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Secretary of the Commission
Missouri Public Service Commission
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**Missouri Public
Service Commission**

RE: Extension of Effective Date for Pending Tariff Revisions
Case No. WR-2004-0450 (and SR-2004-0451 – consolidated)
Tariff Work I.D. Nos. YW-2004-1043 and YS-2004-1044

Dear Secretary:

Please be advised that Taney County Utilities (Company) is hereby extending the effective date of the revised tariff sheets pending before the Commission in the above-referenced rate case and tariff files from April 17, 2004 to May 1, 2004. The reason for this extension is the recent confusion regarding the activities in Case No. WC-2004-0342, a case involving the submittal of the Company's calendar year 2002 Annual Report, and which could potentially affect the outcome of the Company's rate case. This extension will also provide the Commission with additional time to consider the Commission Staff's recommendation regarding the rate case, which I understand the Staff will be filing shortly.

Please let me know if you need anything further regarding this matter.

Sincerely,



Honey Scott Pickren
Vice President
Taney County Utilities Corporation

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