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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
CORONADO UTILITIES, INC., FOR A
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE WASTEWATER
SERVICE IN PINAL COUNTY, ARIZONA.

DOCKET NO. SW-04305A-05-0086

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
CORONADO UTILITIES, INC., AN ARIZONA
CORPORATION, FOR AUTHORITY TO ISSUE
SHORT AND LONG-TERM DEBT
INSTRUMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH
FINANCING THE ACQUISITION OF THE
WASTEWATER UTILITY PLANT OF BHP
COPPER, INC. AND CONSTRUCTING
IMPROVEMENTS THERETO.

DOCKET NO. SW-04305A-05-0087

**STAFF'S REQUEST TO RESET
HEARING DATE**

On July 7, 2005, Utilities Division Staff ("Staff") of the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") received a Procedural Order setting the next hearing in this case for July 22, 2005. Staff respectfully requests that the hearing in this case be reset at least two weeks after August 11, 2005. Staff also requests that the legal memorandum discussed in the July 7, 2005, Procedural Order be due subsequent to the next hearing in this case.

Staff has made the above requests for several reasons. First, there have been numerous customer letters since the hearing on June 29, 2005. Second, Staff believes the hearing will provide Staff with valuable information that will help Staff with its analysis regarding its public service corporation legal memorandum. Third, a sentencing hearing for Santac Corporation ("Santac") is set for August 11, 2005. This sentencing may affect the corporate status of Santac. In light of the above, Staff may reconsider its original recommendation or impose additional conditions on Coronado Utilities, Inc. ("Coronado" or "Company"). Any changes to Staff's original recommendations would be filed in an addendum prior to the next hearing in this case.

Staff also respectfully requests that the Company be ordered to do certain things. First, Staff asks that the Company be required to re-notice customers of the new date for the hearing. Also, Staff

1 requests that the Company be ordered to have a representative from BHP Copper, Inc. ("BHP") at the
2 hearing. A BHP witness could provide some background with regard to the customer complaints and
3 some information that could be important in determining whether BHP is a public service
4 corporation. Finally, Staff requests that the Company also be ordered to file a legal memorandum
5 whether BHP is a public service corporation and whether BHP has an on-going obligation to continue
6 to provide sewer service whether it is, or is not, a public service corporation.

7 Staff respectfully requests that the Administrative Law Judge find that the need to re-schedule
8 and re-open the hearing for the above reasons constitutes an extraordinary event warranting
9 suspension of the time clock in this case.

10 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 11th day of July, 2005.

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