BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Lake Region Water & Sewer Company for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Authorizing It to Construct, Install, Own, Operate, Control, Manage and Maintain a Water and Sewer System for the Public Located in an Unincorporated Area in Camden County, Missouri

) Case No. WA-2005-0463, et al.

ORDER EXTENDING TIME FOR STAFF TO FILE A RECOMMENDATION

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Issue Date: August 29, 2005

Effective Date: August 29, 2005

On June 2, 2005, Lake Region Water & Sewer Company filed an application requesting authority to provide water and sewer service to an unincorporated portion of Camden County, Missouri. On July 1, the Commission directed its Staff to file a recommendation regarding that application no later than August 26. On August 25, Staff filed a request for an extension of time in which to file its recommendation.

Staff explained that it is involved in negotiations with the company and the developer of the subdivision that the company intends to serve. Those negotiations will affect the development of an appropriate customer connection charge. As a result of the continuing discussions, Staff will require additional time to file its recommendation. Consequently, Staff requests that it be allowed until October 25 to file its recommendation.

Staff's request is reasonable and will be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Staff of the Commission shall file a recommendation regarding the

application of Lake Region Water & Sewer Company, no later than October 25, 2005.

2. That this order shall become effective on August 29, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 29th day of August, 2005.