

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

In the Matter of:)	
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Electronic Application of Bluegrass)	
Water Utility Operating Company, LLC)	
For an Adjustment of Water and)	
Sewage Rates)	Case No. 2025-00354
)	

**NOTICE OF FILING REVISED VERSION OF
CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

In compliance with the Kentucky Public Service Commission’s (“Commission”) Order entered on January 13, 2026 (the “Order”), denying in part Bluegrass Water Utility Operating Company, LLC’s (“Bluegrass Water” or the “Company”) Motions for Confidential Treatment dated December 11, 2025 and December 22, 2025, Bluegrass Water hereby provides revised versions of Exhibit 16 to the Application and Exhibit PSC 1-16.

1. The Commission denied Bluegrass Water’s request for confidential treatment of certain information contained in Exhibit 16 to the Application and Exhibit PSC 1-16. *See* Order, ¶¶ 2-4. The Order requires Bluegrass Water to submit unredacted and revised versions of the materials for which confidential treatment was denied within thirty (30) days. *Id.* at ¶ 13.

2. Consistent with the Commission’s Order, Bluegrass Water provides a slightly revised version of Exhibit 16 to the Application. Exhibit 16 to the Application contains employee compensation and benefits information of Central States Water Resources (“CSWR”) employees, broken down by each employee, including executives and non-executives. The Order denied confidential treatment of Exhibit 16 to the Application with respect to executive salary information. *Id.* at ¶ 2. However, the Commission granted confidential treatment to the individualized non-executive salary information pursuant to KRS 61.878(1)(a), which protects

against disclosure of “[p]ublic records containing information of a personal nature where the public disclosure thereof would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.” *See* KRS 61.878(1)(a); Order, p. 4.

3. Accordingly, Bluegrass Water provides a revised Exhibit 16 to the Application that reflects executive salary information and redacts individualized non-executive salary information. Although Exhibit 16 to the Application does not identify non-executives by name, compensation and benefits for all non-executive job titles were redacted to avoid disclosing personal information of any individual, particularly in circumstances where there is only one or a limited number of employees who hold that job title. In an effort to provide the Commission with an adequate payroll analysis, however, Exhibit 16 to the Application has been modified and now features Bluegrass Water’s aggregate payroll expenses in a new row labeled “Total,” which consists of the sum of each category of expense. Thus, the revised Exhibit 16 to the Application complies with the Order by providing executive salary information and omitting non-executive salary information, while still providing sufficient payroll analysis to comply with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 16(8)(g). No other changes were made to the document.

4. In addition, an entirely unredacted version of Exhibit PSC 1-16 is submitted as part of this filing, pursuant to the Order. Order, ¶ 13.

5. Therefore, the designated material for which Bluegrass Water’s request for confidential treatment was denied is hereby placed in the public record in accordance with the Commission’s Order.

Submitted this the 28th day of January, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

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