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March 20, 2015

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

> Re: Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc. - Second Quarter 2015 Distribution System Improvement Charge (DSIC) (Docket No. P-2013-2366873)

Dear Secretary Chiavatta:

Enclosed is one copy of Aqua Pennsylvania's Wastewater's supporting DSIC work papers for the above-mentioned time period as well as Tariff Supplement No. 94 for the abovementioned time period. The Company is also serving these documents electronically to the Office of Consumer Advocate and the PUC Bureau of Audits.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (610) 645-1136.

Sincerely,

Willian C. Jack

William C. Packer Controller Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc.

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AQUA PENNSYLVANIA WASTEWATER, INC.

DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT CHARGE ("DSIC") CALCULATION

		Sept 2013 - Nov 2013	Dec 2013 - May 2014	June - Nov 2014	Dec 2014	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Three Months	Total
Acct	Description	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actuai	To Date	To Date
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355000	Power Generation Equipment - Lift Station	2,179	11,059	0	0	0	15,359	15,359	28,597
360000	Collection Sewers-Force	16,869,	43,492	65,592	0	0	11,314	11,314	137,267
361000	Collection Sewers-Gravity	145,793	389,367	442,664	1,664	632	727,460	729,756	1,707,580
362000	Special Collecting Structures	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
363000	Services to Customers	0	166,888	(166,888)	0	0	0	0	0
364000	Flow Measuring Devices	0	6,696	(6,696)	0	0	0	O	0
365000	Flow Measuring Installations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	. 0
371000	Pumping Equipment - Lift Station	145,996	158,286	329,446	0	0	78,749	78,749	713,477
389200	Other Plant & Miscellaneous Equipment - Collections	0	0	0	0	D	0	0	0
396000	Communication Equipment - Lift Station	11,745	28,257	(24,135)	0	0	0	0	15,867
397000	Miscellaneous Equipment - Lift Station	3,345	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,345
٦	TOTAL ADDITIONS	326,927	804,045	639,984	1,664	632	832,883	835,179	2,606,134

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		Accumulated Depreciation	Quarterly Depr, On	Quarterly Depr. on	Accumulated Depreciation	Depr	Quarterly
Acct	Description	Bal.	Prior Assets	Dec 2014-Feb 2015 Assets	Bal. at 2/28/2015	Rate	Depreciation
			(1)	(2)			
355000	Power Generation Equipment - Lift Station	257	91	53	401	2,74%	196
360000	Collection Sewers-Force	841	368	17	1,226	1,17%	402
361000	Collection Sewers-Gravity	6,667	2,860	1,067	10,594	1.17%	4,995
362000	Special Collecting Structures	0	0	0	0	1,28%	D
363000	Services to Customers	726	Ð	0	726	1.74%	Ð
364000	Flow Measuring Devices	116	Û	0	116	6.91%	0
365000	Flow Measuring Installations	0	Ó	0	0	6.91%	0
371000	Pumping Equipment - Lift Station	25,771	10,965	680	37,416	6.91%	12,325
389200	Other Plant & Miscellaneous Equipment - Collections	0	0	0	0	5.55%	0
396000	Communication Equipment - Lift Station	1,458	265	0	1,723	6.69%	265
397000	Miscellaneous Equipment - Lift Station	252	56	0	308	6.69%	56
TO	TAL	36,088	14,605	1,817	52,510	[18,239

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One Full Quarter's Depreciation.
One Half Quarter Depreciation.

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Applicable Additions Less Accumulated Depreciation @ Bal. at 2/28/2015 Net Rate Base includable in DSIC Calculation	Annuai	DSIC EFFECTIVE 4/1/2015 Quarterly 2,606,134 (52,510) 2,553,624	Monthly
Annual Revenue Requirement Rate Quarterty Revenue Requirement Rate	11.75%	2.94%	
Quarterly Capital Cost Recovery Quarterly Depreciation Expense Total Quarterly DSIC Revenue Requirement	 -	75,013 18,239 93,252	25,004 6,080 31,084
Current Cost Recovery Rate			3.20%
2014 True-Up [\$23,291 under collection]		5,823	1,941
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E Factor Rate			0.20%
Applicable Base Rate Revenue		2,914,165	971,388
DSIC RATE		[3.40%

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	Protorma	Capital	Cost	Weighted Avg	Tex	Rev
	Per Books	Structure	Rate	Cost Rate	Mutbolier	Reg
Debt	1,004,544,102	44 24%	5 00%	2 21%		2 219
Preferred	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	1,709211797	0 00%
Equity	1.266.117.701	55.76%	10 00%	5 58%	1.709211797	9 54%
	2,270,661,803	100 0%		7.79%		11.759

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Note. The cost rate of debt and preferred stock are Aqua Pennsylvania including Little Washington Wastewater Company's actual cost rates. The equity cost rate is the equity return rate calculated by the Commission staff and presented in the latest Quarterly Report on the Earnings of Juradictional Utilities. The tax multiplier is calculated as follows: 1/(1 - Pa, Tax Rate) x (1 - Fed, Tax Rate); where the Pa, tax rate is 9.99% and Fed, tax rate is 35%

PA TAX	9.99%
FED TAX	35.00%

1/((1- PA TAX) * (1-FED TAX))

1/[(1-9.99%)*(1-35%)]

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	1,709211797
PA TAX	0.170750259
	1.538461538
FED TAX	0.538461538

Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc. DSIC-Eligible Plant Closings By Month

			2014	2015	2015
	Activity #	Description	December	January	February
355000-Power Generation Equipment	15075029271	Lift Station Repairs to Generators			4,1
	15089308503	Red Sail LS Generator Installation		·	
355000-Power Generation Equipment Total					15,3
360200-Collection Sewers-Force	15089130422	Repairs to low pressure sewer mains			3,7
	15089230424	Lake Harmony Sewer Point Repairs			5,0
	15089239519	Refurbish Low Pressure Sewer			2,
360200-Collection Sewers-Force Total					11,:
361200-Collection Sewers-Gravity	15025029622	Gravity Main Repairs			2,4
	15062028132	Gravity Sewer Repairs			15,1
	15063039493	Refurbish Manholes			9
	15063039922	Gravity Main Repairs			5,6
	15073028125	Collection System GIS Mapping			15,6
	15075011441	Media Gravity Sewer Repairs Phase 1	942	632	
	15075030363	Media Gravity Sewer Repairs			547,4
	15078030534	White Haven Gravity Main Repairs			8,
	15083011767	Eagle Rock I&I Metering Study			3,0
	15084030423	Thomhurst Gravity Main Point Repai			5,4
	15088028101	Mast Hope Sewer Rehab Engineering			8.9
	15088039492	Mast Hope - Refurbish Gravity Mains			4,5
	15089229661	Lake Harmony Sewer Rehab Project			2.4
	15089230529	Repairs to Gravity Mains			1,1
	15089314908	Repairs to collection system mains	722		
	15089329642	Treasure Lake Sewer Rehab Project			104,9
361200-Collection Sewers-Gravity Total			1,664	632	727,4
371000-Pumping Equipment	15063029482	Rehabilitate Lift Stations Cove			4,6
······································	15065027246	VFPS Repairs and Improvements			3.3
	15072039494	Refurbish Lift Stations			25.
	15074028144	Repairs to pumping station			1,6
	15078029623	White Haven Lift Station Repairs			14.2
	15081039902	Refurbish Pump Stations			2,0
	15083029621	Eagle Rock Pump Station Repairs			15,3
	15083039489	Improvements to Pump Stations			5,6
······································	15088029624	Refurbish Lift Stations @ Mast Hope			1,7
······································	15089339868	Repairs to Bimini Pump Station			4,5
371000-Pumping Equipment Total		Topono to Diffini I write olddori			78,7
Grand Total			1,664	632	832,6

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Supplement No. 94 to SEWER-PA. P.U.C. NO. I

AQUA PENNSYLVANIA WASTEWATER, INC.

RATES AND RULES

GOVERNING THE COLLECTION

OF

WASTE WATER

IN PORTIONS OF

ADAMS, BUCKS, CARBON, CHESTER, CLEARFIELD, DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA, LUZERNE, MONROE, MONTGOMERY, PIKE, SCHUYLKILL AND WYOMING COUNTY

ISSUED: March 20, 2014 by NICHOLAS DeBENEDICTIS, Chairman 762 Lancaster Avenue Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania

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EFFECTIVE: April 1, 2015

NOTICE

THIS TARIFF INCREASES THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT CHARGE

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LIST OF CHANGES MADE BY THIS TARIFF

Changes: This tariff increases the Distribution System Improvement Charge (DSIC) on page 10DSIC (Eighth Revised) of the Company's tariff effective April 1, 2015, as approved by the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission at Docket No. P-2013-2366873.

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ISSUED: March 20, 2015

DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT CHARGE (DSIC)

In addition to the net charges provided for in this Tariff, a surcharge of 3.40% shall apply to all bills issued on or after April (C) 1, 2015, with the exception of those for Woodloch Pines.

I. General Description

Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc.

Purpose: To recover the reasonable and prudent costs incurred to repair, improve or replace eligible property which is completed and placed in service and recorded in the individual accounts, as noted below, between base rate cases and to provide the Company with the resources to accelerate the replacement of aging infrastructure, to comply with evolving regulatory requirements and to develop and implement solutions to regional supply problems. The costs of extending facilities to serve new customers are not recoverable through the DSIC. Utility projects receiving PENNVEST funding or using PENNVEST surcharges are not DSIC-eligible property.

Eligible Property:

- Collection sewers, collecting mains and service laterals, including sewer taps, curb stops and lateral cleanouts installed as in-kind replacements for customers. Accounts. (360 & 361).
- Collection mains and valves for gravity and pressure systems and related facilities such as manholes, grinder pumps, air and vacuum release chambers, cleanouts, main line flow meters, valve vaults, and lift stations installed as replacements or upgrades for existing facilities that have worn out, are in deteriorated condition or are required to be upgraded by law, regulation or order. Accounts (360;361;362;363;364; & 365)
- Collection main extensions installed to implement solutions to wastewater problems that present a significant health and safety concern for customers currently receiving service from the wastewater utility. Accounts (360 & 361)
- Collection Main rehabilitation including inflow and infiltration projects. (Account 361)
- Unreimbursed cost related to highway relocation projects where a wastewater utility must relocate its facilities. Account (360;361;362;363;364; & 365).
- Other related capitalized costs. Account (389.2)
- II. Computation of the DSIC

Calculation: The initial charge, effective October 1, 2013, will be calculated to recover the fixed costs of eligible plant additions that have not previously been reflected in the Company's rates or rate base and will have been placed in service between June 1, 2013 and August 31, 2013. Thereafter, the DSIC will be updated on a quarterly basis to reflect eligible plant additions placed in service during the three month periods ending one month prior to the effective date of each DSIC update. Thus, changes in the DSIC rate will occur as follows:

Effective Date	Date To Which DSIC Eligible
Of Change	Plant Additions Reflected
April 1	December 1 to February 28/29
July I	March 1 to May 31
October 1	June 1 to August 31
January 1	September 1 to November 30

The fixed costs of eligible distribution system improvement projects will consist of depreciation and pre-tax return, calculated as follows:

ISSUED: March 20, 2015

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EFFECTIVE: April 1, 2015

I, Gordon Miller, hereby state that the personnel performing DSIC-eligible work are qualified and that any DSIC-eligible work that is performed by independent contractors is properly inspected by utility employees, in compliance with 66 Pa.C.S. Section 1359. The facts set forth above are true and correct (or are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief) and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

Hordon H Miller

Gordon Miller, Assistant Manager of Wastewater Operations

3/19/2015

Date



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AQUA PENNSYLVANIA WASTEWATER, INC. CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

<u>BEFORE THE</u> <u>PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION</u> :

Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc.

Distribution System Improvement Charge (DSIC) Filing

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day filed supporting DSIC work papers with the PA Public Utility Commission and upon the person(s) and in the manner indicated below:

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Dated: March 20, 2014

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William C. Packer Controller Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc.

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