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Honorable Steven K. Haas
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
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Re: Petition of Delaware Sewer Company for an Investigation into Whether the Public Utility Commission Should Order a Capable Public Utility to Acquire Delaware Sewer Company; Docket No. I-2016-2526085

STATUS OF SETTLEMENT NEGOTIATIONS

Dear Administrative Law Judge Haas:

This correspondence is to advise you that Delaware Sewer Company ("DSC") has executed an Asset Purchase Agreement with Pennsylvania-American Water Company ("PAWC"), and that an affiliate of DSC has executed a Land Transfer Agreement with PAWC. It is requested that the stay of the litigation schedule be extended for twenty days so that the parties may prepare a Joint Petition for Settlement and all accompanying documents resolving this matter. Counsel for PAWC has discussed this request with the other counsel in the case, and they have agreed to the requested extension.

Copies have been served on all active parties as indicated on the enclosed Certificate of Service. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact me.

Sincerely,

COZEN O'CONNOR

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Enclosure

cc: Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Per Certificate of Service
Susan Simms Marsh, Esq.

**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Petition of Delaware Sewer Company for an :
Investigation into Whether the Public Utility : Docket No. I-2016-2526085
Commission Should Order a Capable Public :
Utility to Acquire Delaware Sewer Company :

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of **Pennsylvania-American Water Company's Letter Re: Status of Settlement Negotiations**, upon the parties, listed below, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a party).

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