

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Missouri-American Water Company's)
Application for Authority to Issue up to \$57,490,000)
in Aggregate Principal Amount of Its General) **Case No. WF-2006-0331**
Mortgage Bonds in Conjunction with the Refunding)
of Outstanding Issues of Tax Exempt Bonds)

ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO INDICATE WHEN IT CAN FILE A RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: February 21, 2006

Effective Date: February 21, 2006

On February 17, 2006, Missouri-American Water Company filed an application for authority to issue general mortgage bonds for the purpose of discharging or refunding existing indebtedness. The Commission will need to have a recommendation from its Staff before acting on the application. So that it may be aware of progress in this case, the Commission will direct its Staff to file a pleading indicating when it will be able to file a recommendation.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Staff of the Commission shall, no later than March 13, 2006, file a pleading advising the Commission when Staff will be able to file its recommendation regarding Missouri-American Water Company's application.

2. This order shall become effective on February 21, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 21st day of February, 2006.