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APPLICATION OF UNDINE TEXAS§ENVIRONMENTAL, LLC AND NITSCH§AND SON UTILITY COMPANY, INC. FOR§SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF§FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE§RIGHTS IN HARRIS COUNTY§

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF TEXAS

UNDINE SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO ORDER NO. 5

COMES NOW, Applicant, Undine Texas Environmental, LLC ("Undine") and

files this Supplemental Response to Order No. 5.

Attached as Exhibit A is the notice to Texas Water Utilities, LP

(formerly Monarch Utilities), an affidavit of delivery and notice, and the maps associated with Undine's application.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify pursuant to the above signature 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 16, 2023, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

EXHIBIT A

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS



AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE TO CURRENT CUSTOMERS, LANDOWNERS, NEIGHBORING UTILITIES, AND AFFECTED PARTIES DOCKET NO. 53828

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF Harris

Undine Texas Environmental, LLC notice to the following entities and customers:

Texas Water Utilities, LP (formerly Monarch Utilities) has provided individual

DATE OF NOTICE March 14, 2023

OATH

I, <u>Vance Tillman</u>, being duly sworn, file this form as <u>Chief Financial Officer</u> (indicate relationship to applicant, that is, owner, member of partnership, title of officer of corporation, or other authorized representative of applicant); that in such capacity, I am qualified and authorized to file and verify such form, am personally familiar with the notices given with this application, and have complied with all notice requirements in the application and application acceptance letter; and that all such statements made and matters set for therein are true and correct.

Applicant's Authorized Representative

If the applicant to this form is any person other than the sole owner, partner, officer of the applicant, or its attorney, a properly verified Power of Attorney must be enclosed.

Subscribed and sworn-to before me this 15 th day of	March , 2023
to certify which witness/my hand and seal of office.	
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Notary Public in and for the State of Texas	NICIA ROTERMUND
NiciaRotermund	Notary Public, State of Texas Comm. Expires 01-28-2025
Print or Type Name of Notary Public	Notary ID 129281276
Commission Expires VINU24 28,2025	
Notice Form Updated: March 31, 2022	

Notice to Current Customers, Landowners, Neighboring Systems, and Cities UNDINE TEXAS ENVIRONMENTAL, LLC, CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY (CCN) NO. 20816, NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND UNCERTIFICATED AREA TO CCN NO. 20816 AND PURCHASE SEWER FACILITIES AND TO TRANSFER SEWER SERVICE AREA UNDER CCN NO. 20446 FROM NITSCH & SON UTILITY COMPANY, INC. IN HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

To: Texas Water Utilities 12535 Reed Rd Sugarland, Texas 77478

Date Notice Mailed: March 14, 2023

Undine Texas Environmental, LLC	17681 Telge Road	Cypress, TX	77429
(Purchaser's Name)	(Address)	(City), (State)	(Zip Code)

has submitted an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to amend uncertificated area to CCN No. 20816 and to purchase all of the sewer facilities and to transfer sewer certificated service area under CCN No. 20446, in Harris County, TX from:

Nitsch & Son Utility Company, Inc.	8131 Northline Drive	Houston, TX	77037
(Seller's Name)	(Address)	(City), (State)	(Zip Code)

The requested area overlaps the district boundaries of:

- *Airline Improvement District*
- *Gulf Coast Authority*
- Harris County Flood Control District (FCD)
- Port of Houston Authority

If these districts do not request a public hearing, the Commission shall determine that the district is consenting to the <u>Undine Texas Environmental, LLC</u>'s request to provide retail sewer utility service in the requested area.

The sale is scheduled to take place if approved by the Commission (Texas Water Code § 13.301). The transaction and the transfer of the CCN includes the following:

The requested area includes <u>605</u> customer connections, is located approximately <u>8</u> mile(s) <u>north</u> of downtown <u>Houston</u>, Texas, and is generally bounded on the north by <u>Gulf Bank Road</u>; on the east by <u>Airline Drive</u>; on the south by <u>Little York Road</u>; and on the west by <u>Berwyn Drive</u>.

The requested area includes approximately 278 acres, comprised of:

83 acres of uncertificated area;

<u>195</u> acres of transferred area from Nitsch & Son Utility (CCN No. 20446) to Undine Texas Environmental, LLC (CCN No. 20816).

The application proposes the subtraction of approximately $\underline{195}$ acres from CCN No. 20446 and the addition of approximately $\underline{278}$ acres to CCN No. 20816.

See enclosed map showing the requested area.

The proposed transaction will change the current customers' rates and services to the current approved rates and services of Undine Texas Environmental, LLC, which are higher than the current rate for all meter sizes for <u>Nitsch & Son Utility Company, Inc</u>. To view a copy of the current approved tariff, go to: <u>https://www.undinellc.com/wp-content/uploads/Undine-Texas-Environmental-LLC-Sewer-Tariff.pdf</u> or email <u>info@undinellc.com</u> or call <u>713-574-5953</u> to request a copy.

Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought should contact the Public Utility Commission, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or call the Public Utility Commission at (512) 936-7120 or (888) 782-8477. Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the commission at (512) 936-7136. The deadline for intervention in the proceeding is (30 days from the mailing or publication of notice, whichever occurs later, unless otherwise provided by the presiding officer). You must send a letter requesting intervention to the commission which is received by that date. The letter must include the person's name, address, email address and fax number if applicable.

If a valid public hearing is requested, the Commission will forward the application to the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) for a hearing. If no settlement is reached and an evidentiary hearing is held, SOAH will submit a recommendation to the Commission for final decision. An evidentiary hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court.

A landowner with a tract of land at least 25 acres or more, that is partially or wholly located within the uncertificated requested area, may file a written request with the Commission to be excluded from the requested area ("opt out") within (30) days from the date that notice was provided by the Utility. All opt out requests must include a large-scale map, a metes and bounds description of the landowner's tract of land, landowner's name, address, email address and fax number, if applicable.

Persons who wish to request this option should file the required documents with the:

Public Utility Commission of Texas Central Records 1701 N. Congress, P. O. Box 13326 Austin, TX 78711-3326

In addition, the landowner must also send a copy of the opt out request to the Utility. Staff may request additional information regarding your request.

Si desea información en español, puede llamar al 1-888-782-8477.

<u>Carey Thomas</u> Utility Representative

<u>Undine Texas Environmental, LC</u> Utility Name



