

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Office of the Public Counsel,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	<u>Case No. WC-2007-0038</u>
)	
Central Jefferson County Utilities, Inc.,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: June 7, 2007

Effective Date: June 7, 2007

On July 26, 2006, the Office of the Public Counsel filed an “overearnings” complaint against Central Jefferson County Utilities, Inc.¹ Central Jefferson answered on August 30, denying OPC’s allegations.

On February 8, 2007, in Case No. SO-2007-0071, the Commission approved Central Jefferson’s request to sell certain water and sewer assets to Jefferson County Public Sewer District. In response to a Commission order, both Central Jefferson and Staff suggested that this case could become moot, depending upon when Central Jefferson finally closes the above-referenced sale to Jefferson County Public Sewer District.

On June 7, 2007, Central Jefferson filed a Status Report and Motion to Dismiss. Central Jefferson claims that the transactions authorized in Case No. SO-2007-0071 were completed on June 1, 2007. Further, Central Jefferson states that its assets were

¹ By separate order, the Commission consolidated a similar complaint that OPC had against Central Jefferson’s sewer operations into this case.

transferred, and that because it no longer operates water or sewer properties, OPC's over-earnings complaint is moot.

The Commission will order OPC and Staff to respond to Central Jefferson's motion.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Office of the Public Counsel and the Staff of the Commission shall respond to Central Jefferson's Status Report and Motion to Dismiss no later than June 14, 2007.
2. That this order shall become effective on June 7, 2007.

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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Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 7th day of June, 2007.