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#### **TARIFF CONTROL NO. 52850**

APPLICATION OF CONTROE \$ PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION RESORT UTILITIES, LLC FOR A \$ PASS THROUGH RATE CHANGE \$ OF TEXAS

## COMMISSION STAFF'S SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL RECOMMENDATION ON THE APPLICATION AND NOTICE

On November 15, 2021, Conroe Resort Utilities, LLC (Conroe Resort) filed an application under 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 24.25(b)(2) for approval of a pass-through rate change for an increase in the fees billed by the San Jacinto River Authority.

On February 1, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 3, establishing a deadline of February 28, 2022, for Conroe Resort to cure deficiencies set out by Staff in its recommendations filed on December 15, 2021 and January 28, 2022. Order No. 3 also set a deadline of March 14, 2022, for the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a supplemental recommendation on the true-up report, pass through rate change, and proposed notice. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

#### I. RECOMMENDATION ON THE APPLICATION

As of the date of this filing, Conroe Resort has not filed supplemental information to cure deficiencies set out in Staff's recommendations of December 15, 2021 and January 28, 2022. Staff recommends that Conroe Resort be ordered to cure the deficiencies identified in Ms. Mathis' memoranda by April 15, 2022, and that Staff be given a deadline of April 29, 2022, to file a supplemental recommendation on the completeness of the application or motion to dismiss. If Conroe Resort fails to file supplemental information by April 15, 2022, Staff recommends that the application be dismissed without prejudice.

#### II. RECOMMENDATION ON NOTICE

Conroe Resort similarly failed to amend the notice to cure the deficiencies identified in Ms. Gilford's memorandum as ordered by the ALJ in Order No. 2. Therefore, Staff recommends that the notice provided to customers continue to be found insufficient. Staff recommends that Conroe Resort amend the notice to cure the deficiencies identified in Ms. Gilford's memorandum by April 15, 2022, and that Staff be given a deadline of April 29, 2022, to file a supplemental recommendation on the sufficiency of the notice or motion to dismiss. If Conroe Resort fails to

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file supplemental information by April 15, 2022, Staff recommends that the application be dismissed without prejudice

## III. CONCLUSION

For the reasons detailed above, Staff respectfully requests that the application be found administratively incomplete, that Conroe be ordered to file supplemental information to cure the deficiencies in the application and notice by April 15, 2022, and that the application be dismissed without prejudice if a supplemental filing is not filed by Conroe Resort by April 15, 2022.

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

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