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STATE OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE

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TO: THE COMMISSION

FROM: OFFICE OF ELECTRIC, GAS AND WATER
- Gas and Water Rates

SUBJECT: CASE 13-W-0295 - Proceeding on Motion of the
Commission as to the Rates, Charges, Rules and
Regulations of United Water New York Inc. for Water
Service.

United Water New York Inc. made compliance tariff
filings to implement Rate Year 1 of a two-year rate
plan adopted by the Commission in its Order issued
June 26, 2014 in this proceeding.

SUMMARY OF

RECOMMENDATION: The tariff amendments and statements listed in
the Appendix should be allowed to become
effective on a permanent basis as of the date
of issuance of this Order.

SUMMARY

In compliance with the Commission's Order in Case 13-
W-0295,¹ United Water New York Inc. (UWNY or the Company) made
three compliance filings to include amendments and statements to
its tariff schedule, which became effective on a temporary

¹ Case 13-W-0295, United Water New York Inc. - Water Rates, Order
Establishing Rates, (issued June 26, 2014) (Rate Order).

basis. Staff has reviewed the tariff amendments and statements, and finds them to be in compliance with the Rate Order and, therefore, recommends the Commission allow them to become effective on a permanent basis as of the date of issuance of this Order.

COMPLIANCE FILINGS

The Commission directed UWNY to file, on not less than one day's notice, such tariff changes as are necessary to effectuate the provisions of the Rate Order. The tariff amendments were to take effect on a temporary basis, and increase total revenues by \$7.4 million, or 10%, in Rate Year 1 (June 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015).

UWNY made three compliance filings to its tariff schedule, P.S.C. No. 1 - Water, which became effective on a temporary basis on July 1, 2014, July 4, 2014, and November 18, 2014, respectively. The Company filed the required tariff amendments and statements and informed the Secretary to the Commission that copies of the filings were served on all active parties in Case 13-W-0295. A list of the tariff amendments and statements filed by the Company is shown in the Appendix. The tariff amendments and statements will not become effective on a permanent basis until approved by the Commission.

CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATION

Staff reviewed the Company's filings and has confirmed that the proposed tariff amendments and statements properly reflect the directives contained in the Rate Order. The Company complied with the statutory and regulatory requirements for newspaper publication of its proposed tariff amendments as required by Public Service Law §89-c(10) and 16 NYCRR §720-8.1.

No party has objected to these amendments. Accordingly, Staff recommends that the Commission adopt the tariff amendments and statements on a permanent basis.

It is recommended that the tariff amendments and statements listed in the Appendix be allowed to become effective on a permanent basis as of the date of issuance of this Order.

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