COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF THE)	
CUMBERLAND COUNTY WATER DISTRICT TO)	
ISSUE SECURITIES IN THE APPROXIMATE)	
PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$1,570,000 FOR THE)	CASE NO.
PURPOSE OF REFUNDING CERTAIN)	2020-00188
OUTSTANDING OBLIGATIONS OF THE)	
DISTRICT PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF)	
KRS 278.300 AND 807 KAR 5:001)	

ORDER

On June 28, 2021, Cumberland County Water District (Cumberland District) moved for an extension of time for six months to file an alternative rate filing (ARF). In the Commission's July 28, 2020 Order in this proceeding, Cumberland District was ordered to file an ARF within one year of the date of entry of that Order.

In support of its motion, Cumberland District states that they received their most recent audit in April 2021, and are in the process of preparing the ARF. Cumberland District explains that it needs assistance in preparing the ARF and contacted Kentucky Rural Water Association (KRWA) for assistance. Cumberland District further explains that due to a backlog of ARF filings that KRWA is working on, additional time is needed to complete the application.

The Commission notes that Cumberland District did not file its motion for an extension of time until one month before the ARF filing deadline. The Commission has insufficient information to determine whether the motion should be granted. Therefore, the Commission finds that a decision on the motion should be deferred and that additional

information should be obtained to render a decision on the motion for an extension of time.

The Commission HEREBY ORDERS that:

- 1. A decision on Cumberland District's motion for an extension of time is deferred to obtain additional information.
- 2. No later than August 13, 2021, Cumberland District shall file with the Commission Cumberland District's responses to the data requests in the Appendix attached to this Order.
- 3. a. Responses to requests for information in paper medium shall be appropriately bound, tabbed and indexed, and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided, with a copy to all parties of record. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked.
- b. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.
- c. Any party shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect.

- d. For any request to which a party fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, that party shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.
- e. Any party filing a paper containing personal information shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(1 0), encrypt or redact the paper so that the personal information cannot be read.
- 4. The Commission directs the parties to the Commission's March 16, 2020 and March 24, 2020 Orders in Case No. 2020-00085¹ regarding filings with the Commission. The Commission expects the original documents to be filed with the Commission within 30 days of the lifting of the current state of emergency.

¹ Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-* 19 (Ky. PSC Mar. 16, 2020), Order at 5–6. Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-* 19 (Ky. PSC Mar. 24, 2020), Order at 1–3.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2020-00188 DATED JUL 15 2021

- 1. State the date that Cumberland District began preparing for the ARF.
- 2. State in detail the amount of progress made on the ARF application by Cumberland District prior to the call for assistance to KRWA.
- 3. State the date that Cumberland District placed a call to KRWA to assist with the ARF application.

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