STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION JEFFERSON CITY January 4, 2000

CASE NO: SR-2000-302

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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,

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Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

Uncertified Copy:

Patricia A. Fribis

House Springs Sewer Co., Inc. 3800 Jeffco Boulevard Arnold, MO 63010

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Request of House Springs)
Sewer Company, Inc., for a Rate Increase Under) Case No. SR-2000-302
the Small Company Rate Increase Procedure.

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

On October 29, 1999, House Springs Sewer Company, Inc. (HSSC), filed its motion for leave to pursue a rate increase via the Commission's Small Company Rate Increase Procedure despite its delinquency with respect to its annual reports and annual assessments. On November 4, 1999, the Office of the Public Counsel (OPC) responded in opposition to HSSC's motion and the Staff of the Public Service Commission (Staff) responded in support.

On December 28, 1999, the Staff of the Commission and the Office of the Public Counsel filed their Joint Motion for an Extension of Deadline for Filing Procedural Schedule. The movants noted that HSSC did not object to the motion and stated that an extension of two weeks might well permit the parties to resolve their differences short of hearing.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the parties shall jointly prepare and file a proposed procedural schedule no later than January 14, 2000, rather than by December 28, 1999, as previously ordered herein.

2. That this order shall become effective on January 4, 2000.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Dale Hardy Roberts

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(SEAL)

Kevin A. Thompson, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1) (November 30, 1995) and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 4th day of January, 2000.

STATE OF MISSOURI OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this $\underline{4^{TH}}$ day of January 2000.

Dale Hardy Roberts

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge