## **BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

# OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Silverleaf ) Resorts, Inc., and Algonquin Water Resources of ) Missouri, LLC, for Authority for Silverleaf Resorts, Inc., ) to Sell Certain Assets to Algonquin Water Resources ) of Missouri, LLC, and, in Connection Therewith, ) Certain Other Related Transactions. )

Case No. WO-2005-0206 consolidated with SO-2005-0207

#### ORDER SHORTENING TIME FOR RESPONSES AND ORDER CONDITIONALLY GRANTING MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE TESTIMONY OUT OF TIME

Issue Date: July 20, 2005

Effective Date: July 20, 2005

On July 14, 2005, Silverleaf Resorts, Inc., and Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC, filed a Motion for Leave to File Surrebuttal Testimony of Joel L. Wade. The testimony should have been filed by July 11, 2005. Movants submitted the testimony with their request on July 14.

In support of their motion, Movants state that the witness, who had been on vacation for the week of July 4, 2005, was traveling home on July 11. Movants add that difficulties with electronic mail thwarted their efforts to communicate with the witness while he on vacation. Movants emphasize that the testimony is being provided three days late and two weeks prior to the hearing.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(15) allows parties ten days to file responsive pleadings, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission. The Commission will require that any opposition to Movants' request to file testimony out of time be filed in less than ten days.

Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.050(3) allows the Commission to enlarge the time by which an act must be done. The Commission will grant the requested relief unless there is opposition thereto. If any party opposes the requested relief, then the Commission will consider the pleadings and rule accordingly.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That any party who wishes to object to Silverleaf Resorts, Inc., and Algonquin Water Resources of Missouri, LLC's motion to file the surrebuttal testimony of Joel L. Wade out of time, shall file a pleading setting forth its objection(s) no later than July 22, 2005.

2. That if no party files an objection to the motion described in ordered paragraph 1, then the motion is granted.

3. That this order shall become effective on July 20, 2005.

### BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 20th day of July, 2005.