

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY**  
**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

<b>IN THE MATTER OF:</b>	)	
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<b>THE INVESTIGATION INTO THE FEASIBILITY</b>	)	<b>CASE NO. 2001-117</b>
<b>AND ADVISABILITY OF KENTUCKY-AMERICAN</b>	)	
<b>WATER COMPANY'S PROPOSED SOLUTION</b>	)	
<b>TO ITS WATER SUPPLY DEFICIT</b>	)	

**REQUEST FOR INFORMAL CONFERENCE**

Comes Kentucky-American Water Company ("Kentucky American Water"), by counsel, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(4), and moves the Commission for the setting of an informal conference for all the parties and the staff in this matter.

This matter was established by the Commission "...first, to identify the measures necessary to enable the Kentucky River to adequately supply the total requirements of Kentucky American Water's customers in 2020; second, to ascertain their cost and the likelihood of their implementation in sufficient time to meet 2020 customer demand; third, to compare the cost-effectiveness and feasibility of these measures with other alternatives; and fourth, to assess Kentucky American Water's ability to meet its short-term deficit."<sup>1</sup> Kentucky American Water has, and has had for some period of time, a water supply deficit accurately articulated by the Commission in 1995: "The Commission notes that for approximately the past eight years Kentucky-American has not had sufficient capacity to meet its customers' demand during s drought of record."<sup>2</sup> It is therefore necessary and in the best interest of its customers for Kentucky American Water to ascertain the current status of all efforts, plans, proposals and

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<sup>1</sup> Order, May 15, 2001.

<sup>2</sup> Order, March 14, 1995, Case No. 93-434.

opinions of the Attorney General; N.O.P.E., Inc.; Bluegrass Water Supply Commission; Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government; Kentucky River Authority; Bluegrass FLOW, Inc.; Bluegrass Area Development District; Division of Water, Department for Environmental Protection, Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, and the United States Army Corps of Engineers that reflect upon the goals of this proceeding.

Kentucky American Water seeks the establishment of a process for the collection and examination of all current information in order for it “to obtain sources of supply so that the quantity and quality of water delivered to its distribution system shall be sufficient to adequately, dependably and safely supply the total reasonable requirements of its customers under maximum consumption through the year 2020.”<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>3</sup> Order, August 21, 1997, Case No. 93-434.

## **CERTIFICATION**

In conformity with paragraph 10 of the Commission's Order dated May 15, 2001 herein, this is to certify that the electronic version of this pleading is a true and accurate copy of this pleading filed in paper medium; that Kentucky-American Water Company has notified the Commission, the Attorney General, N.O.P.E., Inc., the Bluegrass Water Supply Consortium, the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government and Bluegrass FLOW, Inc. by electronic mail that the electronic version of this pleading has been transmitted to the Commission; that a copy has been served by mail upon:

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