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MEMORANDUM

TO: Commissioners Hardy, Golc, Landis, Server and Ziegner

FROM: Jerry L. Webb, Director of Water/Sewer Division *Jerry L. Webb*

DATE: June 21, 2007

RE: Utility Articles for Next Conference

The following Final Articles "A" and "G", and Preliminary Article "A" are submitted to each of you to acquaint you with the tariffs eligible for action or acceptance on or after June 27, 2007.

JLW/lid

**"A" Final**

*The following miscellaneous item(s) will be eligible for final consideration at the next Commission Conference and based upon review by staff members of the Commission, I recommend approval.*

**1. Van Buren Water, Inc.**

The utility is proposing to increase its Reconnection Charge from \$25.00 to \$50.00. The purpose of this charge is to recover the utility's cost to reconnect a customer following a customer's disconnection. The reason for the change is the higher cost charged by the utility's contractor that performs the reconnection service. Cost support has been provided.

	<b>Current Charge</b>	<b>Proposed Charge</b>
Reconnection Charge	\$25.00	\$50.00

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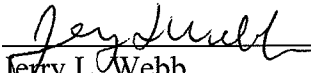
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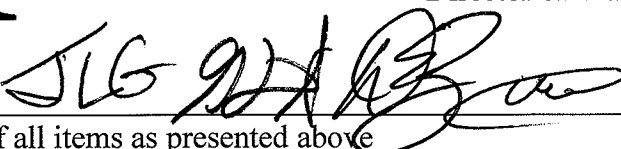
**"G" Final**

Revisions to the Fuel Cost Adjustment factor has been reviewed by staff members of the Commission and found to be in compliance with the orders of the Commission. The requirements prescribed for this filing in Commission Order No. 35687 has been met and I recommend approval.

Item No.	Utility Name	Change	Filing Number
1.	Straughn	Increase	111-07-07

Please indicate your consideration and action of the preceding items on the appropriate lines provided below.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Jerry L. Webb  
Director of Water/Sewer Division

   
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I approve of all items as presented above

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I approve of all items as presented above except

\_\_\_\_\_  
Not participating in the following items

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Disapprove Items

No.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Wish to Defer Items

No.

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the action on the articles.

  
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Brenda A. Howe  
Secretary to the Commission

**"A" Preliminary**

*The following new miscellaneous items have been reviewed by staff members of the Commission and we recommend accepting them for filing.*

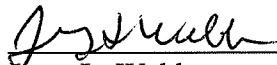
**1. Pike-Gibson Water, Inc.**

The utility is proposing to increase the Connection Charge (tap fee) for all new customers, depending on the size of the connection. The proposed charge for a 5/8 inch connection is \$600.00, up from the current charge of \$340.00. For any meter size greater than 5/8 inch, the connection charge will be the actual cost of the connection including labor, materials and equipment, but no less than \$600.00. In addition to the connection charge, the customer will be responsible for the cost of the road bore, if one is needed. The reason for the change is increases in labor, materials, and equipment. Cost support has been provided.

<b>Connection Fee</b>	<b>Current Charge</b>	<b>Proposed Charge</b>
5/8" meter	\$340.00	\$600.00, plus cost of road bore, if necessary
Larger than 5/8" meter	Actual cost, but not less than \$340.00	Actual cost, but not less than \$600.00, plus cost of road bore, if necessary

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