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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF JOHNSON UTILITIES COMPANY FOR
AN EXTENSION OF ITS EXISTING
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY FOR WATER AND
WASTEWATER SERVICE.

DOCKET NO. WS-02987A-04-0288
**STAFF RESPONSE TO PROCEDURAL
ORDER**

Pursuant to the June 21, 2005 Procedural Order, Staff states that it has no objection to the Motion to Expedite filed by Johnson. Staff also states Johnson Utilities docketed an Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) Approval of Construction for the Morning Sun Farms Well No. 1 along with other well data on June 9, 2005. The well was approved for use by ADEQ on June 3, 2005. Based on data submitted previously by the Johnson Utilities, the well capacity for the Morning Sun Farm Well No. 1 is 800 gallons per minute (gpm). Using the data prepared by Lyndon R. Hammon contained in the Amendment to Staff Report docketed on April 13, 2005, the 800 gpm Morning Star Well added to the existing 2,870 gpm well capacity of the Johnson 11-128 system would produce a total well production of 3,670 gpm. Based on Table III of the Amendment to Staff Report, this would provide enough additional capacity for the Company to meet **peak** day demand through March 2005 and **Average** daily demand during the

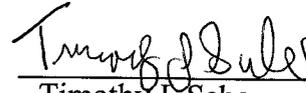
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1 peak month through July 2005. In Staff's opinion, this is not enough additional capacity for the
2 Company to meet its immediate growth demands.

3 DATED this 27th day of June, 2005.

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