SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Issuer Delisting; Order Granting the Application of SJW Corp. to Withdraw its Common Stock, \$1.042 par value, from Listing and Registration on the American Stock Exchange LLC File No. 1-08966

December 29, 2005

On November 10, 2005, SJW Corp., a California corporation ("Issuer"), filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to Section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act")¹ and Rule 12d2-2(d) thereunder,² to withdraw its common stock, \$1.042 par value ("Security"), from listing and registration on the American Stock Exchange LLC ("Amex"). Notice of such application requesting comments was published in the Federal Register on December 7, 2005. No comments were received. As discussed below, the Commission is granting the application.

On October 27, 2005, the Board of Directors ("Board") of the Issuer approved a resolution to withdraw the Security from listing on Amex. The Board decided that it is in the best interest of the Issuer to list the Security on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"). In order to avoid the direct and indirect costs and the division of the market resulting from dual listing on Amex and NYSE, the Board decided to withdraw the Security from listing on Amex.

The Issuer stated in its application that it has met the requirements of Amex Rule 18 by complying with all applicable laws in effect in the State of California, in which it is incorporated, and provided written notice of withdrawal to Amex. The Issuer's application relates solely to the

² 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(d).

¹⁵ U.S.C. 78<u>l</u>(d).

³ See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 52867 (December 1, 2005), 70 FR 72866.

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withdrawal of the Security from listing on Amex, and shall not affect its continued listing on

NYSE or its obligation to be registered under Section 12(b) of the Act.⁴

The Commission, having considered the facts stated in the application and having due

regard for the public interest and protection of investors, orders that the application be, and it

hereby is, granted, effective at the opening of business on December 30, 2005.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated

authority. ⁵

Nancy M. Morris Secretary

15 U.S.C. 78<u>1</u>(b).

17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(1).