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APPLICATION OF ORBIT SYSTEMS, INC. AND UNDINE TEXAS, LLC FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN BRAZORIA COUNTY	§ § § § §	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS
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COMMISSION STAFF’S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On May 23, 2022, Undine Texas Environmental, LLC (Undine) and Orbit Systems, Inc. (Orbit) (collectively, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Brazoria County. Specifically, Undine, sewer Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 20682, seeks approval to acquire utility assets from Orbit under sewer CCN No. 20682.

On October 11, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 8, directing the parties to file a joint motion to admit evidence and proposed order approving sale and allowing transaction to proceed by November 28, 2022. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Under 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Staff needs additional time to review the application before submitting the clarifications required by the ALJ. Accordingly, Staff respectfully requests that the deadline for Staff to file clarifications be extended until January 18, 2023. Staff has conferred with counsel for Undine and is authorized to represent they support the proposed extension. Staff attempted to confer with Orbit but was unsuccessful. Staff did confer with Mr. Green and is authorized to represent he is unopposed to the proposed extension.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons stated above, Staff respectfully requests that its deadline to file clarifications be extended until January 18, 2023.

Dated: January 5, 2023

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 January 5, 2023, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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