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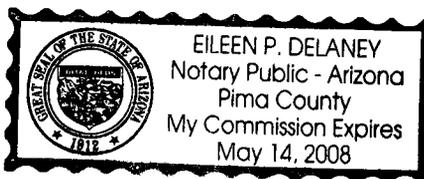
I, Bonnie O'Connor, Vice President of Southwestern Utility Management, Inc.

management company of Sonoita Valley Water Company hereby certify that the customers notification attached to this affidavit was provided to all customers of Sonoita Valley Water Company by U.S. Mail on the 22nd day of January, 2008.

Date: 1-22-08

Bonnie O'Connor V.P.
Southwestern Utility Management., Inc.

County of Pima)
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State of Arizona)



Signed before me this 22nd Day of January, 2008.

Notary Public

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT MEETING
SONOITA VALLE WATER COMPANY REQUEST FOR AN
EMERGENCY RATE INCREASE
Docket No. W-20435A-07-0649

Sonoita Valley Water Company ("Company") has requested the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") to determine if an emergency rate increase should be granted. It is the practice of the Commission to schedule emergency rate hearings on an expedited basis. If approved, emergency requests for rate relief result in interim rates that will be more fully reviewed in a permanent rate case filing. The hearing on the emergency request was held on January 14, 2008, at the Commission's Tucson offices. Notice of the January 14, 2008 hearing was mailed to all customers on January 3, 2008, three days later than required by the Commission in its Procedural Order. The Commission wants to insure that the customers of the Company have adequate time to provide their comments to the Commission on the emergency request.

The Commission will keep the record open in this matter to allow customers the opportunity to provide public comment on the emergency request. The Commission will hold a public comment meeting on February 14, 2008, at 10:00 a.m., or as soon as practical thereafter, at its Tucson offices, 400 West Congress, Room 222, Tucson, Arizona 85701. Customers who do not wish to appear in person may file written comments by mailing the original and 13 copies to:

Arizona Corporation Commission
Docket Control
1200 West Washington
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

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