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Via Hand Delivery

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

In re: Docket No. A-2019-3015173

Application of Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc. pursuant to Sections 1102, 1329 and 507 of the Public Utility Code for Approval of its Acquisition of the Wastewater System Assets of the Delaware County Regional Water Quality Control Authority

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

We are counsel to Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc. ("Aqua") and are submitting for filing, with this letter, Aqua's Application, pursuant to Sections 1102, 1329 and 507 of the Public Utility Code, for Approval of its Acquisition of the Wastewater System Assets of the Delaware County Regional Water Quality Control Authority ("DELCORA"). The Application, with Exhibits, is being submitted in paper and electronic forms. Please note that the filing includes Confidential Sewage Facilities Maps provided in a separate envelope labeled CONFIDENTIAL – TERRITORY MAPS WITH FACILITIES and Confidential Schedules to the Asset Purchase Agreement provided in a separate envelope labeled CONFIDENTIAL – SCHEDULES TO ASSET PURCHASE AGREEMENT.

The filing also includes Confidential and Public Work Paper Files, as follows:

- 1. Confidential Work Paper Files, in Excel format, of Gannett Fleming Valuation and Rate Consultants, LLC, the Utility Valuation Expert selected by Aqua, are provided on a Confidential CD labeled CONFIDENTIAL Gannett Fleming Excel Files and Work Papers. Gannett Fleming considers its Work Paper Files, in Excel Format, to be both Confidential and Proprietary.
- 2. Confidential Work Paper Files, in Excel format, of ScottMadden, Inc., the Utility Valuation Expert selected by DELCORA, are provided on a Confidential CD labeled CONFIDENTIAL ScottMadden Excel Files and Work Papers. ScottMadden considers its Work Paper Files, in Excel Format, to be both Confidential and Proprietary.
- 3. Confidential Work Paper File, in Excel Format, of Appendix A to Mr. Packer's testimony, which is Exhibit U2 to the Application, are provided on a CD labeled

CONFIDENTIAL Appendix A, Work Paper File. Aqua considers Mr. Packer's Work Paper File, in Excel Format, to be both Confidential and Proprietary.

4. A Public Work Paper File in Excel Format for the Engineer's Asset Inventory is provided on a CD in a separate envelope included with this letter.

We ask that the Public Utility Commission not allow any public disclosure of the Confidential Maps, Confidential Schedules, Confidential CDs or Confidential and Proprietary Excel Files and that the Commission take appropriate steps to exclude the Confidential and Proprietary Information from any and all public folders.

Please contact me at your earliest opportunity if anything further is required in regard to this Application.

Our check in the amount of \$350.00 is enclosed in payment of the filing fee.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS, NIESEN & THOMAS, LLC

By June 19

Thomas T. Niesen

cc: Certificate of Service (w/encl.)

Alexander R. Stahl, Esquire (w/encl.)

Thomas S. Wyatt, Esquire (w/encl.)