COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF HARRISON)	CASE NO.
COUNTY WATER ASSOCIATION, INC. FOR AN)	2023-00154
ALTERNATIVE RATE ADJUSTMENT)	

<u>ORDER</u>

On May 18, 2023, Harrison County Water Association, Inc. (Harrison Water) filed an application with the Commission, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:076, requesting an adjustment to its water rates.¹ The Commission established a procedural schedule by Order dated June 7, 2023, that, among other things, requires Commission Staff to file with the Commission and serve upon all parties of record a written report (Commission's Staff Report) containing its findings and recommendations regarding Harrison Water's requested water rate adjustment, no later than September 12, 2023.²

Due to numerous Commission Staff scheduling conflicts, the Commission, on its own motion, finds that the procedural schedule established on June 7, 2023, should be amended to afford Commission Staff additional time to prepare and file the Commission

¹ Harrison Water tendered its application on May 11, 2023. By letter dated May 12, 2023, the Commission rejected the application for filing deficiencies. Harrison Water tendered its application a second time on May 15, 2023. By letter dated May 16, 2023, the Commission rejected the application for filing deficiencies a second time. The deficiencies were subsequently cured, and the application is deemed filed on May 18, 2023.

² Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:076, Section 7(2), if the Commission has not issued an order after six months from the date an alternative rate filing application is deemed filed, the utility may place the proposed rates into effect, subject to refund, pending the Commission's order upon filing written notice with the Commission of its intent to do so. Otherwise, an applicant using the alternative rate filing procedure may not place the proposed rates into effect until the Commission has issued an order approving the rates. 807 KAR 5:076, Section 7(1).

Staff's Report. Specifically, the Commission finds that the date for filing the Commission Staff's Report should be extended to October 3, 2023.

After Commission Staff's Report is filed on or before the amended deadline of October 3, 2023, Harrison Water will have 14 days to file a written response to Commission Staff's Report.³ If Harrison Water does not file written objections to a finding contained in Commission Staff's Report within 14 days after the date of the filing of Commission Staff's Report, it shall be deemed a waiver of all objections to that finding.⁴

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The procedural schedule established on June 7, 2023, is amended.
- 2. Commission Staff's Report shall be filed no later than October 3, 2023.
- 3. Harrison Water shall file its written response, if any, to Commission Staff's Report within 14 days of the filing of the Commission Staff's Report.
- All provisions of the Commission's June 7, 2023 Order that are in conflict 4. with the provisions of this Order are vacated, and all other provisions not in conflict with the provisions of this Order shall remain in effect.

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³ 807 KAR 5:076, Section 11(3)(a).

⁴ 807 KAR 5:076, Section 11(3)(c).

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