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May 31, 2000

Blanca Bayo, Director Division of Records & Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 RECEIVED-HPSC

In re: Application for rate increase in Martin County by Indiantown Company, Inc.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Order No. PSC-00-0912-PCO-WS, Docket No. 990939-WS, issued May 8, 2000, approved interim water and wastewater rates to be effective for service rendered on or after the stamped approval date on the tariff, provided customers have received notice.

Tariff sheets were approved on April 24, 2000, and notice that Indiantown Company, Inc. will collect interim rates with the billing on June 1, 2000, was provided to customers with the bill on May 1, 2000, as stated in the attached affidavit.

We believe that the company has complied with all pre-requisites to permit billing of the interim rates, and billing of interim rates will begin June 1, 2000.

Sincerely,

David B. Erwin

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- I, Vickie Tillman, do hereby affirm that I am the person responsible for the billing of Water and Wastewater services for the Indiantown Company, Inc.
- I do hereby further affirm that the attached **Application for Increased Rates and Interim Rates** was mailed to all Indiantown Company, Inc. water and wastewater customers with the billing dated May 01, 2000.

Vickie Tillman

Commercial Services Manager

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MARTIN

Subscribed before me this <u>25th</u> day of <u>May</u>, 2000.

Mary Ann Holt
Notary Public

MARY ANN HOLT
My Comm Exp. 4/21/2003
No. CC 812933
P. Personally Known [] Other I.D.

Public Fire Protection

Annual Charge \$86.51

WASTEWATER

Residential

Base Facility Charge:

All meter sizes \$16.95

Gallonage Charge per 1,000

gallons (6,000 gallon cap) \$2.50

General Service

Base Facility Charge:

Meter Size	
5/8" X 3/4"	\$16.95
1"	\$42.36
1-1/2"	\$84.69
2"	\$135.49
3"	\$254.06
4"	\$423.42
6"	\$846.84
8"	\$1,354.94
8" Turbine	\$1,524.31
Gallonage Charge per 1,000	\$2.50

Indiantown Company, Inc. will bill these interim rates on June 1, 2000, for service provided after the FPSC action and will continue to bill the interim rates until the FPSC has issued a final order that releases the interim rate generated funds to Indiantown Company, Inc. or requires the company to make a refund.

The company will collect interim rates under a security arrangement approved by the FPSC. If you have any questions you can call the Commission's Division of Consumer Affairs toll free number: 1-800-342-3552.

Si usted quiere recibir una cópia de éste aviso en Español, por favor llame al teléfono 561-597-2111.

APPLICATION FOR INCREASED RATES AND INTERIM RATES

Dear Indiantown Company Customer:

Indiantown Company, Inc. has previously provided notice to you that the company has applied to the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC) for a rate increase for its water and wastewater service in Martin County. The application has been given FPSC Docket No. 990939-WS. Indiantown Company, Inc. has applied for both permanent and interim rates.

On April 18, 2000, the FPSC met at its regularly scheduled Agenda Conference to consider the company's request for interim rates. After review of the FPSC staff recommendation, the Commission voted to approve the staff recommendation, thereby authorizing the company to design rates to produce additional annual operating revenues on an interim basis of \$58,133 for water and \$180,355 for wastewater, increases of 11.94% for water and 33.15% for wastewater. The interim rates produced by the increases are as follow:

WATER

Residential, General Service

Base Facility Charge:

Meter Size	
5/8" X 3/4"	\$8.48
1"	\$21.21
1-1/2"	\$42.43
2"	\$67.87
3"	\$127.25
4"	\$212.08
6"	\$424.18
8"	\$678.68
8" Turbine	\$763.54
Gallonage Charge per 1,000	\$1.21

Private Fire Protection

Base Facility Charge:

Meter Size	
2"	\$23.09
3"	\$43.28
4"	\$72.14
6"	\$144.28
8"	\$230.86