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Re: Joint Investigation by DPH and PURA of REJA's (Rainbow Springs) Request to Cease Operations as a Water Company, Docket Number 14-12-21

RULING ON PETITION FOR PARTY STATUS

On February 26, 2016, the Department of Public Health ("the DPH") and the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority ("the PURA") (jointly, "the Departments") received a Request for Party Status from all of the customers of REJA Acquisition Corp. ("the Customers").

In accordance with § 4-177a of the Connecticut General Statutes and §§ 19a-9-25, 19a-9-26 and 19a-9-27 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, the Customers' request for party status is



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hereby **DENIED**. As the Customers' participation is in the interests of justice and will not impair the orderly conduct of this proceeding, the Customers are hereby **GRANTED** limited intervenor status. As a limited intervenor, the Customers will not be permitted to conduct cross-examination or to raise objections to any evidence except when its own witness is being cross-examined. The Customers will be permitted to conduct re-direct, and to make opening and closing arguments.

The Customers shall, within ten days of the date of this Notice, advise the Departments, in writing, at the Department of Public Health, Legal Office, MS#13PHO, Box 340308, Hartford, CT 06134-0308, of the individual upon whom material in this proceeding should be served.

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