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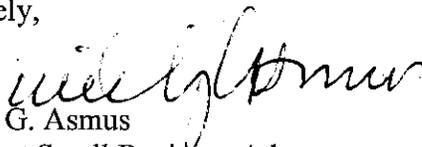
**Re: Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission v. Columbia Water Company
Docket No. R-2013-2360798**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

The Office of Small Business Advocate ("OSBA") participated in the above-captioned proceeding as a statutory advocate for small business customers of Columbia Water Company ("Columbia"). After careful review of the filing and subsequent discovery made available by Columbia and other parties, the OSBA determined that it would not file testimony in this matter and would not take a position with respect to issues raised by other parties.

Therefore, the OSBA states that it does not oppose the Joint Petition for Settlement filed in this matter.

Sincerely,


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**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

**Columbia Water Company, Tariff Water - :
Pa. PUC No. 7 - Filing for Increase in Rates for : Docket No. R-2013-2360798
Columbia Division :**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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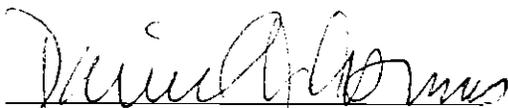
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