Decision No. 73767

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of John Pestana) (dba John Pestana Water Co.)) to annex adjacent land to the) franchised area of the water) system.

Application No. 49078 (Petition to Extend Time Filed January 29, 1968)

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ORDER EXTENDING TIME

Applicant, by letter, has requested a 90-day extension of time for compliance with certain corrective measures, concerning accounting and reports of main extension practices, recommended by the staff and adopted by the Commission in Decision No. 73156, issued herein on October 3, 1967 to become effective, after compliance, upon issuance of an appropriate supplemental order. The request for extension of time was filed on January 29, 1968, two days before expiration of the 120-day period for compliance set forth in ordering paragraph 1 of Decision No. 73156.

Applicant states that though active negotiations are in progress for acquisition of his water system by the City of Santa Cruz, additional time will be required to determine whether or not a sale can be consummated and, hence, whether it will be necessary to comply with the ordered corrective procedures.

The staff recommendations are directed, primarily, to applicant's main extension practices and accounting methods and do not otherwise pertain to adequacy of service to customers.

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Applicant's request for an extension of time, in the circumstances, is reasonable.

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Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that the time for compliance by applicant with the provisions of ordering paragraph 1 of Decision No. 73156 herein, is extended to and including April 30, 1968.

The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof. Dated at <u>Ber Francisco</u>, California, this 27^{thr} day of <u>FEBRUARY</u>, 1968.

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