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APPLICATION OF MONARCH	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
UTILITIES I L.P. FOR A CERTIFICATE	§	
OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY	§	OF TEXAS
NAME CHANGE AND A MINOR	§	
TARIFF CHANGE	§	

COMMISSION STAFF’S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On May 23, 2022, Monarch Utilities I L.P. (Monarch) filed an application for a certificate of convenience and necessity name change and a minor tariff change. Specifically, Monarch seeks to change its name to Texas Water Utilities, L.P. and update its application of service, which is included in its water tariffs as Appendix B, to reflect changes to its tapping process consistent with the Commission’s final order in Docket No. 50944.¹

On May 25, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 1, requiring the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file comments and recommendations regarding the sufficiency of the application, an appropriate form of notice, if any, and the proper method for processing this docket by June 23, 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 requires more time to review the application. Staff conferred with counsel for Monarch about this request, and Monarch agreed to Staff’s request for extension. Therefore, Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order extending Staff’s deadline to file comments and recommendations regarding the sufficiency of the application, an appropriate form of notice, if any, and the proper method for processing this docket to July 15, 2022.

¹ *Application of Monarch Utilities, I. L.P. for Authority to Change Rates*, Docket No. 50944, Order (Feb. 23, 2022).

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons discussed above, Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order extending Staff's deadline to file comments and recommendations regarding the sufficiency of the application, an appropriate form of notice, if any, and the proper method for processing this docket to July 15, 2022.

Dated: June 23, 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 June 23, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

/s/ Phillip Lehmann
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