

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

In the Matter of Liberty Utilities (Missouri )  
Water) LLC and Ozark International, Inc., )  
Concerning an Agreement to Acquire the )  
Assets of Bilyeu Ridge Water Company, LLC, )  
Midland Water Company, Inc., Moore Bend ) File No. WM-2018-0023  
Water Utility, LLC, Riverfork Water Company, )  
Taney County Water, LLC, and Valley Woods )  
Utility. )

**MOTION TO AMEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

Under authority of, and in accordance with, 4 CSR 240-2.080, Liberty Utilities (Missouri Water) LLC and Ozark International, Inc., joint applicants in the above-captioned matter, ask the Commission to amend its November 8, 2017, *Order Adopting Procedural Schedule* to defer for one week – from March 9, 2018, to March 16, 2018 – the date for filing rebuttal testimony. The parties believe they have reached agreement in principle on terms for settlement of this case, and deferring the date for rebuttal testimony, which would become unnecessary if settlement is reached, would allow time to finalize those terms and prepare a written stipulation.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated above, the joint applicants ask the Commission to grant their motion and issue an order amending the *Order Adopting Procedural Schedule* in the manner requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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(MISSOURI WATER) LLC AND OZARK  
INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent via electronic mail this 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 2018, to all parties of record.

\_\_\_\_\_/s/L. Russell Mitten\_\_\_\_\_