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Ms. Shonta Dunston Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 430 N. Salisbury Street Raleigh, North Carolina

Re: Application by Red Bird Utility Operating Company, LLC and Etowah Sewer Company, Inc. for Transfer of Public Utility Franchise and for Approval of Rates Docket No. W-933, Sub 12 Docket No. W-1328, Sub 0

Dear Ms. Dunston:

On behalf of Red Bird Utility Operating Company, LLC ("Red Bird" or the "Company") please find a Notice of Dismissal and Withdrawal of Application.

As always, please contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Best regards,

/s/ Mindy L. McGrath Mindy L. McGrath

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I hereby certify that a copy of the Notice of Dismissal and Withdrawal of Application was served electronically or by depositing a copy of the same in the United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, at the addresses contained in the official service list in these proceedings.

This the 1st day of March 2024.

RED BIRD WATER UTILITY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. W-1328, SUB 0 DOCKET NO. W-933, SUB 12

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	NOTICE OF DISMISSAL AND
Joint Application by Red Bird Utility)	WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION
Operating Company, LLC d/b/a Red Bird)	FOR TRANSFER OF PUBLIC
Water and Etowah Sewer Company, Inc. for)	UTILITY FRANCHISE AND
Transfer of Public Utility Franchise and for)	APPROVAL OF RATES
Approval of Rates)	

NOW COMES Red Bird Utility Operating Company, LLC ("Red Bird") and hereby gives notice of its dismissal and withdrawal of Red Bird's Application for Transfer of Public Utility Franchise and for Approval of Rates filed in these dockets on October 8, 2020 ("Application"), as the Purchase and Sale Agreement between Central States Water Resources, Inc. and Etowah Sewer Company, Inc. (which was filed as Confidential Attachment G to Red Bird's Application) has been terminated as of February 29, 2024. Accordingly, Red Bird respectfully requests that the Commission cancel the oral argument scheduled for March 5, 2024.

Red Bird does not believe that any further action by the Commission is necessary for Red Bird to dismiss and withdraw its Application effective immediately. However, to the extent any such action is determined to be necessary, Red Bird respectfully requests that the Commission take such action at its earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted this 1st day of March, 2024.

Red Bird Utility Operating Company, LLC

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