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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF MONROE COUNTY)	
WATER DISTRICT FOR AN ALTERNATIVE)	CASE NO.
RATE ADJUSTMENT)	2020-0085

EMERGENCY MOTION TO RECONSIDER
THE ORDER ENTERED ON MARCH 18, 2020 IN CASE NO. 2019-00293

On March 18, 2020, the Commission entered an order in Case No. 2019-00293 requiring the Monroe County Water District to implement a 30.55% increase for all customers for services rendered on or after April 1, 2020. The Monroe County Water District had previously accepted the Commission’s recommendation as to the rate but had requested a three (3) year phase-in of the increase to be 10.55% for year one, 10% for year two, and 10% for year three.

Based upon the Order entered by the Commission on February 5, 2020, the Monroe County Water District advertised the rate increase in the paper to be in three (3) phases.

The Monroe County Water District is requesting emergency relief from the March 18, 2020 order due to the exceptional circumstances that our Nation now faces due to the COVID-19 crisis, as is evidenced by the very existence of this emergency docket. The Monroe County Water District would put forth that this steep increase in rates, if fully implemented at this time, would deal a devastating blow to many of its customers.

WHEREFORE, the Monroe County Water District respectfully requests that the Commission enter an emergency Order granting relief from the March 24, 2020 Order by allowing the Monroe County Water District to implement the rate increase in three (3) phases.

This 24th day of March, 2020.



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