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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
CHINO MEADOWS II WATER COMPANY FOR  
A RATE INCREASE.

DOCKET NO. W-02370A-10-0519

PROCEDURAL ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

On December 30, 2010, Chino Meadows II Water Company ("Company") filed an application with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") for a rate increase.

On October 3, 2011, the hearing on the application convened as scheduled. The Company and the Commission's Utilities Division ("Staff") entered appearances through counsel, and presented evidence for the record. No members of the public appeared to provide public comment.

At the close of the hearing, the Company agreed to a waiver of the Commission's timeclock rule, A.A.C. R14-2-103(B)(11), as necessary to allow a Recommended Opinion and Order in this matter to be considered at the Commission's regularly scheduled Open Meeting of January 11 and 12, 2012. Based on that waiver, deadlines were set for Staff to file a late-filed exhibit responding to the Company's Exhibit A-5 on or before October 19, 2011; for Initial Closing Briefs to be filed by both parties on or before November 18, 2011; and for Reply Closing Briefs to be filed by both parties on or before December 2, 2011.

On October 4, 2011, a Procedural Order was issued extending the timeclock in this matter to January 12, 2012.

On October 19, 2011, Staff filed its Response to the Company's Exhibit A-5. Staff indicated that finds the Company's proposal set forth in Exhibit A-5 an acceptable solution to the allocation issue in this case, contingent upon the Company's commitment to file its next general rate case at the same time as the filing of the next rate case for its sister utility, Granite Mountain Water Company,

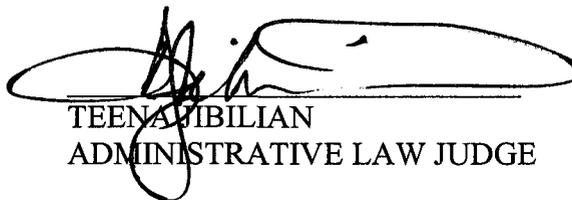
1 Inc. Staff requests the issuance of a Procedural Order setting a deadline of November 9, 2011, to file  
2 post-hearing schedules.

3 Staff's request is reasonable and should be granted.

4 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Staff shall file post-hearing schedules in this matter on  
5 or before November 9, 2011.

6 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Ex Parte Rule (A.A.C. R14-3-113 - Unauthorized  
7 Communications) continues to apply to this proceeding and shall remain in effect until the  
8 Commission's Decision in this matter is final and non-appealable.

9 DATED this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2011.

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13 TEENA JIBILIAN  
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