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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF VEOLIA WATER IDAHO, INC. FOR AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES AND CHARGES FOR WATER SERVICE IN THE STATE OF IDAHO

CASE NO. VEO-W-22-02

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION FOR COMPANY WITNESS MATT KAHN TO TESTIFY REMOTELY

Veolia Water Idaho, Inc. ("Veolia" or "Company") files this Request for Permission for Company Witness Matt Kahn to Testify Remotely.

As the Commission knows, this rate-case proceeding is scheduled for hearing the first week of April, 2023. The Company filed direct testimony of eleven witness. Commission Staff and Micron Technology, Inc. ("Micron"), an intervenor in the case, filed rebuttal testimony of eight additional witnesses, in total.

This Request applies to a single witness: Matthew Kahn. None of the rebuttal testimony cited, addressed, or disputed any aspect of Mr. Kahn's testimony. Accordingly, Veolia believes that Mr. Kahn will not be the subject of any substantive cross-examination by the parties.

Veolia understands and agrees that the Commission and the parties have the opportunity to ask questions of Mr. Kahn. Veolia also understands and agrees that the Commission has moved to fully in-person hearings, and understands and agrees with the benefits of in-person hearings.

That said, because Mr. Kahn's testimony was not addressed in rebuttal testimony, the Company would like to avoid the expense and logistics associated with flying Mr. Kahn to Boise to present his testimony in person. If allowed to do so, Veolia proposes that Mr. Kahn present his testimony by telephone or videoconference. This will allow the Commission to ask questions if they would like to do so, but preserve costs and allow the Commission and the parties to focus their questions upon witnesses whose testimony is truly at issue in the case.

Veolia intends to present all of its other witnesses in person.

Veolia respectfully requests expedited consideration of this request to enable travel plans before the hearing.

DATED: March 8, 2023.

VEOLIA WATER IDAHO, INC.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on March 8, 2023, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served upon all parties of record in this proceeding via electronic mail as indicated below:

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