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Missouri Public Service Commission  
Governor Office Building  
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UTILITY OPERATIONS  
DIVISION

**RE: Aqua Missouri, Inc.  
Agreement for Extension of Tariff Filing**

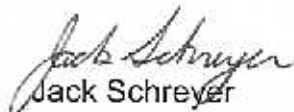
Dear Mr. Johansen:

Enclosed please find a signed Agreement for Extension of 150-Day Tariff Filing for Aqua Missouri, Inc.

Please send me one fully executed copy of the Agreement.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at (610) 645-4237.

Sincerely,

  
Jack Schreyer

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Enclosure

**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.

**Reason for Extension**

During the course of the initial field work by Staff's Auditing Department, Staff discovered that the accounting information provided by the Company was based on Missouri state wide operations and was not available by certificated area. The Company required additional time to reprogram their computer systems to separate Missouri operations by certificated area. The Staff will require time to review this information, perform 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.

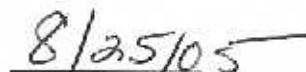
**Agreement for Extension**

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 to November 14, 2005.

  
Dale W. Johansen  
Manager-Water & Sewer Department  
Missouri Public Service Commission Staff

  
Date

  
Kathy L. Pape-Vice President, Vice President,  
Treasurer and Rate Counsel  
Aqua America, Inc.

  
Date

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