



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
February 18, 2026

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Matthew L. Homsher, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Application of Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc. Pursuant to Section 1102 of the Public Utility Code, for approval of: (1) the acquisition by Aqua of the water system assets of Ulster Municipal Authority situated within a portion of Ulster Township, Bradford County, Pennsylvania; and (2) the right of Aqua to begin to offer, render, furnish and supply water service to the public in a portion of Ulster Township, Bradford County, Pennsylvania / Docket No. A-2026-3060010

Dear Secretary Homsher:

Enclosed please find the Withdrawal of Appearance of Steven C. Gray, on behalf of the Office of Small Business Advocate (“OSBA”), in the above-referenced proceeding.

Please note OSBA’s Assistant Small Business Advocate Rebecca Lytle remains counsel in this proceeding.

Copies will be served on all known parties in this proceeding, as indicated on the attached Certificate of Service.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

/s/ Steven C. Gray

Steven C. Gray
Senior Attorney
Assistant Small Business Advocate
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Enclosures

cc: Jason Hails
Roger Cathcart
Parties of Record

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WITHDRAWAL OF APPEARANCE

The Office of Small Business Advocate, pursuant to 52 Pa. Code § 1.24, hereby withdraws the appearance of Steven C. Gray, in the above-captioned proceeding.

Documents in this proceeding should now be served on the following:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been served via email (*unless otherwise noted below*) upon the following persons, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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