OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Missouri-American)	
Water Company's Request for Authority)	
to Implement a General Rate Increase)	Case No. WR-2007-0216, et al.
for Water Service Provided in Missouri)	
Service Areas)	

ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO FILE A RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: October 10, 2007 Effective Date: October 10, 2007

On October 10, 2007, Missouri American Water Company ("MAWC") filed revised tariff sheets to be in compliance with the Commission's October 4 Report and Order granting MAWC a general rate increase for provision of water and sewer services. The new tariff filings were assigned the following tracking numbers: YW-2008-0219, YW-2008-0220, YW-2008-0221, YW-2008-0222, YW-2008-0223, YW-2008-0224, YS-2008-0225, YS-2008-0226, and YS-2008-0227. Along with the revised tariffs, MAWC filed a motion for expedited treatment. Consequently, the Commission will direct its Staff to review the tariff sheets and file a report and recommendation expeditiously stating whether MAWC's current tariff fillings are in compliance with the Commission's October 4 Report and Order.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. No later than 3:00 p.m. on October 12, 2007, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file a report and recommendation regarding Missouri American

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¹ All dates throughout this order refer to the year 2007 unless otherwise noted.

Water Company's tariff compliance filing stating whether Missouri American Water Company's tariffs are in compliance with the Commission's October 4, 2007 Report and Order.

2. This order shall become effective on October 10, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Harold Stearley, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 10th day of October, 2007.