COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF SOUTH SHORE WATER)
WORKS COMPANY FOR AN ORDER) CASE NO. 2012-00476
APPROVING A TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP)
AND CONTROL)

ORDER

On October 25, 2012, South Shore Water Works Company applied for approval of the transfer of control and ownership of its assets to the City of South Shore, Kentucky. KRS 278.020(6) requires the Commission to reach a final decision on the proposed transfer within 60 days of the filing of the application unless it is necessary, for good cause shown, to continue the application. If good cause for an extension exists, the Commission may extend the review period for an additional 60 days.

Having carefully reviewed the record in this proceeding, the Commission finds that it will need additional time to develop and review the record before it can render a final decision in this matter and that good cause exists to extend the review period.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the period for reviewing the proposed merger is extended to 120 days.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

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