COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF SIMPSON COUNTY)			
WATER DISTRICT FOR A DEVIATION)			
FROM 807 KAR 5:066, SECTION 5(4))	CASE	NO.	89-173
REGARDING WATER STORAGE)			

ORDER

By application received June 26, 1989, Simpson County Water District ("Simpson Water") requested a deviation from 807 KAR 5:066, Section 5(4), which requires a utility to provide water storage to ensure a minimum of 1 day's supply of its average daily water usage. Simpson Water states in its application that its average daily water usage is 636,000 gallons, and its current water storage capacity is 500,000 gallons.

The Commission, having reviewed the evidence of record and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that:

- 1. Simpson Water's current water storage facilities are not deemed adequate and are therefore not in compliance with 807 KAR 5:066, Section 5(4).
- 2. Simpson Water is in the planning stages on improvement projects for its water distribution system. One of those projects includes the construction of a 150,000-gallon water storage tank.
- 3. Because of the time needed to plan, finance and implement a program to construct water storage facilities, Simpson

Water should be given until July 31, 1992 to bring it within compliance of the Commission's water storage requirements.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. Simpson Water be and it hereby is given until July 31, 1992 to comply with the provisions of 807 KAR 5:066, Section 5(4).
- 2. Simpson Water shall take all necessary actions to bring its water storage facilities within compliance of the Commission regulations prior to July 31, 1992.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 26th day of July, 1989.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST: