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RE: Case No. 2007-00163

We enclose one attested copy of the Commission's Order in the above case.

Sincerely,

Beth O'Donnell Executive Director

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF THE MUHLENBERG COUNTY WATER DISTRICT TO ISSUE SECURITIES IN THE APPROXIMATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$1,897,000 PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF KRS 278.300 AND 807 KAR 5:001

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<u>ORDER</u>

Muhlenberg County Water District ("Muhlenberg District") has applied to the Commission for authority to issue certain securities in the approximate principal amount of \$1,897,000 for the purpose of refinancing short-term debt and converting it to long-term debt. In its filing, Muhlenberg District requested permission to deviate from the filing requirement of Administrative Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 6, which requires the submission of a detailed financial exhibit for the period ending not more than 90 days prior to the date of the application.

In support of its request for permission to deviate from this requirement, Muhlenberg District states that its most recent financial exhibits are for the 12 months ended December 31, 2005 and that those exhibits are contained in its 2005 Annual Report on file with the Commission. Muhlenberg District further states that this is the most recent financial data available and that no extraordinary circumstances have occurred since December 31, 2005. Upon completion, Muhlenberg District will file its 2006 Annual Report with the Commission. Administrative Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 14, provides the Commission with the authority to permit deviations from its regulations for good cause shown. Having reviewed the filing and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that the requested deviation is reasonable and should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Muhlenberg District's request for permission to deviate from the 90-day filing requirement set forth in Administrative Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 6, is granted.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 8th day of May, 2007.

By the Commission

ATTEST Executive Director-