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DATE: February 10, 2000
TO: DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING
FROM: DIVISION OF WATER AND WASTEWATER (BINFORD) C
RE: DOCKET NO. 991437-WU - APPLICATION FOR RATE INCREASE IN ORANGE COUNTY BY WEDGEFIELD UTILITIES, INC.

Please place the attached letter dated February 4, 2000 in the above-referenced docket file.

Attachment

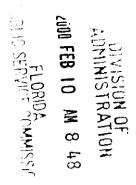
cc: Division of Water and Wastewater (Merchant, Binford)

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February 4, 2000

Ms. Trisha Merchant Public Utilities Supervisor Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850 RECEIVED FEB 1 () 2000 Florida Public Service Commission Division of Water and Wastewater

Dear Ms. Merchant:

Wedgefield Utilities, Inc. respectfully requests a two-week extension to respond to the most recent deficiency letter. The deficiency responses were to be filed by February 7, 2000, however we have run in to some timing issues. The Company has agreed to perform an updated Water Service Corporation allocation for the year ending June 30, 1999, specifically for this rate case. This is a time intensive project, and as you are aware, our typical practice is to generate this allocation annually at the end of each calendar year. The Company is also at the mercy of external contractors to furnish the additional detail requested in the map.

Both the new allocation and the revised map will be completed shortly. We will reprint the financial MFRs; having updated for any adjustments that occur based on the new allocation. We will send new copies of these books with all the pages that have been revised to date. As discussed per our last telephone conversation, it is my understanding that Staff would prefer a new book instead of several loose revised pages.

I believe these revisions should fully answer all mentioned deficiencies in the Wedgefield Utilities, Inc. rate filing. This should complete the MFRs filed on November 12, 1999.

If there is a problem with this extension, please advise. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

Erin L. Nicholas **Regulatory Analyst**

cc: Ben E. Girtman, Esquire