

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

In the Matter of Application of Canyon Treatment)
Facility, LLC for Permission, Approval and a)
Certificate of Convenience and Necessity)
Authorizing it to Acquire, Construct, Install, Own,)
Operate, Control, Manage, and/or Maintain a Sewer)
System for the Public Located in Stone County,)
Missouri.)

Case No. SA-2010-0219

**STAFF'S STATUS REPORT
AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE RECOMMENDATION**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through the undersigned counsel, and respectfully provides *Staff's Status Report and Notice of Intent to File Recommendation (Report)* to the Commission stating the following:

1. Staff has continued to file status reports to advise the Commission that the parties continue to discuss several potential options for resolution, including a potential transfer of the Canyon Treatment Facility, LLC (Canyon Treatment or Company) sewer system at issue to the Stone County Sewer District (Sewer District).

2. In the last *Status Report*, Staff informed the Commission that it hoped to file a Recommendation by December 21, 2011. Staff reports that the Recommendation is undergoing final review from Staff and anticipates filing on or before December 23, 2011.

WHEREFORE the Staff submits this *Report* for the Commission's information and consideration, and states it will file a recommendation with the Commission no later than December 23, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have provided a true and correct copy of the above pleading via electronic mail to W.R. England III and Brian T. McCartney, attorneys for Canyon Treatment Facility, LLC, at trip@brydonlaw.com and bmccartney@brydonlaw.com; David Woodsmall, attorney for VPG Partners, VI, LLC, at dwoodsmall@fcplaw.com; Kenneth N. Hall, attorney for Royal Vista, LLC, at khall@rmpllp.com; and the Office of the Public Counsel at opcservice@ded.mo.gov this 21st day of December, 2011.

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