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RE: Case No. 2009-00454 West Shelby Water District (General Rates)

The Commission staff has reviewed your 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,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF:

i.,

THE APPLICATION OF THE WEST SHELBY WATER DISTRICT FOR THE APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSED INCREASE IN RATES FOR WATER SERVICE

STATEMENT AND NOTICE

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PUBLIC SERVICE The West Shelby Water District ("West Shelby"), by counsel outsuant was KRS 278.020, KRS 278.180, KRS 278.190, and KRS 278.300, petitions the Commission for the approval of the proposed increase in the rates and charges. In support of its application, West Shelby respectfully states as follows:

1. West Shelby is a non-profit water district organized under KRS Chapter 74 and has no separate articles of incorporation or by-laws. West Shelby's principal office and mailing address is 7101 Shelbyville Road, P.O. Box 39, Simpsonville, Kentucky 40067.

2. West Shelby is engaged in the distribution and sale of water. As reported in its "Annual Report to the Public Service Commission for the Year Ending December 31, 2008," West Shelby provides water service to approximately 1,728 residential customers, 129 commercial customers, and 17 industrial customers in Shelby County, Kentucky.

3. The proposed increase in the rates and charges is necessary for West Shelby to meet continuing demand for adequate service. It has been approximately 16 years since West Shelby last requested a general increase in its base rates. There