

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

The Staff of the Missouri)	
Public Service Commission,)	
	Complainant,	
v.)	<u>Case No. WC-2007-0042</u>
)	
Mike Ward,)	
	Respondent.	
)	

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW Counsel for the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), and for its Status Report states the following to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission").

The parties are still attempting to resolve this case. Respondent has one remaining customer and the PSC Staff is interested in the arrangements between Respondent's newly formed not-for-profit water company and the customer to provide water services, the cost therefor, and the procedures for termination, connection and reconnection. Attorney for Respondent has agreed to provide this information.

The declaratory judgment action and injunction in the Circuit Court of Stone County has been postponed pending a resolution. Counsel will advise the Commission with further developments in this case by status report or motion for hearing on or before July 16, 2007.

WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully submits this Status Report for the Commission's information in this case.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of this Fourth Status Report 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 4th day of June, 2007.

/s/ *Steven C. Reed*