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Artesian Water Maryland, Inc.'s Application for Authority to Construct a Water System in Cecil County, Maryland

Case No. 9668

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Scott W. Stephan, CPA Artesian Water Maryland, Inc. Rates Analyst 664 Churchmans Road Newark, DE 19702 sstephan@artesianwater.com

Dear Mr. Stephan:

The Commission has reviewed the Application of Artesian Water Maryland, Inc's ("Company") Application for Authority to Construct a Water System¹ ("Application") in the Company's Port Deposit franchise area in Cecil County, Maryland, which was filed on July 30, 2021.

After review of the Application, the Commission hereby dockets the matter as Case No. 9668, sets the matter for hearing, and delegates the matter to the Public Utility Law Judge Division to conduct the proceedings.

By Direction of the Commission,

Website: www.psc.state.md.us

/s/ Andrew S. Johnston

Andrew S. Johnston Executive Secretary

cc: Ryan C. McLean, Chief Public Utility Law Judge David S. Lapp, Office of People's Counsel

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