

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of Missouri-American)	
Water Company's Request for Authority)	File No. WR-2010-0131
to Implement a General Rate Increase)	
for Water Service Provided in Missouri)	Tracking No. YW-2010-0310
Service Areas.)	

MOTION TO SUSPEND TARIFF SHEETS

Comes now Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC or Company), and, moves the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) to suspend certain tariff sheets until September 29, 2010. In support of this motion, MAWC states as follows:

1. On October 30, 2009, MAWC filed tariff sheets and direct testimony for the purpose of implementing a general rate increase for water service provided by MAWC and consolidating the rules and conditions of water service for all of MAWC's Missouri water service territories.

2. The rate (or "RT") tariffs were assigned Tracking No. YW-2010-0310. Those tariffs were suspended until September 29, 2010, as a result of the Commission's Order Suspending Tariff, Directing Filings, Setting Conferences and Hearings and Directing Notice; and Notice of Contested Case, issued on November 18, 2009.

3. The remaining tariff sheets associated with the proposed consolidation of MAWC's water service tariffs were also filed on October 30, 2009, as an attachment to the Direct Testimony of Greg A. Weeks (EFIS Item No. 3). Although they were filed with Mr. Weeks' testimony, they were not filed in a way such that they would be assigned a Tracking Number, and, therefore, were not identified as being suspended by the Commission's Suspension Order.

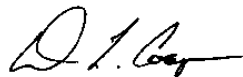
4. MAWC has this date separately filed the tariff sheets containing the consolidated rules and regulations in this case. Those proposed rules and regulations contain an issue date of November 19, 2009, and a proposed effective date of December 19, 2009.

5. Because these tariffs were a part of the Company's original filing in this case and relate directly to the subject of this case, MAWC moves the Commission to suspend the additional tariff sheets until September 29, 2010. Such a suspension would match the suspension already in place for MAWC's proposed rate sheets.

6. The subject tariff sheets have been on file with the Commission in Case No. WR-2010-0131 since October 30, 2009, and available to the parties and potential parties. Moreover, the Company's cover letter and the Commission's Suspension Order reflected the fact that tariffs were being filed for the purpose of both implementing a general rate increase and consolidating the rules and conditions of service for all the Company's water service territories. Accordingly, there should be no prejudice associated with the requested suspension.

WHEREFORE, MAWC respectfully moves the Commission to issue its order suspending the tariff sheets filed this date until September 29, 2010.

Respectfully submitted,



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