COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF THE HARDIN COUNTY WATER)
DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR A CERTIFICATE OF)
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT) CASE NO. 97-388
THE FORT KNOX INTERCONNECT PROJECT)
AND FOR RELATED FINANCING)

ORDER

On September 17, 1997, Hardin County Water District No. 1 ("Hardin No. 1") applied to the Commission for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to construct the Fort Knox Interconnect Project and for approval of its proposed plan of financing the construction. In its filing, Hardin No. 1 requested permission to deviate from the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Sections 6(5) and 6(9).

Commission Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 6, requires the submission of a detailed financial exhibit for the period ending not more than 90 days prior to the date of the application. Specifically, Section 6(5) requires that the financial exhibit disclose the amount of bonds authorized and amount of bonds issued; and Section 6(9) requires a detailed income statement and balance sheet. Having reviewed the filing and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that the information filed therein is sufficient to enable the Commission to review adequately Hardin No. 1's filing. Therefore, its request for permission to deviate from the above-cited regulation should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Hardin No. 1's request for permission to deviate from the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Sections 6(5) and 6(9), is hereby granted.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 14th day of October, 1997.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:

Executive Director