ORDER NO. 21-085

ENTERED Mar 22 2021

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

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In the Matter of ORDER ROATS WATER SYSTEM, INC.,

Request for a General Rate Revision.

DISPOSITION: TIME LINE SPECIFIED IN ORDER NO. 17-123 AMENDED

On September 22, 2020, and December, 11, 2020, Staff of the Public Utility Commission filed motions to admit an amended stipulation and to admit a second amended stipulation, respectively. Order No. 20-469 was issued finding good cause to amend Order No. 17-123 accordingly.

On March 9, 2021, Staff filed a motion to admit a third amended stipulation. Staff explains that an additional extension is requested due to a construction project that Roats Water System, Inc., is completing for the city of Bend which has resulted in a decrease in the resources available for the company to prepare a general rate case. Staff's motion, supported by all stipulating parties, request that the deadline for filing a general rate case be extended from March 1, 2021, to May 1, 2021, and requests to amend the stipulation to that effect.

Order No. 17-123, incorporated the stipulation the motion seeks to amend. Accordingly, to effectively change the deadline for the filing of the general rate case, Order No. 17-123 must be further amended.

The Chief Administrative Law Judge has been delegated the authority to modify time lines specified in a Commission order. Exercising that authority, I find good cause to amend Order No. 17-123, to change the incorporated stipulation requiring the filing of a general rate case "no later than three years and six months after a final order is issued in this case, with a test year reflective of the Company's most recent full fiscal year of actuals" to "no later than May 1, 2021."

Mar 22, 2021

Made, entered, and effective



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Chief Administrative Law Judge Administrative Hearings Division

¹ See In the Matter of Public Utility Commission of Oregon, The Delegation of Certain Duties an Powers of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon, Docket No. CD 24, Order No. 19-032, Appendix E (Jan 31, 2019).

A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order under ORS 756.561. A request for rehearing or reconsideration must be filed with the Commission within 60 days of the date of service of this order. The request must comply with the requirements in OAR 860-001-0720. A copy of the request must also be served on each party to the proceedings as provided in OAR 860-001-0180(2). A party may appeal this order by filing a petition for review with the Court of Appeals in compliance with ORS 183.480 through 183.484.