BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Name Change Request of) Algonguin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC d/b/a Liberty Water to Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC d/b/a Liberty Utilities

File No. WN-2012-0403 Tracking Nos. YW-2012-0777, YW-2012-0778, YW-2012-0779, YW-2012-0780

STAFF'S SUPPORT OF TARIFF SHEETS

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COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through counsel, and for its motion supporting the revised tariffs filed by Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC d/b/a Liberty Utilities, formerly known as Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC d/b/a Liberty Water, respectfully states to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) the following:

1. On June 1, 2012, Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC d/b/a Liberty Utilities filed with the Commission six adoption notices and six revised tariff title sheets for Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC d/b/a Liberty Utilities, formerly Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC d/b/a Liberty Water. Included among these tariff filings, the Company filed the following tariff sheets, Tariff File Nos. YW-2012-0777, YW-2012-0778, YW-2012-0779, YW-2012-0780.

2. On June 4, 2012, the Commission issued an Order Directing Filing directing Staff to file its recommendation no later than June 21, 2012. This filing complies with that Order.

3. The Company proposed the following revisions to the water tariffs: YW-2012-0777, Timber Creek, Holiday Hills, Ozark Mountain water:

PSC MO No. 2 2nd Revised Sheet No. Title Page Canceling PSC MO No. 2 1st Revised PSC MO No. 2 3rd Revised Sheet No. A Canceling PSC MO No. 2 2nd Revised

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YW-2012-0778, Noel water:

PSC MO No. 3 1st Revised Sheet No. Title Page Canceling PSC MO No. 3 Original PSC MO No. 3 1st Revised Sheet No. A Canceling PSC MO No. 3 Original

YW-2012-0779, North Jefferson County water:

PSC MO No. 4 2nd Revised Sheet No. 1 Canceling PSC MO No. 4 1st Revised PSC MO No. 4 1st Revised Sheet No. A Canceling PSC MO No. 4 Original

YW-2012-0780, Cedar Hill Estates water:

PSC MO No. 5 1st Revised Sheet No. Title Page Canceling PSC MO No. 5 Original PSC MO No. 5 2nd Revised Sheet No. A Canceling PSC MO No. 5 1st Revised

4. James A. Merciel, Jr., Assistant Manager – Engineering of the Water and

Sewer Unit for Staff, has examined the revised tariff sheets as listed in paragraph 3 and states that to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief, the revised sheet complies with the Commission's *Order*. See Attached *Affidavit Of James A. Merciel, Jr.*

WHEREFORE, Staff supports the revised tariff sheets filed by Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC d/b/a Liberty Utilities in Tariff File Nos. YW-2012-0777, YW-2012-0778, YW-2012-0779, and YW-2012-0780 and states that the tariff sheets, as set out below, comply with the Commission's *Order* and respectfully requests the Commission issue any and all orders as deemed appropriate:

YW-2012-0777, Timber Creek, Holiday Hills, Ozark Mountain water:

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YW-2012-0778, Noel water:

PSC MO No. 3 1st Revised Sheet No. Title Page Canceling PSC MO No. 3 Original PSC MO No. 3 1st Revised Sheet No. A Canceling PSC MO No. 3 Original

YW-2012-0779, North Jefferson County water:

PSC MO No. 4 2nd Revised Sheet No. 1 Canceling PSC MO No. 4 1st Revised PSC MO No. 4 1st Revised Sheet No. A Canceling PSC MO No. 4 Original

YW-2012-0780, Cedar Hill Estates water:

PSC MO No. 5 1st Revised Sheet No. Title Page Canceling PSC MO No. 5 Original PSC MO No. 5 2nd Revised Sheet No. A Canceling PSC MO No. 5 1st Revised

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Rachel M. Lewis

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record on this 21st day of June, 2012.

<u>/s/Rachel M. Lewis</u>

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d/b/a Liberty Water to Algonquin Water)		YW-2012-0778
Resources of Missouri, LLC d/b/a Liberty)		YW-2012-0779
Utilities)		YW-2012-0780

AFFIDAVIT OF JAMES A. MERCIEL, JR., P.E.

STATE OF MISSOURI)) ss COUNTY OF COLE)

James A. Merciel, Jr., P.E., of lawful age, on his oath states: (1) that he is the Utility Regulatory Engineering Supervisor in the Water and Sewer Unit of the Missouri Public Service Commission; (2) that he participated in the preparation of the foregoing *Staff's Support of Tariff Sheets*; (3) that he has knowledge of the matters set forth in the foregoing Staff's Support of Tariff Sheets; and, (4) that the matters set forth in the foregoing Staff's Support of Tariff Sheets are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

James A. Merciel, Jr., E.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June 2012.

Notary Public

SUSAN L. SUNDERMEYER Notary Public - Notary Seal State of Missouri Commissioned for Callaway County My Commission Expires: October 03, 2014 Commission Number: 10942086