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RE: Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, *et al.* v. Pittsburgh Water and Sewer  
Authority; Docket Nos. R-2018-3002645 and R-2018-3002647  
Notice to the City of Pittsburgh

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Dear Ms. Hilton:

Pursuant to a recently filed Settlement Agreement with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (“PUC” or “Commission”),<sup>1</sup> The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority (“PWSA” or “Authority”) has agreed to formally notify the City of Pittsburgh (“City”) of the record and outcome of PWSA’s “July 2, 2018 base rate increase filing.”<sup>2</sup>

As part of the Settlement Agreement, PWSA agreed to serve the City with a copy of the full record of the July 2, 2018 base rate increase filing (not including any confidential materials) – as of the conclusion of the evidentiary hearing on November 14, 2018.<sup>3</sup> The public testimony and exhibits in the evidentiary record are provided on the enclosed CD. Additional public documents associated with the July 2, 2018 base rate increase filing can be accessed at the following links on the Commission’s website:<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> The Settlement Agreement was reached by certain active parties (collectively, the Joint Petitioners”) in the July 2, 2018 base rate increase filing. That settlement must be reviewed and approved by the Commission.

<sup>2</sup> PWSA’s water and wastewater operations became subject to regulation by the Commission on April 1, 2018, pursuant to Act 65 of 2017, 66 Pa.C.S. § 3201 *et seq.* (“Chapter 32”). Chapter 32 directed that initial tariffs be filed by July 2, 2018. See 66 Pa.C.S. § 3204(a); *Implementation of Chapter 32 of the Public Utility Code Re Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority*, PUC Docket No. M-2018-2640802 and M-2018-2640803, Final Implementation Order entered March 15, 2018 at 44. On July 2, 2018, the PWSA filed Tariff Water – Pa. P.U.C. No. 1 and Tariff Wastewater – Pa. P.U.C. No. 1 to become effective August 31, 2018 with the Commission (collectively, the “July 2, 2018 base rate increase filing”). See PUC Docket No. R-2018-3002645 (Water) and PUC Docket No. R-2018-3002647 (Wastewater). Through these filings, PWSA requested that the Commission approve PWSA’s tariffs pursuant to Act 65 of 2017, 66 Pa.C.S. § 3201 *et seq.*

<sup>3</sup> The record was closed at the conclusion of the evidentiary hearing. 52 Pa.Code § 5.43(a).

<sup>4</sup> The general search page on the Commission’s website can be found at:  
[http://www.puc.state.pa.us/about\\_puc/search\\_results.aspx](http://www.puc.state.pa.us/about_puc/search_results.aspx).

- **PUC Docket No. R-2018-3002645 (Water):**  
[http://www.puc.state.pa.us/about\\_puc/consolidated\\_case\\_view.aspx?Docket=R-2018-3002645](http://www.puc.state.pa.us/about_puc/consolidated_case_view.aspx?Docket=R-2018-3002645)
- **PUC Docket No. R-2018-3002647 (Wastewater):**  
[http://www.puc.state.pa.us/about\\_puc/consolidated\\_case\\_view.aspx?Docket=R-2018-3002647](http://www.puc.state.pa.us/about_puc/consolidated_case_view.aspx?Docket=R-2018-3002647)

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If you have any questions, please contact either me or Dan Clearfield (717.237.7173; [dclearfield@eckertseamans.com](mailto:dclearfield@eckertseamans.com)). Thank you.

Sincerely,



Carl R. Shultz

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that this day I served a copy of the foregoing Letter, upon the persons listed below in the manner indicated in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code Section 1.54.

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