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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF KANAWHA COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA
BUSINESS COURT DIVISION

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MOUNTAINEER GAS COMPANY,
Plaintiff,

CATHY S. GATSON, CLERK
KANAWHA COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

vs.

Civil Case No.: 23-C-1067
Presiding: Judge Hammer
Resolution: Judge Akers

WEST VIRGINIA—AMERICAN WATER COMPANY,
Defendant.

ORDER ASSIGNING PRESIDING AND RESOLUTION JUDGES TO CASE

On March 6, 2024, Chief Justice Tim Armstead entered an Administrative Order granting a Motion to Refer the above-styled case to the Business Court Division. Pursuant to West Virginia Trial Court Rule 29.07(a), "[a]n order from the Chief Justice granting a Motion to Refer is a transfer of Business Litigation to the Division.

As required by Trial Court Rule 29.07(a), the Division Chair, with the advice and consent of the Division, hereby assigns the Honorable David Hammer to serve as the presiding judge in the above-styled case.

The Division Chair further assigns the Honorable Maryclaire Akers to serve as the Resolution Judge in the above-styled action.

The Clerk of the Circuit Court of Kanawha County, West Virginia shall forward a certified copy of this order to all counsel of record, any pro se parties and the following:

The Honorable David Hammer
Jefferson County Courthouse
100 East Washington St.
Charles Town, WV 25414

The Honorable Maryclaire Akers
Kanawha County Judicial Building
111 Court Street
Charleston, WV 25301

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West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals
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Carol A. Miller, Executive Director
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Berkeley County Judicial Center
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MICHAEL D. LORENSEN, CHAIR
BUSINESS COURT DIVISION

3/13/2024

Date: 3/13/2024

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Other directives accomplished: 2-10-24

Deputy Court Clerk

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