

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF	)	
CHRISTIAN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT	)	CASE NO.
FOR A FORMAL MOTION	)	2026-00210

**FORMAL MOTION FOR FINDING THAT
NO MODIFICATION OF PRESENT RATES IS NECESSARY**

The Christian County Water District (“**CCWD**” or “***Christian District***”), by counsel, submits this Formal Motion pursuant to Ordering Paragraph 5 of the Kentucky Public Service Commission’s (the “***Commission***”) October 15, 2025 Order in Case Number 2025-00309 (the “***Order***”). CCWD attaches a detailed analysis of its rates and revenues and explains below why no modification of its present rates is necessary at this time. Based upon that analysis and the reasons stated herein, CCWD requests that the Commission find that no modification of its present rates is necessary at this time and that CCWD has satisfied Ordering Paragraph 5 of the Order. In support of its Motion, CCWD states as follows:

1. On September 15, 2025, CCWD applied for approval of a purchased-water adjustment pursuant to KRS 278.015 and 807 KAR 5:068. See Case No. 2025-00309.
2. On October 15, 2025, the Commission entered an Order in case number 2025-00309 approving a purchased-water adjustment factor. Ordering Paragraph 5 directs: “On or before July 31, 2026, Christian District shall file an application for a general rate adjustment pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 16, an application for an alternative rate adjustment

pursuant to 807 KAR 5:076, or, in the alternative, *a formal motion with a detailed analysis of its rates and revenues explaining the reasons why no modifications are necessary.*" (emphasis added).

3. In response to the Order, Kentucky Rural Water Association ("**KRWA**") conducted a detailed study of CCWD's rates and revenues using calendar year 2025 as the test year and adjusting the test-year results for known and measurable changes. KRWA's July 2026 Analysis and Recommendations for Water Rates is attached as **Exhibit 1**. KRWA's supporting workpapers are filed in Excel spreadsheet format as **Exhibit 2**.

4. After accounting for the material financial conditions—including adjustments for the HWEA contract price and for purchased-water and purchase-power expenses associated with water loss above the 15% threshold— KRWA calculated that CCWD's total pro forma operating revenues exceed its projected operating expenses by \$472,256. Accordingly, the study demonstrates that CCWD's present rates are sufficient to cover its projected operating expenses and produce a positive operating margin.

5. Although KRWA's study identifies an additional \$8,177 in annual water-sales revenue—approximately 0.2%—as necessary to satisfy its calculated revenue requirement that amount is de minimis in relation to CCWD's projected operating revenues. The indicated adjustment results from the study's working-capital allowance rather than CCWD's inability to cover its projected operating expenses based on its present rates.

6. On July 23, 2026, CCWD held a specially called meeting to review the study and recommendations. The Board unanimously voted not to increase CCWD's rates at this time.

7. In light of CCWD's projected \$472,256 operating margin, the de minimis size of the indicated adjustment, the Board's decision after reviewing the study, CCWD submits that no modification of its present rates is necessary at this time.

8. CCWD will continue to monitor its financial conditions and will seek an adjustment of its rates if future conditions demonstrate that an adjustment is necessary.

9. Alternatively, if the Commission determines that additional information or further action is necessary, CCWD requests that the Commission find that this Motion and detailed analysis were timely filed in compliance with the July 31, 2026 deadline and permit CCWD to supplement the record or take such further action as the Commission directs.

WHEREFORE, Christian County Water District respectfully requests that the Commission:

A. Find that the attached detailed analysis and the reasons stated in this Motion satisfy the Commission's October 15, 2025 Order in Case No. 2025-00309 requirement;

B. Find that no modification of CCWD's present rates is necessary at this time;

C. Alternatively, if the Commission determines that additional information or further action is necessary, find that this Motion and detailed analysis were timely filed and permit CCWD to supplement the record as the Commission directs; and

D. Grant all other appropriate relief.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED, this 30th day of July 2026.

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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of this Motion has been filed electronically with the Commission on July 30, 2026, and there are currently no parties that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means. Pursuant to the Commission's July 22, 2021, Order in Case No. 2020-00085, a paper copy of this filing has not been transmitted to the Commission.

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