COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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IN THE MATTER OF:

ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION INTO EXCESSIVE WATER LOSS BY KENTUCKY'S JURISDICTIONAL WATER UTILITIES

Case No. 2019-00041

WEST CARROLL WATER DISTRICT'S STATUS REPORT

Comes now West Carroll Water District ("West Carroll"), by and through the undersigned counsel, pursuant to the Commission's March 13, 2020 and September 11, 2020 Orders and offers the following information for its status report for March 1, 2021:

As the Commission has seen in the past few status reports, the current state of emergency for COVID-19 has slowed the merger/consolidation discussions between West Carroll and Carrollton Utilities. Furthermore, due to the weather the area has received in the past few weeks, WCWD's Board was unable to vote to approve the draft Asset Acquisition Agreement ("Agreement") until February 25, 2021. The Agreement will now be taken before the Carrollton Utilities Commission and the Carrollton City Council. Those meetings will take place in March. West Carroll is planning on filing an Application for Approval of the Transfer of Control by April 1, 2021 assuming the Agreement is approved in March by both Carrollton Utilities and the City of Carrollton. If the Commission approves the transfer of control the goal would be to set the closing date for June 30th so that the new ownership would take place with the start of the new fiscal year on July 1, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

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