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# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE CONDITION	)	
AND MANAGEMENT OF BIG VALLEY	)	
SANITATION, INC. AND WOODLAND	)	Case No. 2009-00378
ACRES SANITATION, INC. SEWAGE	)	
TREATMENT FACILITIES	)	

#### POST-HEARING BRIEF OF JOSEPH MURPHY

Comes Joseph Murphy, by counsel, and hereby files his Brief in the above styled action.

A review of the testimony and the exhibits filed in this action reflects that the Woodland Acres

Wastewater Treatment Plant and collection system (hereinafter "Woodland Acres WWTP") has

not been abandoned.

- 1. The testimony of the witnesses established that the Estate of John Ford conveyed any and all interest it had in the Woodland Acres WWTP to Joseph Murphy on or about July 2, 2009. The exhibits introduced into the record also established that the Estate of John Ford conveyed any and all interest it had in the Woodland Acres WWTP to Joseph Murphy on or about July 2, 2009. Of course, since Woodland Acres Sanitation, Inc., was administratively dissolved on November 1, 2000, and Mr. Ford was the sole owner of its shares at that time, he would have been the owner of the Woodland Acres WWTP prior to his death. (See Exhibit B to Application For Approval of Transfer in Case No. 2010-00191). Additionally, Mr. Murphy testified that he has purchased the Woodland Acres WWTP site from its prior owner.
- 2. Joseph Murphy testified that he has been operating the Woodland Acres WWTP since it was conveyed to him by the Estate of John Ford. Brad Trivette, the Inspector from the

Kentucky Division of Water, testified that the Woodland Acres WWTP is up and running and in pretty good shape.

3. Joseph Murphy has filed the Application For Approval of Transfer in Case No. 2010-00191 requesting the approval of the transfer of the Woodland Acres WWTP to Woodland Acres Utilities, LLC, a limited liability company that he formed in order to take ownership of the subject WWTP.

For the above-stated reasons, Joseph Murphy requests the Public Service Commission to determine that the Woodland Acres WWTP has not been abandoned and to approve its transfer to Woodland Acres Utilities, LLC.

Respectfully Submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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