

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

In the Matter of W.P.C. Sewer Company's     )	<b><u>Case No. SR-2007-0357</u></b>
Request for a Small Company Rate Increase    )	Tariff No. YS-2007-0686

**ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO FILE DISPOSITION AGREEMENT AND**  
**DIRECTING WPC SEWER COMPANY TO FILE CONSENT TO**  
**ADDITIONAL TIME**

Issue Date: March 29, 2007

Effective Date: March 29, 2007

On March 28, 2007,<sup>1</sup> WPC Sewer Company ("WPC") filed revised tariff sheets, effective April 27, to implement a small company rate increase pursuant to 4 CSR 240-3.330. In addition to the tariffs, WPC sent a cover letter stating that WPC, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and the Office of the Public Counsel had executed an Agreement Regarding Disposition of Small Company Rate Increase Request ("Disposition Agreement"). The letter further states that Staff will file the agreement. The Commission will therefore order Staff to file the agreement and a pleading regarding the agreement and tariffs.

This case arises from WPC's September 11, 2006 letter to the Commission. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.330(1)(F) states that a company filing a letter that asks for a small sewer company increase must reach an agreement with Staff and file tariffs within 150 days of the date of the letter. That same rule allows the company to consent to more

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<sup>1</sup> All dates throughout this order refer to the year 2007 unless otherwise noted.

time to reach an agreement with Staff; however, the rule requires the company to include written consent to the extension of time with its tariff filing. As of March 28, the date WPC filed its revised tariff sheets, one hundred and ninety-eight days had passed since WPC filed its letter initiating this case and WPC has not filed written consent to extend the 150-day deadline. The Commission will order WPC to file its consent.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. No later than April 9, 2007, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file the parties' Agreement Regarding Disposition of Small Company Rate Increase Request (Disposition Agreement) and a Recommendation.
2. No later than April 9, 2007, WPC Sewer Company shall file written consent to the extension of the 150-day filing requirement in Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.330(1)(F).
3. This order shall become effective on March 29, 2007.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

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Harold Stearley, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 29th day of March, 2007.