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APPLICATION OF CSWR-TEXAS	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
UTILITY OPERATING COMPANY	§	
LLC AND ARANSAS BAY UTILITIES	§	
CO., LLC FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR	§	OF TEXAS
MERGER OF FACILITIES AND	§	
CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN ARANSAS	§	
COUNTY		

COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On March 10, 2022, CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC (CSWR-Texas) and Aransas Bay Utilities Co., LLC (Aransas Bay Utilities) (collectively, the Applicants) filed an application for sale, transfer, or merger (STM) of facilities and certificate rights in Aransas County. Specifically, CSWR-Texas seeks approval to acquire facilities and to transfer water and sewer service areas held under water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 13290 and sewer CCN No. 21120. The requested water area includes approximately 282 acres, 409 water customer connections, and 35 sewer customer connections. The Applicants filed supplemental information on March 28, 2022, April 14, 2022, May 9, 2022, June 14, 2022, and June 20, 2022.

On May 26, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 3, requiring the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a request for a hearing or final recommendation on approval of the sale and CCN amendment by June 28, 2022. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

In accordance with 16 TAC § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Staff requires additional time to review the application. Accordingly, Staff requests that its deadline to file a request for a hearing or final recommendation on approval of the sale and CCN amendment be extended to July 12, 2022. Staff has consulted with the Applicants and they are unopposed to this extension request.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons detailed above, Staff respectfully requests that the deadline to file a request for a hearing or final recommendation on approval of the sale and CCN amendment be extended to July 12, 2022.

Dated: June 27, 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 June 27, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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