## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE OF COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE WATER COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF ACQUISITION OF STOCK OF GOSHEN UTILITIES, INC.

CASE NO. 2002-00088

## <u>COMMISSION STAFF S FIRST DATA REQUEST</u> <u>TO LOUISVILLE WATER COMPANY AND</u> <u>GOSHEN UTILITIES, INC.</u>

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Pursuant to Administrative Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Commission Staff requests that Louisville Water Company (Louisville Water) and Goshen Utilities, Inc. (Goshen) submit the original and 10 copies of the following information and documents to the Commission no later than May 10, 2002, with a copy to all parties. Include with each response the name of the witness responding to the questions.

1. State the number of Goshen's employees expected to be transferred or eliminated in the proposed transfer.

2. Will Louisville Water convert Goshen's customers to new customer service and billing systems? If yes, explain the steps Louisville Water will take to ensure a smooth transition to these new systems.

3. State the total number of property owners on Highway 329 who were eligible to participate in Louisville Water's rebate program. State also the number of eligible property owners who signed and submitted petitions to Louisville Water by December 31, 2001.

4. What is the status of Louisville Water's project to extend water service to unserved residences in the former Oldham County Water District area?

5. a. What is Louisville Water's most recent cost estimate for extending water service to residences that are currently unserved in the former Oldham County Water District area?

b. If this estimate differs from the \$7,716 estimate originally offered by Goshen in its water line extension program, describe and explain the difference.

6. State whether the money allocated for rebates in the extension program is still available. If no, explain. If yes, state the name of the custodian of the money and state any plans for use of the money.

7. Did Goshen offer any rebates to those customers who participated in its water line extension program? If yes, state the amount of the rebate offered to the participants.

8. Has Goshen completed the initial phase of the water line extension project along the Covered Bridge Road for all residents that chose to participate?

9. Has Goshen provided adequate water service to all persons who submitted an application for service through its water line extension program and paid the requisite deposits?

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DATED: <u>April 26, 2002</u>

cc: Parties of Record