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December 17, 2008

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Western Lewis-Rectorville Water & Gas District  
8000 Day Pike  
Maysville, KY 41056-9344

RE: Case No. 2008-00510  
Western Lewis-Rectorville Water & Gas – General Rates

The Commission staff has reviewed Western Lewis-Rectorville Water & Gas' application in the above case and finds that it meets the minimum filing requirements. 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,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ryan Gatewood".

Ryan Gatewood  
Filings Division Director

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Enclosure

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IN THE MATTER OF:

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THE APPLICATION OF WESTERN LEWIS  
RECTORVILLE WATER DISTRICT FOR  
APPROVAL OF AN INCREASE IN RATES FOR  
WATER SERVICE, AND TO REVISE IT'S TARIFF

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STATEMENT AND NOTICE

Western Lewis Rectorville Water District ("Western Lewis") hereby petitions the Commission for approval of a proposed increase in its water rates and charges. In support of its application, Western Lewis respectfully states as follows:

1. Western Lewis is a non-profit water district organized under KRS Chapter 74 and has no separate articles of incorporation or by-laws. Western Lewis's principal office, place of business and mailing address is 8000 Day Pike, Maysville Kentucky, 41056.

2. Western Lewis is engaged in the distribution and sale of water. It currently provides water service to approximately 1,790 customers.

3. The proposed increase in rates and charges is necessary for Western Lewis to meet its operating expenses, to maintain financial viability, to cover its debt service, and to continue to provide adequate service.

4. For the purpose of justifying the reasonableness of the proposed increase, Western Lewis has utilized a historical test period consisting of the twelve (12) consecutive calendar months ending December 31, 2007.