IN THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE	
IN RE:))
PETITION OF TENNESSEE)
AMERICAN WATER COMPANY TO)
CHANGE AND INCREASE CERTAIN)
RATES AND CHARGES SO AS TO) DOCKET NO. 08-00039
PERMIT IT TO EARN A FAIR AND)
ADEQUATE RATE OF RETURN ON)
ITS PROPERTY USED AND USEFUL IN)
FURNISHING WATER SERVICE TO)
ITS CUSTOMERS)
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REQUEST FOR STATUS CONFERENCE AND ORAL ARGUMENT

The Consumer Advocate and Protection Division of the Office of the Attorney General and Reporter ("Consumer Advocate"), the City of Chattanooga ("Chattanooga"), and the Chattanooga Manufacturers Association ("CMA") (collectively, the "Intervenors"), jointly file this request (or motion should the hearing officer require it) that this matter be scheduled for a status conference, so that oral argument may be presented regarding the procedural schedule, protective order and number of requests.

Additionally, the Consumer Advocate asks that the hearing officer and the parties note that the proposed protective order filed by the Consumer Advocate, on behalf of the Intervenors on May 6, 2008, inadvertently left paragraph number 16 in the document. At the hearing the Consumer Advocate intends to argue in favor of deletion of this paragraph and all other language in the proposed protective orders submitted thus far which call for the destruction or return of public

records.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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