

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

The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
v.	)	<b><u>File No. WC-2011-0253</u></b>
	)	consolidated with SC-2011-0254
Dennis Kallash, individually and as agent	)	
Bennington, Inc. and Bennington Water,	)	
Inc.; Toni Kallash, individually and as agent	)	
For Bennington, Inc., and Bennington Water	)	
Inc.; Bennington, Inc., and Bennington	)	
Water, Inc.,	)	
Respondents	)	

**ORDER CONSOLIDATING CASES**

Issue Date: April 6, 2011

Effective Date: April 6, 2011

The Staff of the Commission has filed a complaint against the above-captioned Respondents. Generally, Staff alleges that the manner in which Bennington Water, Inc. and Bennington, Inc. are operating as water and sewer service providers requires that they be regulated by the Public Service Commission. The issue in both cases is whether the Commission should have jurisdiction over the companies.

Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.110(3) allows the Commission to consolidate cases when questions of law and fact are related. Along with the companies, Bennington Water, Inc. and Bennington, Inc., the same people, Dennis and Toni Kallash, are named as Respondents. These cases will therefore be consolidated, with WC-2011-0253 being the lead case.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Case Numbers WC-2011-0253 and SC-2011-0254 are consolidated, with WC-2011-0253 being the lead case.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Reed', is written over a faint, circular embossed seal.

Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 6th day of April, 2011.