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DIANA CREIGHTON, being duly sworn, deposes and says: I am the President of the ARIZONA CAPITOL TIMES, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published at Phoenix, Maricopa County, Arizona, and that the

PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE HEARING FOR WILHOIT WATER COMPANY, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF THE TRANSFER OF ASSETS AND CANCELLATION OF ITS CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY UTILIZED FOR THE PROVISION OF SERVICE FOR ITS GLENARM FARMS SERVICE AREA DOCKET NO.

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Diana Creighton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of September, 2003.

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On July 18, 2003, Wilhoit Water Company, Inc. ("Applicant") filed an application for approval of the transfer of that portion of its assets and cancellation of that portion of its CC&N utilized to provide service to its Glenarm Farms service area in Maricopa County, Arizona. The application is available for inspection during regular business hours at the offices of the Commission in Phoenix, at 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona and at the Applicant's office.

The Commission will hold a hearing on this matter commencing on October 22, 2003, at 9:30 a.m., at the Commission's offices, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona. Public comments will be taken on the first day of the hearing.

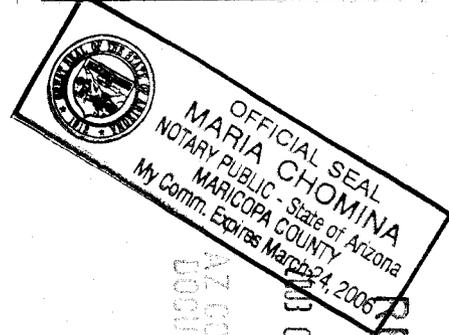
The law provides for an open public hearing at which, under appropriate circumstances, interested parties may intervene. Intervention shall be permitted to any person entitled by law to intervene and having a direct and substantial interest in the matter. Persons desiring to intervene must file a written motion to intervene with the Commission, which motion should be sent to Applicant or its counsel and to all parties of record, and which, at the minimum, shall contain the following: 1. The name, address, and telephone number of the proposed intervenor and of any party upon whom service of documents is to be made if different than the intervenor. 2. A short statement of the proposed intervenor's interest in the proceeding (e.g., a customer of Applicant, a shareholder of Applicant, a competitor, etc.). 3. A statement certifying that a copy of the motion to intervene has been mailed to the Applicant or its counsel and to all parties of record in the case.

The granting of motions to intervene shall be governed by A.A.C. R14-3-105, except that all motions to intervene must be filed on or before October 10, 2003. The granting of intervention, among other things, entitles a party to present sworn evidence at hearing and to cross-examine other witnesses. However, failure to intervene will not preclude any customer from appearing at the hearing and making a statement on such customer's own behalf.

If you have any questions or concerns about this application or have any objections to its approval, or wish to make a statement in support of it, you may write the Consumer Services Section of the Commission at 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 or call 1-800-222-7000 or appear at the hearing and make comment.

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