

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

In the Matter of S. K. & M. Water and Sewer Company's Rate Increase Request)	
)	<u>Case No. WR-2007-0460</u>

In the Matter of S. K. & M. Water and Sewer Company's Rate Increase Request)	
)	<u>Case No. SR-2007-0461</u>

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through counsel, and for its Motion for Extension of Time ("Motion") states the following to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission").

1. As a part of orders that the Commission issued in these cases on June 6, 2007 (unless noted otherwise, all dates herein refer to the year 2007), the Commission directed the Staff to file its recommendations for the cases no later than June 14th.

2. On June 13th, the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC") timely filed its requests for a local public hearing for these cases.

3. On June 14th, the Commission issued an order in each of these cases establishing June 25 as the date for a local public hearing. In those orders, the Commission also directed the OPC to file a pleading no later than July 2nd ". . . stating whether it agrees or disagrees with" the revised tariff sheets that S. K. & M. Water and Sewer Company ("Company") filed on May 31st.

4. In order for the Staff to have the benefit of the testimony that may be presented at the local public hearing for these cases and the benefit of the OPC's July 2nd filings, the Staff is requesting that the filing date for its recommendations be moved to July 3rd.

5. In further support of this Motion, the Staff notes that the recommendation filing date requested in Paragraph 4 is also the recommendation filing date that results from the timelines normally used in rate cases established as a result of a rate increase request initiated through the small company rate increase request procedure.

WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully submits this Motion and requests that the date for the filing of its recommendations for these cases be moved to July 3, 2007.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of this Motion have been mailed with first-class postage, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or transmitted via e-mail to all counsel and/or parties of record this 14th day of June 2007.

/s/ **Keith R. Krueger**