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January 18, 2006

Carole J. Washburn Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: The Water Company of Washington, LLC - Remove Regulation and Cancel Tariff

Dear Secretary:

Enclosed you will find the petition of the above-referenced request to be removed from regulation and request to cancel current tariff.

- 1. Application for removal from regulation and cancel tariff,
- 2. Copy of Instrument of Transfer,
- 3. Customer notice of sale and transfer of water system,
- 4. Name and address of new owner, which is a water utility formed under Washington law and made owner of our water system by sale.

Since these water systems were the only water systems owned by The Water Company of Washington, LLC and they do not intend to own any other water systems in the future, H&R Waterworks, Inc. is asking on behalf of The Water Company of Washington, LLC to have The Water Company of Washington, LLC removed from Commission regulation and to have its currently effective tariff cancelled.

If you have any question, please call me at 360-357-3277.

Sincerely

Stephen L. Harrington Enclosures as noted

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application for)	
the Removal from Regulation and)	
Canceling Tariff)	DOCKET
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The Water Company of)	APPLICATION FOR
Washington, LLC) .	REMOVAL FROM
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Application is hereby made to the WUTC for an Order authorizing the removal from regulation and cancel tariff under the provisions of chapter 80.12 RCW and chapter 480-143 WAC.

INTRODUCTION

- The Water Company of Washington, LLC is a Washington corporation formed to act as a utility service company. The Water Company of Washington, LLC, located in Tumwater, serves about 300 customers in Thurston and Pierce Counties. The water system previously transferred consist of wells, pumps, transmission mains, reservoirs, hydrants, distribution mains, meters, and appurtenances to serve the customers of The Water Company of Washington, LLC
- The water system is currently operating under a green operating permit issued by the Washington State Department of Health and has no outstanding orders or letters directing action.
- As a result of this transfer of water system assets approved in docket number UW-042124, H&R Waterworks, Inc. did maintain The Water Company of Washington, LLC water rates in effect until new water rates were set in docket number UW-051062.

EXHIBITS

- 5 Pursuant to WAC 480-143-120 and WAC 480-143-130, please find attached the following exhibits:
- 6 Exhibit 1 Instrument of Transfer.
- Exhibit 2 The Water Company of Washington, LLC Income Statement, Balance Sheet, Asset Listing, Depreciation Schedule and Summary of outstanding securities.
- 8 Exhibit 3 H&R Waterworks, Inc.
 Income Statement, Balance Sheet, Asset Listing, Depreciation Schedule, and Summary of outstanding securities.
- 9 Exhibit 4 Adoption of Tariff Notice. Please refer to docket filing number UW-051062.

Exhibit 5 Not Applicable

METHOD OF FINANCE

This transfer was part of a consolidation and therefore no sale of assets occurred.

DEREGULATION IS IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST

- The benefits of this transfer of assets through this deregulation include expanded financial resources, additional staffing and service equipment and water quality staff to provide all aspects of water system repair and operations. The former owner of The Water Company of Washington, LLC no longer desires to own and operate this public water system independent of other similar companies who seek deregulation, also now owned by the same individual. Customers were notified of the sale and transfer.
- As a result of the prior sale and transfer of assets, the subsequent filing and Commission approval of rates to establish parity of water rates, H&R Waterworks, Inc. has demonstrated that deregulation is in the public interest.

PRAYER

Based on the foregoing, the Applicants request approval of their application respectfully submitted this 18th day of January 2006.

H&R Waterworks, Inc.

The Water Company of Washington,

LLC.

President

President

FORM OF VERIFICATION FOR APPLICATION

STATE OF WASHINGTON County of Thurston

Stephen L. Harrington being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is President of H&R Waterworks, Inc., the applicant in the proceeding entitled above, that he has read the foregoing application and knows the contents thereof; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matter which are therein stated on information or belief, and as to those matters he believes them to be true.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me the ________

__day of January, 2006

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, residing

At Olympia WA.



Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

I, Sam Reed, Secretary of State of the State of Washington and custodian of its seal, hereby certify that documents meeting statutory requirements have been filed and processed with the Secretary of State merging the listed "Merging Entities" into:

H & R WATERWORKS INCORPORATED

WA Profit Corporation UBI: 601-019-703

Filing Date: March 28, 2005

Merging Entities:

601-756-024

MEADOWS WATER SYSTEM, LLC



Given under my hand and the Seal of the State of Washington at Olympia, the State Capital

Sam Reed, Secretary of State



Secretary of State

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MEADOWS WATER SYSTEM, LLC

WA Limited Liability Company

UBI: 601-756-024

Filing Date: March 28, 2005

Merging Entities:

601-756-870		TALL TIMBER WATER SYSTEMS LLC
602-344-894		TRANSITIONS WATER SERVICE LLC
601-786-440		UTILITY MANAGEMENT SERVICES, LLC
602-031-820	,	THE WATER COMPANY OF WASHINGTON LLC



Given under my hand and the Seal of the State of Washington at Olympia, the State Capital

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Sam Reed, Secretary of State

The Water Company of Washington, LLC COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET TRANSFER OF PROPERTY

As of September 30, 2004

I .				•	*
	Account			PRIOR TO	AFTER
	No.	Account Name		TRANSFER	TRANSFER
	(a)	(b)		(c)	(d)
	` '				
		ASSETS:			
1	101-105	Utility Plant	\$	308,134.35	\$
.2	108	Less: Accumulated Depreciation		40,347.00	
3	110	Accumulated Amortization	_		
4	114	Utility Plant Acquisition Adjustment	_	<u> </u>	· ·
5		Net Utility Plant	\$	267,787.35	\$
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6	124	Utility Investments		•	
7	127	Special funds (Surcharges, Facility Charges)	_		
8	131	Cash		26,151.93	
9	141	Customer Accounts Receivable	_	4,890.16	
10	151	Plant Materials and Supplies	_		
11	162	Prepayments		1,062.00	
12	186	Other Deferred Debits			
13		Other Assets (Specify)		11,863.00	
14		Total Assets	\$	311,754.44	\$
14		Total Assets	_		
l		EQUITY CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES:		•	
15	201-204	Capital Stock Issued	\$		\$
16	211	Other Paid In Capital	-		
17		Retained Earnings			
18	218	Proprietary Capital	_	31,930.35	
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19		Total Equity Capital	\$ _	31,930.35	\$
l.,		~ m 1.		216,422.34	
20	224	Long-Term Debt	•	5,365.46	
21	231	Accounts Payable	-	5,505.40	
22	232	Notes Payable Customer Deposits	_		.
23 24	235 236	Accrued Taxes	-	4,730.29	····
2 4 25	253	Other Deferred Credits	-		` <u> </u>
26 26	265 265	Miscellaneous Operating Reserves			<u> </u>
20 27	271	Contributions In Aid Of Construction (CIAC)	-	61,000.00	
28	272	Less: Accumulated Amortization Of CIAC	-	(10,214.00)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
29	<i></i>	Other Liabilities (Specify) Other Payables	-	2,520.00	
30		Total Liabilities	, \$	279,824.09	\$
31		Total Equity Capital and Liabilities	\$	311,754.44	\$
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The Water Company of Washington, LLC WATER UTILITY PLANT (101-105) TRANSFER OF PROPERTY

As of September 30, 2004

Α	ccour	t	Balance		<u></u>	Balance
	No.	Account Name	PRIOR TO	Additions	Retirements	AFTER
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
1	301	Organization	s\$		\$\$	0.00
2	302	Franchises				0.00
3	303	Land and Water Rights				0.00
4	304	Structures and Improvements				0.00
5	305	Tanks and Reservoirs				0.00
6	306	Lake, River and other intakes				0.00
7	307	Wells and Springs				0.00
8	309	Supply Mains	4,788.36			4,788.36
9	310	Power Generation Equipment		,		0.00
10	311	Pumping Equipment	121,803.48			121,803.48
11	320	Water Treatment Equipment				0.00
12	330	Reservoirs and Standpipes	41,000.00			41,000.00
13	331	Transmission / Distribution Mains	100,500.00			100,500.00
14	333	Services		· .		0.00
15	334	Meters and Meter Installation	40,042.51			40,042.51
16	335	Hydrants				0.00
17	339	Other Plant and Misc Equipment				0.00
18	34 0	Office Furniture and Equipment				0.00
19	341	Transportation Equipment				0.00
20	343	Tools and Equipment				0.00
21	345	Power Operated Equipment			,	0.00
22	348	Other Tangible Plant				0.00
		. Water System Plan		<u></u>		0.00
23	101	Utility Plant Total	\$ 308,134.35 \$	0.00	\$ 0.00 \$	308,134.35

The Water Company of Washington, LLC WATER UTILITY PLANT (101-105)

TRANSFER OF PROPERTY

As of September 30, 2004

A	ccour	nt .	Balance		•	Balance
	No.	Account Name	PRIOR TO	Additions	Retirements	AFTER
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
1	301	Organization \$	\$\$	8,752.65 \$		\$ 8,752.65
2	302 -	Franchises		525.00		525.00
3	303	Land and Water Rights		189,357.00		189,357.00
4	304	Structures and Improvements		452,008.08		452,008.08
5	305	Tanks and Reservoirs		146,317.67		146,317.67
6	306	Lake, River and other intakes		0.00		0.00
7	307	Wells and Springs		238,171.56		238,171.56
8	309	Supply Mains	4,788.36	224,075.34		228,863.70
9	310	Power Generation Equipment		0.00		0.00
10	311	Pumping Equipment	121,803.48	515,843.26		637,646.74
11	320	Water Treatment Equipment		223,698.26		223,698.26
12	330	Reservoirs and Standpipes	41,000.00	230,486.74		271,486.74
13	331	Transmission / Distribution Mains	100,500.00	563,886.67		664,386.67
14	333	Services		44,954.00		44,954.00
15 ⁻	334	Meters and Meter Installation	40,042.51	329,545.96		369,588.47
16	335	Hydrants		34,549.00		34,549.00
17	339	Other Plant and Misc Equipment		57,669.64		57,669.64
18	340	Office Furniture and Equipment		205,153.51		205,153.51
19	341	Transportation Equipment		204,776.98		204,776.98
20	343	Tools and Equipment		3,686.06		3,686.06
21	345	Power Operated Equipment		0.00		0.00
22	348	Other Tangible Plant		0.00		0.00
	٠	Water System Plan		0.00		0.00
23	101	Utility Plant Total	308,134.35 \$	3,673,457.38 \$	0.00	\$ 3,981,591.73

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. For the Calendar Years __2003__ & __2004_

Line No. (L)	Account No. (a)	Account Name (b)			2003 Previous Year (c)	2004 Current Year (d)
		ASSETS:			•	
1 .	101	Utility Plant	•	\$_	478,888 \$	494,742
2	104	Utility Plant Purchased or Sold Less: Accumulated Deprec	ation	***	(215,710)	(226,318)
3 4 .	108 110	Less: Accumulated Deprect Accumulated Amortis	ation	-		
5	114	Utility Plant Acquisition Adjustment		_	(2,059)	(1,988)
					•	•
6		Net Utility Plant	(Add L1 thru L5)	\$ <u>_</u>	261,119 \$	266,437
7.	124	Utility Investments	•			
8	127	Special funds (Surcharges, Facility Charge	s)		7777	/ // /
9	131	Cash		_	807	6,458
10	141	Customer Accounts Receivable	•	,	6,344	4,612
11	. 151	Plant Materials and Supplies	• .	· _	2,912	. 1,560
12	162	Prepayments	•	_	2,932	1
13	186	Other Deferred Debits	Other Receivables		4,200	
14		Other Assets (Specify)	·	-		
15		Total Assets	(Add L6 thru L14)	\$	275,382 \$	279,067
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	*	EQUITY CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES:		:		
10	001 004	Capital Stock Issued	·	\$	10,000 \$	10,000
16 17	201-204 211	Other Paid In Capital	•	-	127,505	91,724
18	214-215	Retained Earnings	•	1	115,733	105,391
19	218	Proprietary Capital	• 1			
	• .					
20		Total Equity Capital	(Add L16 thru L19)	s	253,237 \$	207,115
20		Total Equity Capital	,	\$ <u></u>	253,237 \$	207,115
	224		(Add L16 thru L19) Interest Rate 5.25%	\$ <u></u>	253,237 \$ 17,378	14,536
-21	224 231	Long-Term Debt	Interest Rate	\$	·•	
21 22	231	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable	Interest Rate	\$	17,378	14,536
21 22 23	231 · 232	Long-Term Debt	Interest Rate	\$	17,378 2,005	14,536
21 22	231	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable Notes Payable Customer Deposits Accrued Taxes	Interest Rate	\$	17,378	14,536
21 22 23 24 25 26	231 232 235 236 253	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable Notes Payable Customer Deposits Accrued Taxes Other Deferred Credits	Interest Rate	\$	17,378 2,005	14,536
21 22 23 24 25 26 27	231 232 235 236 253 265	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable Notes Payable Customer Deposits Accrued Taxes Other Deferred Credits Miscellaneous Operating Reserves	Interest Raté 5.25%	\$	17,378 2,005	14,536 20,466
21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	231 232 235 236 253 265 271	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable Notes Payable Customer Deposits Accrued Taxes Other Deferred Credits Miscellaneous Operating Reserves Contributions In Aid Of Construction (CIA	Interest Raté 5.25%	\$	17,378 2,005 1,996	14,536 20,466 95,552
21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29	231 232 235 236 253 265	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable Notes Payable Customer Deposits Accrued Taxes Other Deferred Credits Miscellaneous Operating Reserves Contributions In Aid Of Construction (CIA Less: Accumulated Amortiz	Interest Raté 5.25% C) ation Of CIAC	\$	17,378 2,005	14,536 20,466
21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	231 232 235 236 253 265 271	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable Notes Payable Customer Deposits Accrued Taxes Other Deferred Credits Miscellaneous Operating Reserves Contributions In Aid Of Construction (CIA Less: Accumulated Amortiz Other Liabilities (Specify)	Interest Rate 5.25% C) ation Of CIAC Other Payables		17,378 2,005 1,996 2,314 (1,547)	14,536 20,466 95,552 (59,182) 580
21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29	231 232 235 236 253 265 271	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable Notes Payable Customer Deposits Accrued Taxes Other Deferred Credits Miscellaneous Operating Reserves Contributions In Aid Of Construction (CIA Less: Accumulated Amortiz	Interest Raté 5.25% C) ation Of CIAC		17,378 2,005 1,996	14,536 20,466 95,552 (59,182)
21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	231 232 235 236 253 265 271	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable Notes Payable Customer Deposits Accrued Taxes Other Deferred Credits Miscellaneous Operating Reserves Contributions In Aid Of Construction (CIA Less: Accumulated Amortiz Other Liabilities (Specify)	Interest Rate 5.25% C) ation Of CIAC Other Payables (Add L21 thru L30) \$		17,378 2,005 1,996 2,314 (1,547) 22,145 \$	14,536 20,466 95,552 (59,182) 580 71,952
21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	231 232 235 236 253 265 271	Long-Term Debt Accounts Payable Notes Payable Customer Deposits Accrued Taxes Other Deferred Credits Miscellaneous Operating Reserves Contributions In Aid Of Construction (CIA Less: Accumulated Amortiz Other Liabilities (Specify)	Interest Rate 5.25% C) ation Of CIAC Other Payables		17,378 2,005 1,996 2,314 (1,547)	14,536 20,466 95,552 (59,182) 580

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		For t	he Calendar Year2004_		•	
Line No. (L)	Account No. (a)	Account Name (b)		Water (c)	Other (d)	Total Company (e)
1 2 3	400 471 474	REVENUES Operating Revenue Accounts Miscellaneous Revenue Accounts Other Revenue Accounts	ınts \$ _	155,803 \$	\$	155,803 0 0
4		Utility Operating Revenue	(Add L1 thru L3) \$	155,803 \$	0 0	155,803
5 6 7 8 9	401 403 406 408 409	EXPENSES Operating Expense Accounts Depreciation Expense Amortization Expense Other Tax & License Federal Income Taxes		116,856 10,608 (249) 14,067		· 116,856 10,608 (249) · 14,067
10.		Utility Operating Expense	(Add L5 thru L9) \$	141,282 \$	00	141,282
11		Utility Operating Income (Loss)	(L4 minus L10) \$	14,521_\$	0 0	14,521
		OTHER INCOME AND DED	UCITIONS			
12 13 14 15	414 415-416 419 421	Other Income: Gain (Loss) From Disposition (Jobbing and Contract Work Interest & Dividend Income Nonutility Income	Of Plant			0 0 0 0
16	•	Total Other Income	(Add L12 thru L15) \$	0 \$	0 0	0
17 18 19	.426 427 433	Other Deductions: Miscellaneous Nonutility Experiments Expense Extraordinary Income/Deduction		863		0 863 0
20		Total Other Deductions	(Add L17 thru L19) \$	863	0 0	863
21		Net Income (Loss) (Add L11	pius L16 minus L20) \$	13,658 \$. 0 0	13,658
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			WATER	UTILITY PLAN	T (101)		
Line No. (L)	Account No. (a)	Account Name (b)		Balance Begin Year (c)	Additions (d)	Retirements	Balance End Year (f)
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24	301 302 303 304 305 306 307 309 310 311 320 330 331 333 334 335 339 340 341 343 345 346	Organization Franchises Land and Water Rig Structures and Impro Collecting & Impour Lake, River and other Wells and Springs Supply Mains Power Generation E- Pumping Equipment Water Treatment Equipment Water Treatment Equipment Transmission & Dist Service Connections Meters and Meter Inst Hydrants Other Plant & Misc. Office Furniture and Transportation Equip Tools, Shop and Gara Power Operated Equip Communication Equip Communication Equip Other Tangible Plant Water System Plan	evements ading Reservoirs or intakes quipment uipment irs & Tanks ribution Mains stallation Equipment Equipment iment age Equipment ipment pment	0 \$ 0 10,700 46,629 0 0 0 21,082 6,727 0 60,506 611 118,313 127,643 0 21,434 14,017 42,460 5,081 0 3,685 0 0 0	2,389 12,613		0 0 10,700 46,629 0 0 21,082 6,727 0 62,895 13,224 118,313 127,643 0 22,286 14,017 42,460 5,081 0 3,685 0
25	·	Utility Plant Total SOURCES	(Add L1 thru L24) \$ OF CONTRIBUTIO	478,888 \$.	15,854 \$ CONSTRUCT	0 \$.	494,742
26 27 28 29 30 31 32 -	Report be	elow all plant, equipm	ent, and monies (connection)	ction charge) receiv	Number of Connections (b)	r for capital plant. Cost or Charge per Connection (c)	CIAC Amount Received (d)
33	Total		•	1.26 thru 1.32)	0 \$	0 \$_	

TRANSITIONS WATER SYSTEM, LLC 3242 Capitol Blvd S, Suite B Tumwater, WA 98501 (360) 357-3277

November 29, 2004

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Water Company of Washington LLC, has requested permission from the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (WUTC) for the transfer of ownership and operation of the Transitions Water System, LLC water company.

This transfer of ownership is being completed to allow The Water Company of Washington LLC to consolidate what had been seven separate regulated companies and one unregulated company into one, more manageable company. The Water Company of Washington was formed three years ago to allow us to own and operate several water companies and systems. This sale and transfer should be transparent to you our valued customer. We will continue to use the same phone number, office staff, field staff, and extension array of water specialty equipment to serve you and other customers. The proposed effective date of this transfer, if approved, would be January 1, 2005.

The Transitions Water System LLC will no longer own or operate a regulated water system and has asked permission to be deregulated.

Your <u>current water rates</u>, <u>charges</u>, <u>and services will not change</u> because of this water system sale and transfer. Any future changes will be the responsibility of The Water Company of Washington LLC.

If you have any questions about how this merger/sale may affect you, please call:

The Water Company of Washington LLC PO Box 1
East Olympia, WA 98540
360-357-3277 or toll free 1- (888) 357-3276

If you have questions about the transfer process and deregulation of the former company you may contact the WUTC at the following address:

Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250
1-800-562-6150 or comments@wutc.wa.gov

Only written comments or comments presented at an open meeting to the WUTC may become part of the record.