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ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION
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May 21, 2008
Ernest Johnson
Director, Utilities Division
Arizona Corporation Commission
1200 West Washington
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Re: Extension of Sufficiency Review Period
Docket Nos. W-01303A-08-0227; SW-01303A-08-0227

Dear Mr. Johnson:

On May 1, 2008, Arizona-American Water Company ("Arizona-American") filed a rate application with the Commission. Arizona Administrative Code R14-2-103(7) ("Rule 103(7)") requires the Staff of the Arizona Corporation Commission to review the rate filing and, within a period of 30 days from May 1, 2008 (or by May 31, 2008), to provide a notice to Arizona-American that its filing "either is in compliance with the Commission's requirements or is deficient." The Rule further provides that if Staff fails to file any notice within the 30-day period, "the filing shall be deemed accepted after the 31st day."

This letter confirms that Arizona-American agrees to extend the 30-day review period provided for in Rule 103(7) by an additional 11 days, including a corresponding waiver of the provision in Rule 103(7) that the filing shall be deemed accepted after the 31st day. This will give the parties until June 11, 2008, to continue to address any sufficiency issues raised in Arizona-American's application. It is further understood that this letter is not intended to limit Staff's ability to make any filing or determination regarding the sufficiency of this matter at the expiration of the 11-day extension, or June 11, 2008.

Sincerely,

Arizona Corporation Commission
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