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APPLICATION OF TEXAS WATER	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
SYSTEMS, INC. AND UNDINE	§	
DEVELOPMENT, LLC FOR SALE,	§	OF TEXAS
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF	§	
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	
RIGHTS IN GREGG, HENDERSON,	§	
SMITH, AND UPSHUR COUNTIES	§	

STATUS UPDATE

On September 2, 2021, Texas Water Systems, Inc. (TWS) and Undine Development, LLC (Undine) (jointly, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger (STM) of facilities and certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) rights in Gregg, Henderson, Smith, and Upshur Counties.

On August 2, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 12 requiring the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) and Applicants (collectively, Parties) to file status reports (or a joint report if appropriate) by August 12, 2022. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. STATUS UPDATE

Staff believes Parties have reached an agreement in principle in this docket, and Staff continues to work with Applicants to implement said settlement. Staff expects to file a recommendation on further processing of the docket soon. In the interest of maintaining a procedural schedule in this docket, Staff proposes filing its recommendation, another status report, or requesting a hearing in this docket by August 26, 2022.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons detailed above, Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order consistent with this recommendation.

Dated: August 12, 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 August 12, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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