BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of Hickory Hills Water & Sewer Co.'s Request for a Small Company Rate Increase.

<u>Case No. WR-2006-0250, et al.</u> Tariff File Nos. YW-2006-0449 & YS-2006-0448

NOTICE REGARDING FILING OF REBUTTAL TESTIMONY

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through counsel, and for its <u>Notice Regarding Filing of Rebuttal Testimony</u> ("Notice") states the following to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission").

1. By an order issued on March 7, 2006 (unless noted otherwise, all dates hereafter refer to the year 2006), the Commission adopted a procedural schedule for this case. The schedule adopted by the Commission included the date of March 28 for the filing of prepared Direct Testimony and the date of April 5 for the filing of prepared Rebuttal Testimony.

2. On March 28, in accordance with the procedural schedule adopted by the Commission, the Company and the Staff filed prepared Direct Testimony in this consolidated case. However, the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC"), the only other party to this case, did not file prepared Direct Testimony.

3. Since there are no matters at issue in this consolidated case between the Staff and the Company and since the OPC did not file prepared Direct Testimony, the Staff hereby respectfully notifies the Commission that it will not be filing Rebuttal Testimony in this case.

WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully submits this Notice for the Commission's information in this consolidated case.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of this Motion have been mailed with first class postage, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or transmitted via e-mail to all counsel and/or parties of record this 5th day of April 2006.

/s/ Robert S. Berlin