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December 16, 2013

Utility Corporation of Florida, Inc.
Attn: Ms. Lois Schlabach
200 Healthy Way
Sebring, FL 33876-7608

Re: Docket No. 110165-SU, Staff Assisted Rate Case for Utility Corporation of Florida, Inc. in Highlands County.

Dear Ms. Schlabach:

At the Commission Conference on November 14, 2013, staff was directed to examine the course of action Utility Corporation of Florida, Inc., (Utility) plans to take in order to comply with the Department of Environmental Protection's (DEP) April 2013 Order Establishing Compliance. In this order, the Utility is required to replace the surge tank by May 1, 2014, due to its relatively poor condition. Therefore, staff would like the Utility to provide a response to the following questions by January 7, 2014.

1. Please provide a detailed list of actions the Utility intends to take in order to comply with DEP's Order Establishing Compliance.
2. Please provide a timeframe for completing the replacement of the surge tank.
3. Please provide a list of the costs associated with replacing the surge tank.

Please submit your response to the Office of Commission Clerk, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850 by **January 7, 2014**. If you have any questions, please contact Daniel Lee by phone at (850) 413-6836 or by e-mail at DQlee@psc.state.fl.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Clayton Lewis".

Clayton Lewis
Engineering Supervisor

cc: Division of Economics (Daniel, Hudson, Roberts)
Division of Accounting and Finance (Fletcher, Maurey)
Division of Engineering (Simpson, Vickery, Lee)
Office of General Counsel (Teitzman)
Office of Commission Clerk (Docket No. 110165-SU)

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