## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Paul Schaefer,	)
Complainant,	
VS.	) File No. WC-2013-0357
I.H. Utilities, Inc., Respondent.	) )

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR SUBMISSION OF STAFF REPORT

Comes Now the Staff ("Staff") of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission"), by and through counsel, and states:

1. On January 18, 2013, the Commission, in its *Notice of Contested Case* and *Orders for Small Formal Complaint*, ordered that:

The commission's staff shall investigate the complaint and file a report detailing staff's findings and recommendations no later than March 4, 2013.

- 2. Staff has reviewed, *inter alia*, the Complaint filed by Mr. Schaefer on January 17, and the Answer filed by I.H. Utilities on February 19.
- 3. Staff has been discussing potential resolutions of issues raised in the Complaint, and requests additional time to pursue resolution, or in the alternative, file its report detailing its findings and recommendations as ordered.
  - 4. Staff will file either a status report or its report by March 20, 2013.

WHEREFORE the Staff respectfully requests that the Commission extend the time for Staff's filing of its report detailing its findings and recommendations.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 1<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2013.

/s/ Sarah Kliethermes