

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

The Office of the Public Counsel,
COMPLAINANT

v.

Missouri-American Water Company,
RESPONDENT.

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Case No. WC-2014-0138, et al.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC or Company) and, as its Motion for Extension of Time to Respond to Staff's Report, respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

1. On November 22, 2013, Commission entered an Order directing Staff to file its Report regarding its investigation no later than January 7, 2014.

2. On January 3, 2014 and March 7, 2014 Staff filed two separate requests for extension. They both were granted, allowing it until March 14, 2014 to file its Report. MAWC consented to both requests.

3. On March 14, 2014, Staff filed its Report with the Commission. On that same date undersigned counsel for MAWC was on vacation where he had limited e-mail/internet access. He received and reviewed the Staff's Report upon his return to the office on March 24, 2014.

4. The Staff report addresses numerous issues and proposed twenty conditions on MAWC which deal with the consolidation of several formal complaints relative to business transformation issues MAWC experienced in one development in the Branson, Missouri area.

5. Accordingly, MAWC request that the Commission grant it an extension, such that MAWC's response to the Staff Report is due no later than April 18, 2014.

6. Staff consents to this request. MAWC attempted to contact OPC for their consent as well, but was unable to reach them.

WHEREFORE, MAWC respectfully requests that the Commission will grant it an extension of time, up to and including April 18, 2014, within which to file its Response to Staff Report in this matter; and for such other and further relief as is just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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