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Beth Keating, Esq. Gunster, Yoakley, & Stewart, P.A. 215 South Monroe Street, Suite 601 Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1839 bkeating@gunster.com **STAFF'S SECOND DATA REQUEST** *via e-mail*

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> RE: Docket No. 20190173-GU – Joint Petition for Approval of GRIP Cost Recovery Factors by Florida Public Utilities Company, Florida Public Utilities Company-Fort Meade, and Florida Division of Chesapeake Utilities Corporation.

Dear Ms. Keating and Mr. Cassel:

By this letter, Commission staff respectfully requests that Florida Public Utilities Company (FPUC), Florida Public Utilities Company-Fort Meade (FPUC-Fort Meade), and Florida Division of Chesapeake Utilities Corporation (Chesapeake) provide responses to the following data requests.

- 1. Please state why Florida Public Utilities Company, Florida Public Utilities Company-Fort Meade, and Florida Division of Chesapeake Utilities Corporation (FPUC/CPK) did not make a consistency and proration adjustment to the WACC to comply with the normalization rules in IRC § 1.167(1)-1(h)(6).
- 2. How does FPUC/CPK know its WACC is compliant with IRC § 167 and § 168?
- 3. Please provide the WACC using the consistency rule per IRC § 168(i)(9)(B) and proration adjustments according to IRC § 1.167(1)-1(h)(6)(ii), even if an adjustment to the WACC is not required.

 Please provide a revised revenue requirement using the consistency and proration adjustments per IRC § 168(i)(9)(B) and § 1.167(1)-1(h)(6)(ii), even if an adjustment to its WACC is not required.

Please file all responses electronically no later than October 7, 2019 from the Commission's website at <u>www.floridapsc.com</u>, by selecting the Clerk's Office tab and Electronic Filing Web Form. Please feel free to call me at (850) 413-6199 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Bianca Y. Lherisson

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cc: Office of Commission Clerk