## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF SOUTHERN WATER AND ) CASE NO. SEWER DISTRICT FOR AN ALTERNATIVE ) 2019-00131 RATE ADJUSTMENT )

## ORDER

On April 19, 2019, Southern Water and Sewer District (Southern District), filed an application requesting to adjust its monthly water service rates, pursuant to the procedures set forth in 807 KAR 5:076, and requested an emergency rate increase be approved by the Commission while Staff completes its review of the application. On April 29, 2019, the Attorney General intervened in this matter. A hearing was held on May 9, 2019, for the purposes of obtaining information regarding Southern District's request for an emergency rate increase. On May 16, 2019, the Commission entered an order that established a procedural schedule in this matter, stating that, no later than July 19, 2019, Staff would issue a written report containing its findings and recommendations regarding Southern District's requested rate adjustment.

Commission Staff met with Southern District's representatives on May 1, 2019, at the Commission's offices to obtain information necessary to complete a staff report. Following that meeting, Commission Staff prepared multiple requests for information to obtain additional information necessary to review this matter and complete their report. Southern District responded to some of Staff's requests on June 21, 2019, but stated that it would provide supplemental information to certain responses at a later unspecified date. This additional information was filed into the record on July 1, 2019. Due to the delay in receiving the additional information, it is necessary to extend the deadline in the procedural schedule to give Commission Staff sufficient time to complete their report.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. No later than August 16, 2019, Commission Staff shall file with the Commission and serve upon all parties of record a written report containing its findings and recommendations regarding Southern District's requested rate adjustment.

2. All other provisions of the Commission's May 16, 2019, Order not in conflict with this Order shall remain in full force and effect.

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