COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ADJUSTMENT OF RATES OF KENTUCKY-) CASE NO. 2007-00143 AMERICAN WATER COMPANY)

NOTICE AND ORDER OF COMMISSIONER CAROLINE PITT CLARK

I have determined that the public interest is best served by voluntarily refraining from any further participation in this proceeding, to include voting or ruling upon any matter, until the Executive Branch Ethics Commission responds to my formal request for an advisory opinion on whether, as a result of my spouse's employment with Stoll Keenon Ogden, PLLC, Kentucky law limits my participation in Commission proceedings in which that law firm appears. All parties are hereby advised that until further notice I am refraining from any involvement in this proceeding.

As this action renders moot the Attorney General's motion for my disqualification, I HEREBY ORDER that the Attorney General's Motion to Disqualify Commissioner Caroline Pitt Clark is denied as moot.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 4th day of October, 2007.

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Caroline Pitt Clark Commissioner

ATTEST: Xeeutive Director