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Via Email and Hand-Deliver

Hon. Sara Kyle, Chairman c/o Ms. Sharla Dillon Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, Tennessee 37243

> Re: Tennessee American Water Company's

Request for Proposal for a Management Audit

Docket No. 09-00086

Dear Chairman Kyle:

Enclosed please find an original and five (5) copies of Tennessee American Water Company's Notice of Filing of Response to Tennessee American's Request for Proposal. This filing also has been transmitted electronically to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority today. Please return one (1) copy of this filing be stamped as "filed" to me by way of our courier.

Should you have any questions concerning any of the enclosed, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ross Booher

Enclosures

cc:

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BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

IN RE:)	
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TENNESSEE AMERICAN WATER)	
COMPANY'S REQUEST FOR)	Docket No. 09-00086
PROPOSAL FOR A MANAGEMENT)	
AUDIT	ĺ	

NOTICE OF FILING OF RESPONSES TO TENNESSEE AMERICAN'S WATER COMPANY'S REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Pursuant to the Request for Proposal filed on August 21, 2009, as amended by the Clarification Letter approved September 11, 2009 (hereinafter, the "RFP"), Tennessee American Water Company ("Tennessee American") hereby provides notice of the CONFIDENTIAL filing of the following Responses to Tennessee American's RFP by NorthStar-TCBA-MFSG (attached as Exhibit 1), WHN-Liberty (attached as Exhibit 2) and Schumaker-Work & Greer (attached as Exhibit 3).

Respectfully submitted this 27th day of October, 2009.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and exact copy of the foregoing has been mailed to the following, postage prepaid, on this 27^{th} day of October, 2009:

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