COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

INVESTIGATION INTO TRANSACTIONS)
BETWEEN SOUTHERN MADISON WATER) CASE NO. 2006-00465
DISTRICT AND COMMISSIONER JERRY COMBS)

ORDER

By Order of November 20, 2006, the Commission commenced this investigation into a transaction between Southern Madison Water District ("Southern Madison") and Jerry Combs, who currently serves as a member and treasurer of Southern Madison's Board of Commissioners. Also in that Order, the Commission directed Southern Madison to respond to appended discovery requests by no later than December 7, 2006.

By motion received November 29, 2006, Southern Madison requested an extension of 30 days in which to respond to the discovery requests. As grounds for its motion, Southern Madison states that the Order was not received until November 21, 2006, "at which time counsel was out of state visiting his daughter and grandchildren in Omaha, Nebraska." Southern Madison also stated that its Superintendent would be in Pineville, Kentucky attending the Commission's 2006 Water Personnel Training Seminar through December 1, 2006 and that Southern Madison "will require a few days" to obtain some of the requested documents from the office of the Madison County Judge/Executive.¹

¹ Southern Madison's Motion For Extension (Nov. 29, 2006).

The Commission finds that Southern Madison has presented sufficient grounds to justify an extension of time within which to respond to the Commission's discovery requests and that Southern Madison's request should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. Southern Madison's request for an extension of 30 days within which to respond to the Commission's discovery requests is granted.
- 2. Southern Madison shall file complete and precise responses to the discovery requests, and provide a copy to all parties of record herein, by no later than close of business on January 8, 2007.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 12th day of December, 2006.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director