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Ms. Ann Cole, Director Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

RE: Docket No. 110022-WS – Application for certificate to operate water utility in Pasco County by Equity LifeStyle Properties, Inc., HV Utility

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is Equity LifeStyle Properties' Second Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time to File Motion to Dismiss.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing and please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Michael G. Cooke

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

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SECOND UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE MOTION TO DISMISS

Pursuant to Rule 28-106.204, Fla. Admin. Code, Equity LifeStyle Properties ("ELS"), by and through its counsel, hereby respectfully requests that the Florida Public Service Commission grant an extension of time to and including December 15, 2011 to file a Motion to Dismiss each Objection to the Proposed Utility and Petition For Formal Administrative Hearing ("Objection") filed on July 13, 2011, by, respectively, Pasco County ("County") and The City of New Port Richey ("City") (collectively, the "Joint Petitioners").¹ In support of this Motion, ELS states as follows:

1. ELS filed its Application for Certificate to Operate Water Utility in Pasco County by HV Utility Systems, L.L.C., in this proceeding on January 7, 2011. On June 10, 2010, ELS forwarded by mail a copy of the Notice of Application, attached as Exhibit 1, to County and the City.

2. On July 13, 2011, the Joint Petitioners filed their Objections to the application and requested an administrative hearing.

3. On July 27, 2011, ELS and the Joint Petitioners met informally to discuss the Objections. The parties discussed the potential issues and agreed to continue discussions in an effort to resolve issues raised.

4. During the meeting on July 27, 2011, ELS discussed its intention to file a Motion to Dismiss the Objections. Pursuant to Rule 28-106.204(2), Fla. Admin. Code, a Motion to Dismiss must be filed within twenty (20) days following service of a Petition for Administrative Hearing. ELS advised it would be willing to seek an extension of time to file a Motion to Dismiss and representatives of the City and County agreed to support such a Motion.

5. On July 28, 2011, ELS filed its Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time to File Motion to Dismiss. On August 5, 2011, the Prehearing Officer granted the motion extending time for ELS to file a motion to dismiss to September 15, 2011.

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¹ The County and City each filed on its own behalf a separate Objection, but they are substantially similar and raise the same issues.

6. To attempt to resolve this matter, ELS has prepared certain information to be submitted for review by representatives of the City and County and the parties have agreed to continue discussion of the issues.

7. Pursuant to Rule 28.106.204(3), Fla. Admin. Code, counsel for ELS has conferred with counsel of record for the Joint Petitioners and they have agreed to support a motion for a ninety (90) day extension of time.

WHEREFORE, ELS respectfully requests that, for good cause shown, the Commission grant an extension of time to and including December 15, 2011, for ELS to file a motion to dismiss the pending Objections.

DATED this 14th day of September 2011.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE DOCKET NO. 110022-WS

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic delivery and/or U.S. Mail this 14th day of September, 2011, to the following:

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