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BUREAU OF
INVESTIGATION
&
ENFORCEMENT

May 30, 2023

Via Electronic Filing

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

Re: Application of Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc. (“Aqua”) under Sections 1102 1329 of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Code for (1) approval of the acquisition by Aqua of the water system assets of the Borough of Shenandoah (“Shenandoah” or “Borough”) and the Municipal Authority of the Borough of Shenandoah (“MABS” or the “Authority”) situated within the Borough, West Mahanoy Township, Mahanoy Township, Butler Township, Girardville Borough, and Union Township, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania, (2) approval of the right of Aqua to begin to offer, render, furnish and supply water service to the public in the Borough of Shenandoah, West Mahanoy Township, Mahanoy Township, Butler Township, and Girardville Borough, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania; (3) an order approving the acquisition that includes the ratemaking rate base of the Borough and MABS water system assets pursuant to Section 1329(c)(2) of the Public Utility Code; and (4) approval of a contract between Aqua, the Borough, and MABS, pursuant to Section 507 of the Public Utility Code.
Docket No. A-2022-3034143
I&E Letter – Not Filing Exceptions

Dear Secretary Chiavetta,

Please be advised that the Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement (I&E) will not be filing Exceptions to the Recommended Decision of Administrative Law Judge Jeffrey A. Watson that was issued on May 18, 2023, in the above-referenced proceeding.

Copies of this letter are being served on parties of record per the attached Certificate of Service. Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I am serving the foregoing **Letter** dated May 30, 2023 in the manner and upon the persons listed below:

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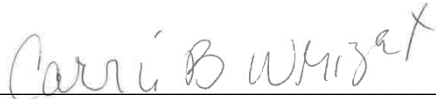
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