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APPLICATION OF UNDINE TEXAS	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
ENVIRONMENTAL, LLC TO AMEND	§	
ITS SEWER CERTIFICATE OF	§	OF TEXAS
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN	§	
FORT BEND COUNTY	§	

COMMISSION STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION ON NOTICE

I. INTRODUCTION

On July 25, 2022, Undine Texas, LLC (Undine) filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) an application to amend its water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 13260 in Fort Bend County under Texas Water Code §§ 13.242 through 13.250 and 16 Texas Administrative Code §§ 24.225 through 24.237.

On January 18, 2023, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 6, directing the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a recommendation on the sufficiency of notice by February 13, 2023. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

II. RECOMMENDATION ON NOTICE

Staff has reviewed the proof of notice provided by Undine Texas and recommends that notice is sufficient. Specifically, Undine Texas provided an affidavit of notice dated January 23, 2023, and signed by Vance Tillman, Undine's CFO, that notice was provided on January 23, 2023, to landowners, neighboring utilities, and affected parties, as well as the maps that were attached to the provided notice. Undine also provided copies of its publication and a publisher's affidavit dated December 8, 2022, showing that notice was published in the *Fort Bend Herald*, a newspaper of general circulation in Fort Bend County, on November 24 and 29, 2022. Therefore, Staff recommends that the notice provided by Undine be deemed sufficient for the further processing of this matter.

III. CONCLUSION

For the reasons detailed above, Staff recommends that notice be deemed sufficient. Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order consistent with these recommendations.

Dated: February 13, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS LEGAL DIVISION

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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 February 13, 2023 in accordance with the Second Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

/s/ Ian Groetsch
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