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BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

APPLICATION OF INTEGRA WATER TEXAS, LLC FOR AUTHORITY TO CHANGE RATES

SOAH ORDER NO. 2 MEMORIALIZING PREHEARING CONFERENCE; ADOPTING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

On December 5, 2023, a prehearing conference convened in this matter. Appearing through counsel were the applicant, Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and the Office of Public Utility Counsel.

The ALJ established the based on a proposed effective date of June 19, 2023, the 265 day suspension ends on March 10, 2023. Nevertheless, the applicant agreed to further suspend the effective date until November 1, 2023.

I. PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

On December 7, 2023, the parties submitted a proposed procedural schedule. The proposed procedural schedule, as set out below, is adopted and schall gover this proceeding until further order.

Event	Date	
Prehearing Conference	December 5, 2023	
Settlement/Technical Conference (parties)	January 5, 2024	
Integra's direct testimony	January 17, 2024	
Objections to Integra's direct testimony	January 26, 2024	
Integra's responses to objections	February 2, 2024	
Intervenor's direct testimony or statement of position	February 7, 2024	
Objections to Intervenor's direct testimony	February 14, 2024	
Intervenor's responses to objections	February 19, 2024	
Staff's direct testimony	March 6, 2024	
Objections to Staff's direct testimony	March 13, 2024	
Staff's responses to objections	March 20, 2024	
Discovery ends on Integra and Intervenor Direct	March 20, 2024	
Settlement/Technical Conference (parties only)	March 21, 2024	
Discovery ends on Staff direct	March 25, 2024 April 10, 2024	
Integra rebuttal testimony		
Objections to Integra's rebuttal	April 17, 2024	
Integra's response to objections to rebuttal	May 8, 2024	
Discovery ends on rebuttal	May 15, 2024	
Hearing on the merits	May 28-29, 2024	
Post-Hearing Initial Brief	June 12, 2024	

Reply Brief and Proposed Findings of Fact and	June 26, 2024
Conclusions of Law	

Except hearing dates, any of the above may be modified without further order by written agreement of the parties.

The parties agreed to the following terms.

- 1. Drafts of testimony and discovery responses and emails containing drafts of testimony and discovery responses are not discoverable.
- 2. Filing and service to be completed as per the Commission's existing orders; email service to the parties is sufficient.
- 3. Discovery Deadlines:
 - a. Deadline for Written Discovery on Direct Testimony:
 - i. Responses are due within seven calendar days of the discovery request;
 - ii. Objections are due within seven calendar days of the discovery request;
 - iii. Motions to compel are due within three calendar days of the objection(s); and
 - iv. Responses to motions to compel are due within two calendar days of the motion to compel.
 - b. Deadline for Written Discovery on Integra rebuttal and Staff and Intervenor's Cross-Rebuttal Testimony:
 - i. Responses are due within five calendar days of the discovery request;
 - ii. Objections are due within three calendar days of the discovery request;
 - iii. Motions to compel are due within two calendar days of the objection(s); and
 - iv. Responses to motions to compel are due within two calendar days of the motion to compel.

II. **HEARING ON MERITS**

A hearing on the merits will convene at 9:00 a.m., on May 28, 2024, via videoconference. The hearing is expected to last two days. Attend the hearing in one of these ways:

By computer or smart device

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Signed December 11, 2023

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Administrative Law Judge