

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

IN RE:

**TENNESSEE WATER SERVICE, INC. PETITION TO
ESTABLISH A DOCKET AND EXTEND THE DUE
DATE FOR FILING ITS PETITION FOR APPROVAL
OF 2025 ANNUAL RATE REVIEW FILING**

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**DOCKET NO.
25-00031**

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This matter is before the Administrative Judge of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission (“Commission” or “TPUC”) for consideration of the *Tennessee Water Service, Inc. Petition to Establish a Docket and Extend the Due Date for Filing Its Petition for Approval of 2025 Annual Rate Review Filing* (“*Motion*”) filed on April 25, 2025. In its *Motion*, Tennessee Water Service, Inc. (“TWS”) requests the Commission to open a new docket for the filing of its Annual Rate Review Mechanism (“ARRM”) and an extension of the date for its filing from April 30, 2025, until May 31, 2025. As grounds for the *Motion*, TWS avers that additional time is necessary for its ARRM filing due to a delay in the completion of the Company’s audited financials for full year 2024. Those audited financials include some entries not available prior to the completed audit, which are needed to address the Accumulated deferred income tax (“ADIT”)-specific adjustments requested in the prior ARRM filing in Docket No. 24-00028. According to TWS, “[t]he finalized 2024 audited financials are required in order to determine exactly which adjustments must occur. The Company believes it will be able to have the finalized audited financials and Petition ready for

filing by May 31, 2025.”¹ TWS also requests that a new docket be opened for the review of the historical data of its ARRM filing and for consideration of the request for extension of time for such filing. TWS states it has consulted with the Consumer Advocate Division of the Office of the Tennessee Attorney General (“Consumer Advocate”) and Commission Staff, and the Consumer Advocate indicated it does not object to TWS’s request.²

The Administrative Judge finds that TWS’s *Motion* is well taken and should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The *Tennessee Water Service, Inc. Petition to Establish a Docket and Extend the Due Date for Filing Its Petition for Approval of 2025 Annual Rate Review Filing* is granted.

2. Tennessee Water Service, Inc. shall file its 2025 Annual Rate Review Mechanism Filing by May 31, 2025.


Monica Smith-Ashford, Administrative Judge

¹ *Motion*, p. 2 (April 25, 2025).

² *Id.*