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February 1, 2012

VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

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

Re: **Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, et al. v.**
Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc., Docket No. R-2011-2267958

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Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

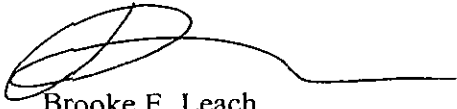
To date, Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc. ("AP" or the "Company") has been served with various formal complaints in the above-captioned matter and anticipates that additional formal complaints will be filed. On January 12, 2012, the Commission entered an Order initiating an investigation of the Company's rate increase request at the above-referenced docket number. The Company anticipates that all complaints filed with respect to its proposed rate increase will be consolidated in that proceeding. Accordingly, with respect to the complaints that have been filed, and any complaints hereafter filed, the Company, in lieu of filing answers, will rely upon 52 Pa. Code § 5.61(d), which provides:

For complaints which are docketed with Commission-instituted rate proceedings, an answer may be filed within the time specified. However, no answer is required, except as may be directed by the Commission or the presiding officer.

Secretary Rosemary Chiavetta
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If the presiding Administrative Law Judges or the Commission believes that answers should be filed to any complaints and hereafter directs the Company to do so, we request that the Company be provided 20 days from the date of such directive to file answers to such complaints.

Very truly yours,



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c: Per Attached Certificate of Service
Hon. Angela T. Jones (Per Attached Certificate of Service)
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**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION : **DOCKET NO. R-2011-2267958**
:
: **vs.** :
AQUA PENNSYLVANIA, INC. : :

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify and affirm that I have this day served copies of the **Letter dated February 1, 2012 to Secretary Chiavetta**, upon the following persons in the manner specified in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54:

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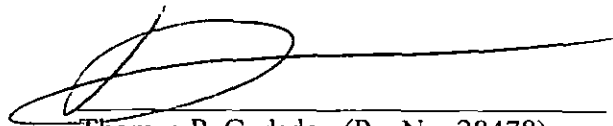
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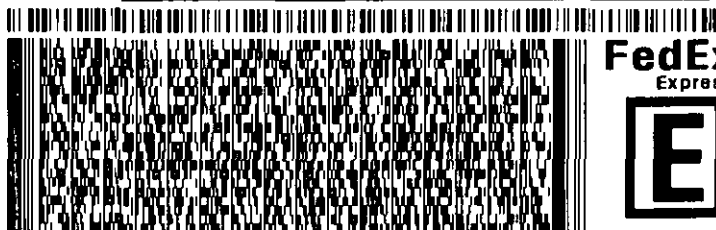
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