

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the General Rate Increase	)	
for Water and Sewer Service Provided	)	<b><u>Case No. WR-2007-0216</u></b>
by Missouri-American Water Company.	)	

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
WITHIN WHICH TO FILE SURREBUTTAL TESTIMONY**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through the Commission's General Counsel, and hereby moves the Commission for an extension of time, up to and including July 31, 2007, within which to file Surrebuttal Testimony herein. In support whereof, the undersigned reminds the Commission that an extension for the filing of Rebuttal Testimony was sought and obtained herein by the Public Counsel over Staff's objection. As Staff argued at the time, that delay has made it impossible for Staff to meet the original deadline for Surrebuttal Testimony herein.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will grant it an extension of time, up to and including July 31, 2007, within which to file its Surrebuttal Testimony in this matter; and for such other and further relief as is just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Certificate of Service**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served, either electronically or by First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, on this **26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2007**, to the parties of record as set out on the official Service List maintained by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission for this case, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

**s/ Kevin A. Thompson**