

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of)
Aqua Ohio, Inc. for Authority to)
Increase its Rates and Charges in its) Case No. 09-1044-WW-AIR
Lake Erie Division.)

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) At the June 25, 2010, prehearing conference in this matter, the deadline for filing Staff's direct testimony was scheduled for July 16, 2010.
- (2) On July 14, 2010, Staff filed a motion for extension of time and request for expedited ruling, accompanied by a memorandum in support. Staff explains that, following the prehearing conference, it has continued to engage in settlement negotiations with the parties. Staff adds that it can better focus its efforts toward finalizing settlement by postponing the filing deadline for its direct testimony to July 20, 2010. Staff states that neither Aqua Ohio, Inc. nor the Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel objects to Staff's motion. Staff also observes that Rule 4901-1-13(A), Ohio Administrative Code, permits an extension of time where good cause is shown.
- (3) The attorney examiner concludes that Staff's request is reasonable. Accordingly, the motion for extension of time is granted, and the deadline for filing Staff's direct testimony shall be rescheduled to July 20, 2010.

ORDERED, That Staff's motion for extension of time to file its direct testimony be granted. It is, further,

ORDERED, That the deadline for Staff to file its direct testimony be extended to July 20, 2010. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon each party of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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Secretary