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June 3, 2009

Jeff Derouen Executive Director PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION P.O. Box 615 Frankfort, KY 40602-0615

Re: Case No. 2008-00176, Alleged Failure of the City of Danville to Comply with KRS 278.160 and 278.180 and the Commission's Order of August 10, 1994 in Administrative Case No. 351

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Enclosed please find the original and five (5) copies of the Motion for Acceptance of Proposed Settlement Agreement and the Settlement Agreement for filing in the above-referenced proceeding on behalf of the City of Danville. Please note that the remaining five (5) copies for the PSC were mailed separately and should arrive contemporaneously with this filing.

Thank you for your attention to this filing. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely, Thris Stear

Law Clerk

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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Motion for Acceptance of Proposed Settlement Agreement

The City of Danville and Garrard County Water Association, Inc. hereby request that the

Commission accept the proposed Settlement Agreement attached hereto, which has been

developed jointly by the parties and is now filed with the Commission for review and approval.

It is the intent of the parties that this Settlement Agreement will resolve the issues in Case

No. 2008-176. The parties agree that the Settlement Agreement is reasonable and in the best

interests of all concerned, and urge the Commission to adopt it.

WHEREFORE, the parties jointly and respectfully request that the Commission accept

the Settlement Agreement.

Respectfully Submitted,

Garrard County Water Association, Inc.

By:

Harold C. Ward Garrard County Water Association, Inc. 315 Lexington Rd. P. O. Box 670 Lancaster, KY 40444 (859) 792-4501

City of Danville By:

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CERTIFICATE OF FILING AND SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this the 3rd day of June, 2009, the original and ten (10) copies of the foregoing, each with a copy of the proposed Agreement signed in counterpart, were mailed for filing with the Commission, and a copy was sent by first-class U.S. mail for service on:

John N. Hughes, Esq. 124 W. Todd St. Frankfort, KY 40601

Danny Noel, President Lake Village Water Association, Inc. 801 Pleasant Hill Dr. P. O. Box 303 Burgin, KY 40310

William L. Stevens, Esq. TAYLOR & STEVENS 326 W. Main St. P. O. Box 901 Danville, KY 40423 Ronald Russell, Chairman Parksville Water District 10711 Lebanon Rd. P. O. Box 9 Parksville, KY 40464

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Attorney for the City of Danville

Agreement

This Settlement Agreement is between Garrard County Water Association, Inc. ("GCWA"), with its principal office at 315 Lexington Road, P.O. Box 670, Lancaster, Kentucky 40444, and the City of Danville ("Danville"), a municipal corporation of the third class.

- (1) During the course of a proceeding before the Public Service Commission of Kentucky ("Commission") styled Case No. 2008-00176, Danville and GCWA have identified a number of issues and questions relating to usage, calculation of charges, billings, and payments, including purchasing power adjustments made to rates in 2005, 2006, and 2007 and involving periods of time before, during, and after those affected by the purchasing power adjustments.
- (2) This settlement is intended as a resolution of all disputes, issues, and questions about usage, charges, billings, and payments up through and including the month of April 2009, an agreement about the proper calculation of charges thereafter and currently, and an accord about procedures for considering proposed changes to billing methods and elements in the future.
- (3) The parties acknowledge and agree: that approval by the Commission is necessary for this Settlement Agreement to be effective and binding on either party; and that, if Commission approval of the entire agreement without modification, together with a final and appealable dismissal of the case is not obtained within 90 days of submission to the Commission with a request for approval, then this Settlement Agreement shall be null and void and shall be without any effect whatsoever on the parties' respective rights, arguments, or positions in Case No. 2008-00176 or otherwise. If and when approved by the Commission, this Settlement Agreement will operate as an addendum or revision to the existing Water Purchase Contract between Danville and GCWA.
- (4) Danville and GCWA agree to compromise all disputes, issues, and questions about usage, charges, billings, and payments up through and including the month of April 2009 for the payment by Danville to GCWA of the amount of \$ 18,270.44. Danville will pay that amount to GCWA by crediting one-twelfth of that amount to each month's wholesale supply charges following the close of any period in which a timely rehearing request or

review action is still possible from a final and appealable Commission order approving this Settlement Agreement in its entirety and without modification.

- (5) Danville and GCWA agree that charges for water supplied to GCWA are to be calculated at this time as follows:
 - (a) for water supplied, with rates stated on a per 100 cubic foot (ccf) basis:

first 20,000 cu. ft.	\$1.68 per ccf
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all over 500,000 cu. ft.	\$0.86 per ccf

- (b) <u>plus</u> a 20% surcharge, applied to the total water charge (but not to any applicable fees or taxes);
- (c) <u>plus</u> any applicable fee or tax by a third-party authority, which currently consists of a \$0.0165 per ccf (\$0.022 per 1000 gallons) Kentucky River Authority charge, to be stated as a separate line item on the bill.
- (d) If there are multiple meters, dials, or accounts for service to GCWA, measured usage will be totaled for all meters, dials, or accounts and the rates in subpart (a) applied to the total monthly usage amount.

GCWA acknowledges that other wholesale customers of Danville have rates different from those listed in subpart (a).

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 - (a) Either party may propose a change affecting the amount billed whether to the rates, surcharge percentage, or otherwise by notifying the other party in writing

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- (b) The other party shall have 45 days from receipt of the notice in which to object in writing to the proposed change; if the other party does not so object within 45 days, then the rate change is to be made according to the notice given.
- (c) If the other party does so object, then the proposing party may apply to the Commission for the proposed change, to become effective no fewer than 30 days from the date the application is filed (unless a shorter period is requested and granted).
- (7) To the extent that the parties provide herein for approval by or application/notice to the Commission, they do so based on the existing situation in which the Commission asserts jurisdiction and authority over such matters. If by legislative action, court ruling, or Commission order or regulation it is determined that the Commission has not had or thenceforth shall not have jurisdiction and authority over one or more such matters (generally or as between Danville and GCWA), then the parties agree that:
 - (a) their rights, obligations, and undertakings under paragraphs (1) (5) above shall remain unaffected thereby; however,
 - (b) paragraph (6) above shall thereafter be null and void, and the parties' rights,
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AGREED as of this 1st day of June, 2009.

Garrard-County Water Association, Inc.

City of Danville

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Hugh C. Coomer, Mayor

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