BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Request For Exemption
From Florida Public Service
Commission Regulation For
Provision of Water and
Wastewater Service in Nassau
County by Nassau Host, Inc. WTP

& WWTP.

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ORDER INDICATING EXEMPT STATUS OF NASSAU HOST, INC. WTP & WWTP AND CLOSING DOCKET

BY THE COMMISSION:

On October 7, 1994, Nassau Host, Inc. WTP & WWTP (Nassau Host) filed an application with this Commission for recognition of its exempt status, pursuant to Section 367.022(4), Florida Statutes. Nassau Host is a hotel which is being remodeled; it is scheduled to be ready for occupancy on December 1, 1994. Nassau Host is located at 3250 North U.S. Highway 17, Yulee, Florida. Mr. Boyce Worley, President and primary contact person, filed the application on behalf of Nassau Host.

Upon request and sufficient proof, the Commission will issue an order indicating the nonjurisdictional or exempt status of water or wastewater systems if they qualify under the appropriate provision of Chapter 367, Florida Statutes. The application was filed in accordance with Section 367.022(4), Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-30.060(3)(d), Florida Administrative Code.

Section 367.022(4), Florida Statutes, states that public lodging establishments providing service solely in connection with service to their guests are exempt from Commission regulation. The application indicates that Nassau Host provides water and wastewater service only to its guests and the service territory is limited to the hotel located at 3250 North U.S. Highway 17, Yulee, Florida. There is no separate charge for utility service.

In addition, pursuant to Section 837.06, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-30.060(2)(d), Florida Administrative Code, anyone knowingly making a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead is

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guilty of a misdemeanor. By signing the application, Mr. Worley acknowledged that he is aware of Section 837.06, Florida Statutes, and the penalties for making false statements in the application.

Based upon the facts as represented, we find that Nassau Host is exempt from our regulation pursuant to the provisions of Section 367.022(4), Florida Statutes. However, should there be any change in circumstances or method of operation, the owner of Nassau Host, or any successor in interest, must inform the Commission within 30 days of such change so that its exempt status may be reevaluated.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that, based upon the facts as represented, Nassau Host, Inc. WTP & WWTP, Post Office Box 1658, Yulee, Florida 32097, is exempt from Commission regulation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 367.022(4), Florida Statutes. It is further

ORDERED that should there be any change in circumstances or method of operation, the owner of Nassau Host, Inc. WTP & WWTP or any successors in interest, shall inform this Commission within 30 days of such a change so that we may reevaluate its exempt status. It is further

ORDERED that this Docket is hereby closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 10th day of November, 1994.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director Division of Records and Reporting

by: Kay Hugher Chief, Bureau of Records

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water or wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Civil Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900 (a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.