BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the tariff filing of)	
Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri,)	
LLC to implement a general rate increase)	Cases Nos. WR-2006-0425
for water and sewer service provided)	SR-2006-0426
to customers in its Missouri service areas.)	

MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE

Comes now Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC (Algonquin) and, as its motion to consolidate, states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

- 1. Algonquin has filed with the Commission tariff sheets and direct testimony seeking a general rate increase for both its water and sewer systems (Tracking Nos. JW-2006-0847 and JS-2006-0848). Two case numbers have resulted from these filings (WR-2006-0425 and SR-2006-0426).
- 2. The subject water and sewer systems are owned and operated by the same entities and share some of the same overheads and personnel. Further, the sewer systems overlap geographically with the water systems.
- 3. Accordingly, there are common questions of law and fact in the above-referenced cases and the consolidation of Cases Nos. WR-2006-0425 and SR-2006-0426 would be administratively expedient in that it would simplify the filings to be made by Algonquin and the other parties to these matters.

WHEREFORE, Algonquin requests a Commission order consolidating Cases

Nos. WR-2006-0425 and SR-2006-0426, with Case No. WR-2006-0425 being the lead case.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent by electronic mail this 5^{th} day of May, 2006, to:

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