

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Camelot Estates)
Association to Sell and Transfer Its Water Franchise,)
Works or System to Camden County PWSD#3, a) **Case No. WM-2006-0310**
Water District Organized Pursuant to Section 247.010)
et seq. of the Revised Statutes of Missouri.)

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: April 24, 2006

Effective Date: April 24, 2006

On January 27, 2006, Camelot Estates Association and Camden County PWSD#3 filed with the Missouri Public Service Commission an application for authority to transfer the water franchise, works or system of Camelot to Camden County PWSD#3. In the application, applicants state that the Camelot Estates is the successor in interest to Camelot Utilities Company, which was a not-for-profit corporation granted a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity by the Commission in September of 1989. Further, Applicants state that Camelot Utilities never filed a rate statement or schedule of fees with the Commission and was administratively dissolved in August of 1996, transferring its assets to Camelot Estates in 2001.

There are several questions the Commission has concerning the history of service to the relevant customers. The Commission will therefore require the joint applicants to file a pleading in response to this order.

The Commission will require the joint applicants to describe Camelot Estates' service area. Does Camelot Estates provide service only to the members of its

Association? Is the Association comprised only of persons owning lots in Camelot Estates? Did Camelot Utilities ever provide service to any customers? If Camelot Utilities did not provide service, how did persons in the service area get water between 1989 and 1996 when Camelot Utilities was dissolved? Further, how did persons in the service area get water between 1996 and 2001, the time after Camelot Utilities' dissolution but before it transferred its assets to Camelot Estates?

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Joint Applicants, Camelot Estates Association and Camden County PWSD#3, shall file a pleading no later than May 3, 2006, addressing the concerns set out in the body of this order.
2. This order shall become effective on April 24, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 24th day of April, 2006.