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APPLICATION OF SP UTILITY	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
COMPANY, INC. AND MUNICIPAL	§	
OPERATIONS, LLC FOR SALE,	§	OF TEXAS
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF	§	
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	
RIGHTS IN HARRIS COUNTY	§	

ORDER NO. 2 FINDING APPLICATION ADMINISTRATIVELY INCOMPLETE AND PROVIDING OPPORTUNITY TO CURE

This Order addresses the sufficiency of the August 7, 2023 application of SP Utility Company, Inc. and Municipal Operations, LLC for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Harris County.

On September 8, 2023, Commission Staff filed a recommendation on the sufficiency of the application.

The administrative law judge finds the application administratively incomplete and deficient. Under 16 Texas Administrative Code § 24.8(d), the Commission does not consider an application filed until it makes a determination that the application is administratively complete. Thus, at this time the application is not considered filed with the Commission.

By October 6, 2023, the applicants must cure the deficiencies more fully described in the memorandum of James Harville and the memorandum of David Lopez and Fred Bednarski, attached to Commission Staff's recommendation. Until the Commission receives and reviews the supplemental information, the application cannot proceed. The applicants must not issue notice until the application is deemed administratively complete.

By November 6, 2023, Commission Staff must file a supplemental recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application and proposed notice, and both the applicants and Commission Staff must file a recommendation regarding how to proceed with the application and propose a procedural schedule.

Signed at Austin, Texas on the 11th day of September 2023.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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