

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

IN THE MATTER OF:

COMPLIANCE OF KENTUCKY-AMERICAN)	
WATER COMPANY, AMERICAN WATER WORKS)	
COMPANY, RWE AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT AND)	
THAMES WATER AQUA HOLDINGS GmbH WITH)	
THE PROVISIONS OF THE ORDERS)	CASE NO.
APPROVING THE TRANSFER OF CONTROL OF)	2002-00277
KENTUCKY-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY TO)	
RWE AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT AND THAMES)	
WATER AQUA HOLDINGS GMBH)	

REQUEST

Come Kentucky-American Water Company; Thames Water Aqua Holdings GmbH; Thames Water Aqua U.S. Holdings, Inc.; RWE Aktiengesellschaft, and American Water Works Company, Inc. and request the Public Service Commission's approval, pursuant to Condition 32 of the Order of December 20, 2002, in Case No. 2002-00317, of the payment of a dividend on common stock by Kentucky-American Water Company on September 22, 2003, in the amount of \$752,347.68. This dividend was declared on July 25, 2003 in conformity with the existing policy of the payment of 75% of earnings available for common dividends, and together with the common dividends paid on March 28 and June 23, 2003, collectively represent more than 5% of the retained earnings of Kentucky-American Water Company as of the December 31, 2002.

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CERTIFICATION

In conformity with paragraph 7 of the Commission's Order dated January 30, 2002, in Case No. 2002-00018, this is to certify that the electronic version of this pleading is a true and accurate copy of the pleading filed in paper medium; that the Petitioners have notified the Commission and the parties in Case No. 2002-00018 by electronic mail on August 12, 2003, that the electronic version of this pleading has been transmitted to the Commission, and that a copy has been served by mail upon:

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