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PARTIES OF RECORD

RE: Case No. 2021-00064

The Commission staff has reviewed the application in the above case and finds that it meets the minimum filing requirements and has been accepted for filing.

Enclosed please find a stamped filed copy of the first page of your filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502-564-3940.

Sincerely,

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF ESTILL COUNTY)
WATER DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR)
AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER AN)
ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT WITH THE)
KENTUCKY INFRASTRUCTURE)
AUTHORITY, FOR A CERTIFICATE OF) CASE NO. 2021-00064
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE TO CONSTRUCT)
CERTAIN WATER IMPROVEMENTS AND)
AUTHORIZATION TO USE WATER LOSS)
CONTROL PROGRAM SURCHARGE)
PROCEEDS)

APPLICATION

Pursuant to KRS 278.020(1), KRS 278.300, and 807 KAR 5:001, Sections 15 and 18, Estill County Water District No. 1 ("Estill District") applies to the Public Service Commission ("Commission") for an Order authorizing Estill District's entry into an Assistance Agreement with the Kentucky Infrastructure Authority ("KIA") to borrow an amount not to exceed \$2,399,450, subject to an adjustment of up to 10 percent, and granting a certificate of public convenience and necessity for the purchase and installation of 17 zone meters, the installation of telemetry improvements, and the replacement of four stream crossings. It further seeks authorization to use the proceeds from its Water Loss Control Program Surcharge ("Water Loss Surcharge") to service the debt resulting from the Assistance Agreement.

In support of its Application,¹ Estill District provides the following:

¹ To facilitate the Public Service Commission's initial review of this Application, Estill District has attached to this Application a "Filings Requirements List" that consists of four pages, lists each statutory and regulatory requirement for an application for authorization to issue evidences of indebtedness and a certificate of public convenience and necessity, and identifies the exhibit or paragraph that satisfies the requirement.

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