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July 21, 2018

Rosemary Chiavetta, Esquire
Secretary, Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building – 2 North
P.O. Box 3265
Harrisburg, PA 17105

Re: Docket No C-2018-3002634
Richard Hamilton v. Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc.
Answers and New Matter of Aqua PA

Dear Secretary Chiavetta,

I am enclosing my written reply to Counsel's remarks and New Matter received from Aqua Pennsylvania's Legal Department.

4. I would like to retract my statements in this section.
Thank you for clarifying the Distribution System Improvement Charge (DSIC) in the attachments with your letter.

Upon further investigation, I have discovered that the DSIC charges have appeared on my bills as far back as October 2008, with the exception of January 2013 through September 2017, when there wasn't a DSIC listed on my bills.

I would like to make a recommendation to Aqua's Message Center, that appears on all bills, and request that they add the \$0.0M (dollar) amount in the system improvements that have been made by the company (example below).

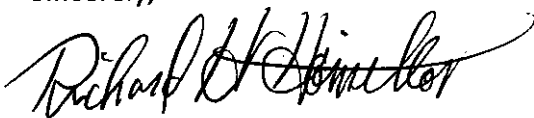
e.g., Effective monthly the allowable DSIC charge is 0.0%. This reflects \$0.0M (dollars) in system improvements made by the company.

5. I still believe that the PUC is responsible for protecting me from unreasonable utility charges. I have also come to the realization of what the DSIC charges are being used for and have the knowledge that it will not be a "forever" charge on my Aqua bill. The DSIC percentage will dissipate as the bill for the system improvements are paid off over time.
11. Based on the information received in the letter dated July 2nd, I am not seeking relief on behalf of other customers.

12. Based on the information received in the letter dated July 2nd, I will not be filing or prosecuting a complaint on behalf of other customers against Aqua Pennsylvania.
13. Based on the information received in the letter dated July 2nd, I do not have any further interest in the subject matter of this proceeding with Aqua Pennsylvania.
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15. Based on the information received in the letter dated July 2nd, I will not be filing or prosecuting a complaint on behalf of other customers against Aqua Pennsylvania.
16. I am satisfied with the DSIC information that was provided in the letter dated July 2nd. This proceeding does not need to proceed to mediation. I consider the matter settled.
17. I am satisfied with the DSIC information that was provided in the letter dated July 2nd. I am in agreement with this statement and propose that the matter be settled.
18. Based on the information received in the letter dated July 2nd, I do not want this complaint to be referred to the Office of Administrative Law Judge's Mediation Unit. I propose that this matter be settled.

I agree that this complaint should be dismissed. Thank you for providing me with information to better understand the DSIC.

Sincerely,



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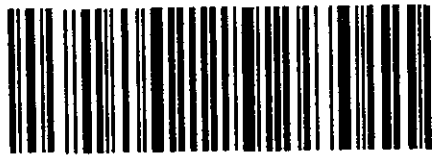
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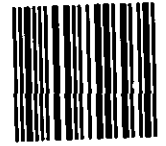
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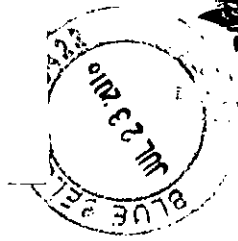


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