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RE: Case No. WR-2000-68/SR-2000-69

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Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are an original and eight (8) conformed copies of a **MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPORT**.

This filing has been mailed or hand-delivered this date to all counsel of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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In the Matter of Terre Du Lac Utilities)
Corporation Water Rate Increase Request)

Case No. WR-2000-68

In the Matter of Terre Du Lac Utilities)
Corporation Sewer Rate Increase Request)

Case No. SR-2000-69

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), and for its *Motion For Extension Of Time To File Report* states to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") as follows:

1. On March 14, 2000, the Commission issued its *Order Approving Tariffs and First and Supplemental Agreements* (the "March 14 Order") in these cases, wherein, among other things, the Commission directed the Staff to "file its report on compliance and recommendations in each of these cases no later than September 30, 2000." The March 14 Order also provided that the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC") "may file a report on compliance and recommendations" by September 30 and that Terre Du Lac Utilities Corporation ("Company") "may file its response to any report" filed by the Staff or the OPC within 30 days of the filing of those reports.

2. The required Staff report referenced above will address the Company's compliance with the terms of two "settlement" agreements that were previously filed in these cases, and which the Commission approved by its March 14 Order. The Company and the Staff

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were signatories to the first of these agreements, and the Company, the Staff and the OPC were the signatories to the second agreement.

3. The Staff believes it now has the information necessary to prepare its compliance status report for these cases. However, due to the press of other recent business and the unavailability of a key staff member for a majority of the week of September 25, the Staff is in need of additional time to complete and file the report. Based upon its anticipated workload, the Staff believes that an extension of two weeks will be sufficient for this purpose.

4. The Staff has contacted representatives of the Company and the OPC regarding this request and they stated that they would not oppose the Commission granting the request. The OPC and the Company would, however, each like a comparable extension of the time that they have to make their respective filings in these cases, if they choose to make such filings.

5. Granting of the two-week extensions described above will result in the following:

Filing of Staff Compliance Status Report (required)	October 13, 2000
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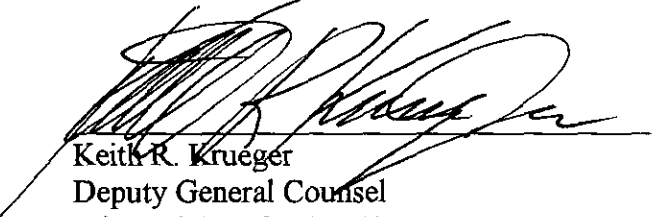
Filing of OPC Compliance Status Report (optional)	October 13, 2000
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Filing of Company Responses to Status Reports (optional)	November 10, 2000
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WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order granting its *Motion For Extension Of Time To File Report* and establishing the filing schedule set out in Paragraph 5 above.

Respectfully submitted,

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General Counsel

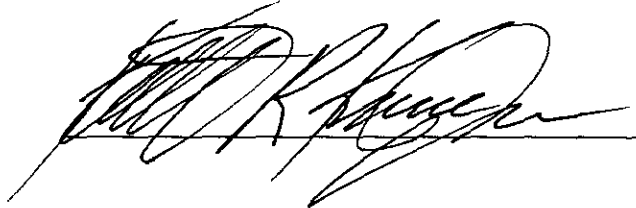


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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to all counsel of record as shown on the attached service list this 28th day of September 2000.



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