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COMPLAINT OF DANIEL DEWEBER	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
AND PRAIRIE BRANCH PROPERTIES	§	
LLC AGAINST AMON CARTER LAKE	§	OF TEXAS
WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION	8	

COMMISSION STAFF'S SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF POSITION

On April 22, 2024, Daniel Deweber and Prairie Branch Properties LLC (collectively, Complainants) filed a formal complaint against Amon Carter Lake Water Supply Corporation (Amon Carter Lake WSC) (collectively, Parties) alleging that Amon Carter Lake WSC's refused to provide adequate water services to his 60-acre development.

On June 26, 2024, the administrative law judge filed Order No. 4, directing the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a supplemental statement of position by July 10, 2024. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF POSITION

On June 13, 2024, Amon Carter Lake WSC filed a response to Order No. 3 stating that the Parties "have not engaged in settlement discussions." Additionally, on June 17, 2024, the Complainants also confirmed that the Parties have not reached a settlement agreement. Therefore, and for the reasons outlined in Staff's Commission Staff's Statement of Position, Response to Motion to Dismiss, and Request for Referral filed on May, 20, 2024, there are facts that are in dispute and evidentiary records need to be developed. Accordingly, Staff recommends that this docket be referred to the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) for a hearing on the merits.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons stated above, Staff respectfully recommends that this docket be referred to SOAH for a hearing on its merits.

¹ Order No. 3- Required Response (Jun. 13, 2024).

² Complaint Response per PUC Order Dated June 6, 2024 at 2 (Jun. 17, 2024).

Dated: July 10, 2024

Respectfully Submitted,

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DOCKET NO. 56520 CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer, notice of the filing of this document will be provided to all parties of record via electronic mail on July 10, 2024, in accordance with the Second Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

/s/ David Skawin
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