COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY-)	CASE NO.
AMERICAN WATER COMPANY FOR AN ADJUSTMENT OF RATES)	2025-00122

ORDER

On August 27, 2025, the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, through his Office of Rate Intervention (Attorney General) and the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (LFUCG) (jointly, Movants) filed a motion for their witness, Richard Baudino, to appear virtually at the September 23, 2025 hearing in this matter. In support of the motion, Movants stated that Mr. Baudino is the primary caretaker for a family member with long term health care needs. According to the motion, if Mr. Baudino was required to appear in person at a hearing, it would create a hardship for the family. Additionally, Movants noted that Kentucky-American Water Company (Kentucky-American) did not oppose the request.

Having considered the motion and facts, the Commission finds good cause to grant the motion. Providing the primary care for a family member with long term care needs is good cause to allow Mr. Baudino to testify remotely. The Movants were proactive in this request and all parties had sufficient time to consider the matter. Mr. Baudino should be

¹ Joint Motion of Attorney General and LFUCG For Leave To Allow Witness Baudino To Testify Remotely At Evidentiary Hearing (Motion) (filed Aug. 27, 2025).

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authorized to participate virtually at the September 23, 2025 hearing. Commission Staff shall coordinate with counsel prior to the hearing to ensure that the witness is provided a link for remote participation.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that

- 1. The motion is granted.
- 2. Mr. Baudino is authorized to participate virtually at the September 23, 2025 hearing, and any date thereafter, so long as the hearing is continued.
- 3. Commission Staff shall coordinate with the parties to ensure Mr. Baudino is provided a link for remote participation.

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