### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

# PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT FILINGCASE NO.OF LEDBETTER WATER DISTRICT2015-00110

#### <u>ORDER</u>

On April 3, 2015, Ledbetter Water District ("Ledbetter") submitted an application for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure.<sup>1</sup>

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

1. Ledbetter purchases water from the Crittenden-Livingston Water District ("Crittenden-Livingston") and produces water at its own water treatment plant.

2. Crittenden-Livingston notified Ledbetter that on May 1, 2015, its wholesale water rate to Ledbetter would increase from \$2.46 per 1,000 gallons to \$2.58 per 1,000 gallons.<sup>2</sup> Ledbetter proposes to increase the water rates to its customers effective May 1, 2015, to reflect the increased cost of purchased water.

3. During the 12 months ended January 31, 2015, Ledbetter purchased 40,944,000 gallons of water from Crittenden-Livingston, produced 47,522,484 gallons, and sold 60,990,448 gallons. The increase in the cost of purchased water is \$4,913.28, resulting in a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.09 per 1,000 gallons.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> KRS 278.015; 807 KAR 5:068.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Case No. 2012-00390, Application of Crittenden-Livingston Water District for an Adjustment in Rates Pursuant to the Alternative Rate Filing Procedure for Small Utilities (Ky. PSC Dec. 20, 2012), Appendix E.

4. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.09 per 1,000 gallons, as calculated in Appendix A to this Order, is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

5. Ledbetter's proposed rates, as set forth in Appendix B to this Order, are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for water service rendered on and after May 1, 2015.

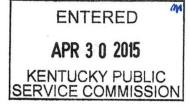
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.09 per 1,000 gallons is approved.

2. Ledbetter's rates are approved for service rendered on or after May 1, 2015.

3. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Ledbetter shall file with the Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, revised tariff sheets showing the rates approved herein.

By the Commission



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### APPENDIX A

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# APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2015-00110 DATED **APR 3 0 2015**

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Crittenden-Livingston Purchases in gallons Volumetric rate	New Rate	В	ase Rate
	40,944,000 <u>\$_2.58/1,000</u> \$ 105,635.52	<u>) </u>	40,944,000 <u>2.46/ 1,000</u> 100,722.24
	Increased wa	ater cost	\$4,913.28
Increased water cost Divided by gallons sold/1,000		\$    4,913.28 _ <u>60,990,448</u> \$      0.81	
Purchased water adjustment factor		\$ 0.09 per 1,000 gallons	

### APPENDIX B

## APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2015-00110 DATED APR 3 0 2015

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Ledbetter Water District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

### **RATES AND CHARGES**

#### All Meter Sizes

Customer Charge

First 25,000 gallons

Over 25,000 gallons

\$ 6.59 Monthly Rate 5.68 Minimum Bill

3.85 per 1,000 gallons

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