COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

| KENTUCKY RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION'S |) |
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| APPLICATION FOR ACCREDITATION AND | CASE NO. |
| APPROVAL OF A COURSE OF TRAINING FOR | 2000-551 |
| WATER DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS |) |

<u>ORDER</u>

The Kentucky Rural Water Association ("KRWA") has applied for accreditation of a course of instruction entitled "2001 Management Conference," which is scheduled to be held on February 13 through February 14, 2001, in Bowling Green, Kentucky. Pursuant to KRS 74.020(7), this Commission is required to "encourage and promote the offering of high quality water district management training programs that enhance a water district commissioner's understanding of his or her duties." The conference for which approval is sought includes instruction regarding, inter alia, trends in applicable law and regulations; water treatment, and utility management, finance, and administration. Having reviewed the KRWA's application describing the proposed course, the Commission finds that the proposed course will enhance a water district commissioner's understanding of his or her duties and should be approved for 10.0 credit hours of water district management training.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. KRWA's proposed course of instruction entitled "2001 Management Conference," which will be held on February 13 through February 14, 2001, in Bowling Green, Kentucky, is approved for a maximum of 10.0 credit hours.

2. KRWA shall retain a record of all persons attending the approved course

of instruction.

3. Within 14 days of completion of the training, KRWA shall file with the

Commission a sworn statement attesting that the approved course of instruction was

performed and, if any changes in the speakers or course curriculum occurred after

KRWA's application, a description of those changes.

4. Within 14 days of completion of the training, KRWA shall file with the

Commission a copy of written materials given to the program attendees.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 16th day of January, 2001.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director