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DATE: October 23, 1996

TO: Mary Bane, Deputy Executive Director/Technical

FROM: Cheryl Johnson, Division of Water and Wastewater

Donna Cyrus-Williams, Division of Legal Services

RE: Docket No. 961152-SU - Disposition of Contribution in Ald of Construction By

Hudson Utilities, Inc. D/B/A Hudson Bay Company

Staff has filed the recommendation for Docket No. 961152-SU, which is scheduled to be heard at the October 29, 1996, Agenda Conference, as Item No. 60. This recommendation addresses the refunding of gross-up tax collections for the years 1993 and 1994.

On October 18, 1995, Mr. Kenneth Hoffman, counsel for Hudson Utilities, filed an application for a variance of that portion of Order No. PSC-96-1180-FOF-WS, revoking Hudson's authority to collect gross-up on contributions-in-aid of construction (CIAC). The issue of the variance, could have an effect upon the disposition of the refunds in Docket No. 961152-SU. Staff would like to resolve the issues in the variance before it finalizes the refunds issue in Docket No. 961152-SU. Therefore, staff requests that Docket No. 961152-SU, scheduled for the October 29, 1996, Agenda Conference as Item No. 60, be deferred pending further staff review of the refunds and the variance.

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