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APPLICATION OF ORANGE COUNTY WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1 AND WATER NECESSITIES, INC. FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN ORANGE COUNTY PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF TEXAS

ORDER NO. 23 FINDING NOTICE DEFICIENT, REQUIRING CORRECTED NOTICE, AND ESTABLISHING REVISED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This Order addresses the sufficiency of notice provided by Orange County Water Control & Improvement District No. 1 and Water Necessities, Inc.'s (collectively, applicants) on December 3, 2024.

On January 7, 2025, Commission Staff filed a recommendation on the sufficiency of notice.

In Order No. 22 filed on January 16, 2025, the administrative law judge (ALJ) found the notice deficient and required the applicants to provide corrected notice as described in Commission Staff's January 7, 2025 recommendation, including the correct acreage of the total requested area and the map that was found sufficient on September 1, 2023. To date applicants have not provided corrected notice.

The ALJ finds the notice remains deficient and requires the applicants to provide corrected notice as described in Commission Staff's January 7, 2025 recommendation, including the correct acreage of the total requested area and the map that was found sufficient on September 1, 2023.

Event	Date
Deadline for the applicants to file with the Commission signed affidavits that the corrected notice was given along with a copy of the notice and map sent to the affected parties	March 28, 2025
Deadline for Commission Staff to file a recommendation on sufficiency of corrected notice	April 28, 2025
Deadline to intervene	30 days after notice is issued

The following revised procedural schedule applies:

Signed at Austin, Texas on the 5th day of March 2025.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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