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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge **Public Service Commission** State of Missouri 200 Madison Street Governor's Office Building Jefferson City, MO 65101

> RE: Case No. SM-2000-608

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed herewith is an original and eight (8) copies of a Motion by Applicant, Ozark Water and Wastewater Management Co., Inc. to modify the procedural schedule in the above noted case.

As indicated in the Motion, none of the parties before the Commission in this proceeding has any objection to the granting of the Motion.

Yours trúlv

DGB:sg **Enclosures**

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Ozark Water)	Service Commission
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and Transfer Its Franchise, Treatment Plant and)	S
Substantially All Its Assets to Northern Christian)	Case No. WM-2000-608
County Regional Wastewater Facility, Inc. (a Non)	
Profit Sewer Cornoration Under 393 825, RSMo)	,	

MOTION TO MODIFY PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW, Ozark Water & Wastewater Management Co., Inc. (OWWM), and respectfully states the following to the Missouri Public Service Commission (the Commission):

- 1. On November 27, 2000, the Commission issued its <u>Order Adopting Procedural</u>

 <u>Schedy</u> (Order), wherein it established dates for, among other things, the filing of prepared testimony and an evidentiary hearing in the instant case. The Commission changed the date for the evidentiary hearing on January 2, 2002. Pursuant to the Commission's Order, OWWM's prepared direct testimony is now due on March 15, 2001.
- 2. As a result of recent developments regarding one of the major issues in this case, to wit: possible treatment of the sewage by contract with a public entity with adequate treatment capacity, OWWM submits that a 45-day delay in the procedural schedule is warranted. Such a delay in the schedule will allow the parties to further evaluate and discuss the said recent developments, which may in turn result in the settlement of this case and thus make the filing of prepared testimony and the evidentiary hearing unnecessary. The Staff of The Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), the Office of Public Counsel (Public Counsel), the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) and familia Limited Partnership d/b/a English Village Mobile Home Community (English Village) do not oppose



this Motion. However, the parties are not at this point suggesting the Commission cancel the procedural schedule.

WHEREFORE, OWWM, moves the Commission to delay the procedural schedule in this case and move all of the currently scheduled dates by approximately forty-five (45) days, or as otherwise as may accommodate the Commission's schedule.

Respectfully Submitted,

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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 12th day of March, 2001.

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