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Via Electronic Filing

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
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In re: Formal Rate Complaint Docket No. C-2017-2626954
Tanya J. McCloskey, Acting Consumer Advocate v. The Newtown Artesian Water Company

Rate Case Docket No. R-2017-2624240
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission v. The Newtown Artesian Water Company

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

We represent The Newtown Artesian Water Company (“NAWC” or “Company”) in the above matters which include the Formal Complaint of Tanya J. McCloskey, Acting Consumer Advocate, at Complaint Docket No. C-2017-2626954 (“OCA Complaint”), relating to NAWC’s tariff filing at Rate Case Docket No. R-2017-2624240. By Secretarial letter dated October 2, 2017, the Public Utility Commission formally served a copy of the OCA Complaint on us indicating by reference to 52 Pa. Code § 5.61(d) that the Complaint would be heard in conjunction with the proceeding at Rate Case Docket No. R-2017-2624240. No answer to the OCA Complaint is required by 52 Pa. Code § 5.61(d) unless directed by the Commission or the presiding officer. No filing directive has been issued by either the Commission or a presiding officer, and NAWC, accordingly, is not planning on filing an answer to the Complaint unless later directed to do so.

Please contact us if anything further is needed in regard to this matter.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS, NIESEN & THOMAS, LLC

By 

Thomas T. Niesen

cc: Brenden E. Brett, Esquire

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**Before The
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this 10th day of October, 2017, served a true and correct copy of the foregoing letter upon the persons and in the manner set forth below:

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