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APPLICATION OF IRON HILL WATER	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
SUPPLY CORPORATION AND RUSK	§	
RURAL WATER SUPPLY	§	OF TEXAS
CORPORATION FOR SALE,	§	
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF	§	
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	
RIGHTS IN CHEROKEE COUNTY	§	

ORDER NO. 8
FINDING CLOSING DOCUMENTATION INSUFFICIENT AND ESTABLISHING
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This Order addresses the sufficiency of the closing documentation filed by Iron Hill Water Supply Corporation and Rusk Rural Water Supply Corporation on June 14, and July 21, 2022.

On July 21, 2022, Commission Staff filed a recommendation on the sufficiency of the closing documentation.

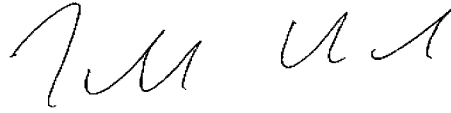
The administrative law judge finds the closing documentation insufficient, because the closing documentation does not meet the requirements of 16 Texas Administrative Code § 24.239(k). Specifically, the affidavit of deposit disbursement filed on June 14, 2022 states that “By August 15, 2022, all applicable deposits for customers affected by the above-referenced transfer application were transferred to Rusk Rural Water”. It is not clear from this affidavit if the deposits have been transferred at this time. Additionally, the July 21, 2022 letter does not meet the requirements under 16 TAC § 24.239(k) that the documents submitted be supported by a notarized affidavit.

The following procedural schedule applies for continued processing of this docket:

Events	Date
Deadline for applicants to provide proof that the transaction has been consummated in compliance with 16 TAC § 24.239(k)	August 3, 2022
Deadline for Commission Staff to file a supplemental recommendation on the sufficiency of the closing documents	September 10, 2022

Signed at Austin, Texas the 26th day of July 2022.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Huhn', is written over a horizontal line.

JEFFREY J. HUHN
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE