STATE OF CONNECTICUT

PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATORY AUTHORITY

DOCKET NO. 26-09-08
PETITION IN OBJECTION TO ASSESSMENTS UNDER GENERAL STATUTES § 16-49 (AQUARION WATER COMPANY OF CONNECTICUT, INC. AND TORRINGTON WATER COMPANY)

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR BRIEFS

On September 15, 2026, the Aquarian Water Authority submitted a petition objecting to any Fiscal Year 2027 assessment under General Statutes § 16-49 for its subsidiaries, Aquarion Water Company of Connecticut, Inc. (AWC-CT) and Torrington Water Company (TWC) (together; Companies). In response, the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority (Authority) is conducting this proceeding pursuant to General Statutes § 16-49(e) to address the issues raised in the petition.

To assist the Authority in resolving the matters raised in this proceeding, the Authority invites all docket parties to file briefs in this proceeding no later than **4:00 p.m. on December 4, 2026.** Specifically, the Authority seeks input on whether the assessment for Fiscal Year 2027[1] as set forth in General Statutes § 16-49 was properly assessed against the Companies now that the Companies are no longer publicly service companies within the definition of General Statutes § 16-1 (a)(3) as of June 30, 2026. The Authority most appreciates briefs that cite to and analyze any relevant statute, legislative history, case law, administrative order, or other legal authority.

Dated at New Britain, Connecticut, this 3rd day of November, 2026.

By Direction of the Presiding Officer,

Jeffrey R. Gaudiosi, Esq.
Executive Secretary

cc: Service List

[1] General Statutes § 16-49(a)(3) defines "Fiscal year" as the period beginning July first and ending June thirtieth. Thus, Fiscal Year 2027 runs from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027.