



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

September 2, 2016

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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

**Re: Joint Application of Pennsylvania-American Water Company and the Sewer Authority of the City of Scranton for Approval of (1) the Transfer, by Sale, of Substantially all of the Sewer Authority of the City of Scranton's Sewer System and Sewage Treatment Works Assets, Properties and Rights Related to its Wastewater Collection and Treatment System to Pennsylvania-American Water Company, and (2) the Rights of Pennsylvania-American Water Company to Begin to Offer or Furnish Wastewater Service to the Public in the City of Scranton and the Borough of Dunmore, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania
Docket No. A-2016-2537209**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Please be advised that the Office of Small Business Advocate ("OSBA") will not be filing Exceptions to the Recommended Decision in the above-captioned proceeding. The OSBA reserves the right, however, to submit Reply Exceptions in response to issues which are raised in other parties' Exceptions.

Copies of this correspondence will be served on all known parties in this proceeding, as evidenced by the enclosed Certificate of Service.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sharon E. Webb".

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Enclosures

cc: The Honorable David A. Salapa
The Honorable Steven Haas
Parties of Record
Mr. Brian Kalcic

**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

**Joint Application of Pennsylvania-
American Water Company and the
Sewer Authority of the City of Scranton
for Approval of (1) the transfer, by sale,
of substantially all of the Sewer Authority
of the City of Scranton's Sewer System
and Sewage Treatment Works assets,
properties and rights related to its
wastewater collection and treatment
system to Pennsylvania-American Water
Company, and (2) the rights of
Pennsylvania-American Water Company
to begin to offer or furnish wastewater
service to the public in the City of
Scranton and the Borough of Dunmore,
Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania** :

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been served via email and/or First-Class mail (*unless other noted below*) upon the following persons, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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