OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Missouri-American Water Company for Authority (1) to Issue up to \$200,000,000 of)	
Unsecured Long-Term Debt and (2) to Issue and)	Case No. WF-2007-0279
Sell Additional Common Stock to, or Receive)	
Additional Paid-in Capital from Its Parent Company)	
in an Aggregate Amount up to \$105,000,000)	

ORDER ESTABLISHING TIME FOR RESPONSE

Issue Date: February 9, 2007 Effective Date: February 9, 2007

On January 24, 2007, Missouri-American Water Company ("MAWC") filed an application seeking authority to issue notes in one or more series evidencing up to \$200,000,000 of long-term indebtedness payable to American Water Capital Corporation. MAWC also proposes to issue and sell, from time to time, shares of common stock, no par value, to American Water Works Company, Inc., or receive additional paid-in-capital, in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$105,000,000.

On January 30, the Commission ordered its Staff to respond to MAWC's application and to indicate when it could file a recommendation in this matter. On February 8, Staff filed its response indicating that it would file its recommendation no later than March 26.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Any party wishing to respond to the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission's February 8, 2007 Response to Order Directing Staff to State When It Will File a Recommendation shall file its response no later than February 16, 2007.

2. This order shall become effective on February 9, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 9th day of February, 2007.