COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF)MOUNTAIN WATER DISTRICT FOR A)GENERAL ADJUSTMENT OF WATER)RATES)

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 5, Mountain Water District ("Mountain District") moves for an additional fourteen days to respond to Commission Staff's First Request for Information.

In support of its motion, Mountain District states:

1. On November 18, 2022, Commission Staff issued its First Request for Information in this matter to Mountain District. The Request required Mountain District to respond within twenty-one days or within fourteen days of submission of its application for rate adjustment, whichever was later.

2. Mountain District submitted its application for rate adjustment in this matter on February 18, 2023. Pursuant to the terms of Commission Staff's Request, Mountain District must submit its response no later than March 6, 2023.¹

3. Commission Staff's First Request for Information requests a significant amount of information. It consists of thirty-seven major requests and numerous subparts.

¹ Fourteen days from February 18 is March 4, which is a Saturday. 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(8)(b) provides that in computing a period of time prescribed or allowed by order of the commission, "[t]he last day of the period so computed shall be included, unless it is a Saturday, a Sunday, a legal holiday, or other day commission offices are legally closed, in which event the period shall run until the end of the next day that is not a Saturday, a Sunday, a legal holiday, or other day commission offices are legally closed." Therefore, the response is due on Monday, March 6.

4. Mountain District has been working diligently to obtain and assemble the requested materials and information but requires an additional fourteen days to complete the assembly and filing of its response.

5. The additional time is required because the preparation of Mountain District's application in this proceeding and in in Case No. 2022-00367² required greater time and effort than originally anticipated and limited the amount of time that could be devoted to responding to the Request for Information. Furthermore, recently members of Mountain District's staff members who are primarily responsible for the preparation of the response have suffered illnesses that have significantly limited the time that these key staff persons could devote to the preparation of Mountain District's response.

6. This request is made in good faith and not for purposes of delay.

WHEREFORE, Mountain District respectfully requests that the Public Service Commission grant Mountain District an additional fourteen days to respond to Commission Staff's First Request for Information and permit it to file its Response no later than March 20, 2023.

Dated: March 3, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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² Electronic Application of Mountain Water District for a General Adjustment of Sewer Rates, Case No. 2022-00367 (filed February 17, 2023).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

In accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8 and the Commission's Order of July 22, 2021 in Case No. 2020-00085, I certify that this document was transmitted to the Public Service Commission on March 3, 2023 and that no parties have been excused from electronic filing procedures.

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