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APPLICATION OF HARRISON	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
WILLIAMS AND PINE KNOB ESTATE	§	
WATER, INC. FOR WATER UTILITY	§	OF TEXAS
STOCK TRANSFER	§	

**ORDER NO. 1
REQUIRING COMMISSION STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION**

This Order addresses Harrison Williams and Pine Knob Estate Water, Inc.'s August 26, 2021 request for approval of a water utility stock transfer under 16 TAC § 24.243.


Under 16 TAC § 24.243(a), a utility may not purchase voting stock, and a person may not acquire a controlling interest in a utility doing business in this state unless the utility or person files a written application with the commission no later than the 61st day before the date on which the transaction is to occur. The proposed effective date of the stock transfer is December 19, 2021. The 61st day prior to the proposed effective date is October 19, 2021. If the transaction is completed, Harrison Williams (Purchaser) will become the owner of Pine Knob Estate Water.

In accordance with 16 TAC § 24.243(e), unless the Commission requires that a public hearing be held, the purchase or acquisition may be completed as proposed: (1) at the end of the 60-day period; or (2) at any time after the Commission notifies the person or utility that a hearing will not be requested.

No later than September 16, 2021, Commission Staff must file a recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application and notice, and propose a procedural schedule for continued processing.

Signed at Austin, Texas the 31st day of August 2021.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS



**GREGORY R. SIEMANKOWSKI
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**