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APPLICATION OF CRYSTAL	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
SYSTEMS TEXAS, LLC AND UNDINE	§	
TEXAS, LLC FOR SALE, TRANSFER,	§	OF TEXAS
OR MERGER OF FACILITIES AND	§	
CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN SMITH	§	
COUNTY	§	

COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On July 6, 2022, Crystal Systems Texas, LLC (Crystal Systems) and Undine Texas, LLC (Undine) (jointly, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) rights in Smith County. Applicants seek approval to sell and transfer Crystal System's facilities and all of Crystal System's certificated area under CCN No. 10804 to Undine.

On October 19, 2022, the administrative law judge filed Order No. 5, directing the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file comments on the administrative completeness of the application and proposed notice by November 4, 2022. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Under 16 Texas Administrative Code § 22.4(b), a party may request that the time allowed for the filing of any documents be extended for good cause. Due to some outstanding issues Staff is working with Undine to address, Staff needs additional time to submit its recommendation. Therefore, Staff respectfully requests that the deadline be extended to November 18, 2022. Staff conferred with counsel for Undine, who declined to take a position on our extension request.

II. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order extending Staff's deadline to November 18, 2022, to file its comments on the administrative completeness of the application and proposed notice.

Dated: November 4, 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 on November 4, 2022 in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules filed in Project No. 50664.

/s/ Ian Groetsch
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