seeks approval to acquire facilities and to transfer all of the water service area from Creekwood Ranches WSC under water CCN No. 11897. The requested area includes 161 customer connections and approximately 355 acres, comprised of 355 acres of transferred area from CCN No. 11897. Applicants filed supplemental information on September 3, 2021.

On December 30, 2021, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 4, establishing a deadline of January 18, 2022 for the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a Joint Motion to Admit Evidence and Proposed Order approving the sale and allowing the transaction to proceed. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. COMMISSION STAFF’S 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 has resolved the outstanding issues in this application and is in the process of drafting the Joint Motion to Admit Evidence and Proposed Order and requires additional time to confer with the Applicants regarding the same. Consequently, Staff respectfully requests an extension of time until February 1, 2022, for Staff and Applicants to file the Joint Motion to Admit Evidence and Proposed Order approving the sale and allowing the transaction to proceed. Staff is authorized to state that the Applicants are unopposed to this request.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons discussed above, Staff respectfully requests an extension of time until February 1, 2022, for Staff to file its Joint Motion to Admit Evidence and Proposed Order approving the sale and allowing the transaction to proceed.

Dated: January 14, 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 January 14, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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