# SECOND AGREEMENT FOR EXTENSION OF 150-DAY TARIFF FILING **DEADLINE FOR SMALL COMPANY RATE INCREASE REQUESTS**

## Aqua Missouri, Inc.

### MO PSC Work I.D. Nos. QS-2005-0008, QW-2005-0009, QS-2005-0010 and QW-2005-0011

#### **Background**

Aqua Development Company, Inc. and Aqua/RU, Inc. d/b/a Aqua Missouri, Inc. and Aqua Missouri, Inc. (Company) initiated the small company rate increase requests for water and sewer service (Request) that is the subject of the above-referenced Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) tracking files by submitting a letter to the Secretary of the Commission. The Company submitted the letter that initiated the Requests under the provisions of Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.330, Sewer Utility Small Company Rate Increase Procedure 4 CSR 240-3.635, Water Utility Small Company Rate Increase Procedure. The date that the Company's letter was received at the Commission's office was May 17, 2005<sup>1</sup>. Under the provisions of the referenced rules, agreements regarding the disposition of the subject Requests were to be reached and tariff revisions consistent with the agreements were to be filed on or before October 14. The Company and the Staff previously agreed to extend the tariff filing date to November 14.

#### **Reason for Extension**

The Company has provided Staff the Missouri operations by certificated area. The Staff requires additional time to review the information provided related to plant, depreciation and CIAC. In addition, Staff requires additional time to finalize its audit, prepare its report and issue findings, to discuss its audit findings with the Company, and to reach agreements with the Company (and possibly the Office of the Public Counsel) regarding the disposition of the Company's Requests.

#### **Agreement for Extension**

Kathy L. Pape

Aqua America, Inc.

Based on the above, the Company and the Staff agree that the date by which agreements regarding the disposition of the Company's Requests are to be reached and the requisite tariff filings are to be made should be extended by an additional 30 days to December 14, 200 5.

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Manager-Water & Sewer Department Missouri Public Service Commission Staff

Vice President, Treasurer and Rate Counsel

<u>10-25-05</u> Date

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Unless noted otherwise, all dates herein refer to the year 2005