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

COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On August 26, 2021, Harrison Williams (Mr. Williams) and Pine Knob Estate Water, Inc. (Pine Knob) (collectively, Applicants) filed a request for approval of a water utility stock transfer pursuant to Texas Water Code (TWC) § 13.302 and 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 24.243. Under the transaction, Scott and Judy Robinson would sell 100% of their stock and ownership interest in Pine Knob to Mr. Williams.

On October 4, 2021, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 3, establishing a deadline of October 28, 2021 for the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a supplemental recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application and to propose a procedural schedule for continued processing. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Under 16 TAC § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Pursuant to Order No. 1, the Applicants were required to file supplemental information to cure deficiencies by October 14, 2021. Staff has conferred with Mr. Williams who indicated that he mailed the supplemental information on October 21, 2021 due the fact that some of it contains confidential information. On October 26, 2021, some confidential documents were filed, but Staff has not been able to review them to determine if they contain all the supplemental information needed to cure deficiencies. As such, Staff will need additional time to review the confidential information and work with Mr. Williams on getting any remaining supplemental information to make Staff's recommendation whether the application is administratively complete. Accordingly, Staff requests that the deadline to file a supplemental recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application be extended to November 8, 2021.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reason specified above, Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order extending the deadline to November 8, 2021, for Staff to file a supplemental recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application and to propose a procedural schedule.

Dated: October 27, 2021

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 on October 27, 2021 in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules filed in Project No. 50664.

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