BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

| In the Matter of Missouri-American Water |) | |
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| Company's Class Cost of Service and Rate |) | Case No. WO-98-204 |
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ORDER RESCHEDULING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

On November 20, 1997, the Commission issued an order setting a prehearing conference in this case for January 20, 1998. On December 3, 1997, Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) filed a motion to reschedule the prehearing conference for January 27, 1998. On December 18, 1997, the Commission issued a notice stating that, due to lack of an available room, the prehearing conference could not be held on January 27, 1998 and alternative dates should be suggested. On January 8, 1998, MAWC filed suggested alternative dates of February 2, 18 or 20, 1998. MAWC states that no other party has any objection to these dates.

The Commission determines that February 18, 1998 is the first available date for the prehearing conference and will order that the prehearing conference be held then.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 1. That the early prehearing conference is rescheduled and will be held on February 18, 1998, beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the Commission's offices on the fifth floor of the Harry S Truman State Office Building, 301 West High Street, Jefferson City, Missouri.
- 2. That anyone wishing to attend the prehearing conference who has special needs as addressed by the Americans with Disabilities Act

should contact the Missouri Public Service Commission at least ten days before the conference at one of the following numbers: Consumer Services Hotline -- 1-800-392-4211 or TDD Hotline -- 1-800-829-7541.

3. That this order shall become effective on January 9, 1998.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Joseph A. Derque III, 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 9th day of January, 1998.