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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
APPALOOSA WATER COMPANY FOR  
APPROVAL OF A RATE INCREASE.

DOCKET NO. W-03443A-15-0271

**PROCEDURAL ORDER**  
**(Grants Extension of Time)**

**BY THE COMMISSION:**

On July 28, 2015, Appaloosa Water Company ("Appaloosa" or "Company") filed an application with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") for approval of a rate increase.

From July 31 through August 25, 2015, various consumer comments were filed in the docket.

On August 25, 2015, the Commission's Utilities Division ("Staff") filed a Letter of Insufficiency, requesting that the Company provide additional information on its application.

On September 11, 2015, Appaloosa filed amendments to its application.

On September 22, 2015, Appaloosa filed amendments to its application.

On September 29, 2015, Staff issued a Letter of Sufficiency stating that Appaloosa's application had met the sufficiency standards set forth in the Arizona Administrative Code R14-2-103 and that Appaloosa had been classified as a Class D utility.

On November 6, 2015, Staff filed a Request for an Extension of Time to File Staff Report, stating that the Company's response to Staff's First Set of Data Requests had not been timely and that Staff needed additional time, until December 13, 2015, to file the Staff Report in this matter ("Request").

No objections have been filed. Accordingly, Staff's Request should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Staff's Request for an extension of time, until December 13, 2015, to file the Staff Report in this matter is hereby granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the timeclock in this matter is hereby suspended.

1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all parties must comply with Arizona Supreme Court Rules  
2 31, 38, and 42 and Arizona Revised Statutes § 40-243 with respect to the practice of law and admission  
3 *pro hac vice*.

4 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, as permitted under A.A.C. R14-3-107(B), each party to this  
5 matter may opt to receive service of all filings in this docket, including all filings by parties and all  
6 Procedural Orders and Recommended Opinions and Orders/Recommended Orders issued by the  
7 Commission's Hearing Division, via email sent to an email address provided by the party rather than  
8 via U.S. Mail. To exercise this option, a party shall:

- 9 1. Ensure that the party has a valid and active email address to which the party has regular  
10 and reliable access ("designated email address");
- 11 2. Complete a Consent to Email Service form, available on the Commission's website  
12 ([www.azcc.gov](http://www.azcc.gov));
- 13 3. File the original and 13 copies of the Consent to Email Service form with the  
14 Commission's Docket Control, also providing service to each party to the service list;
- 15 4. Send an email, containing the party's name and the docket number for this matter, to  
16 [HearingDivisionServicebyEmail@azcc.gov](mailto:HearingDivisionServicebyEmail@azcc.gov) from the designated email address, to allow  
17 the Hearing Division to verify the validity of the designated email address;
- 18 5. Understand and agree that service of a document on the party shall be complete upon  
19 the sending of an email containing the document to the designated email address,  
20 regardless of whether the party receives or reads the email containing the document;  
21 and
- 22 6. Understand and agree that the party will no longer receive service of filings in this  
23 matter through First Class U.S. Mail or any other form of hard-copy delivery, unless  
24 and until the party withdraws this consent through a filing made in this docket.

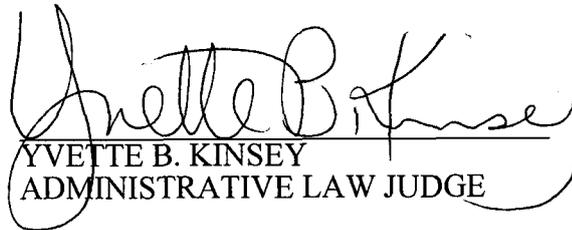
25 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a party's consent to email service shall not become effective  
26 until a Procedural Order is issued approving the use of email service for the party. The Procedural  
27 Order shall be issued only after the party has completed steps 1 through 4 above, and the Hearing  
28 Division has verified receipt of an email from the party's designated email address.

1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a party's election to receive service of all filings in this matter  
2 via email does not change the requirement that all filings with the Commission's Docket Control must  
3 be made in hard copy and must include an original and 13 copies.

4 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that withdrawal of representation must be made in compliance  
5 with A.A.C. R14-3-104(E) and Rule 1.16 of the Rules of Professional Conduct (under Arizona  
6 Supreme Court Rule 42). Representation before the Commission includes appearances at all hearings  
7 and procedural conferences, as well as all Open Meetings for which the matter is scheduled for  
8 discussion unless counsel has previously been granted permission to withdraw by the Administrative  
9 Law Judge or the Commission.

10 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Administrative Law Judge may rescind, alter, amend, or  
11 waive any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by ruling at  
12 hearing.

13 DATED this 10th day of November, 2015.

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17 YVETTE B. KINSEY  
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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