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Re: Docket No. 951056-WS

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-referenced docket on behalf of Florida Water Services Corporation, successor in interest to Palm Coast Utility Corporation, are an original and fifteen copies of a revised and updated Appeal Bond in the amount of \$1,633,122.00 effective through the pendency of the appeal and remand proceedings in this docket and subject to release or termination only upon subsequent order of the Florida Public Service Commission concerning potential refunds. The revised and updated Appeal Bond is filed pursuant to and consistent with Order No. PSC-00-0240-FOF-WS issued February 7, 2000 in the above-referenced docket.

Please acknowledge receipt of these documents by stamping the extra copy of this letter "filed" and returning the same to me.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing.

Sincerely,

Kenneth A. Hoffman
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INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA

(SURETY)

PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

To be attached to and form part of Bond No. K04332106-00582 dated the 4th day of

April, ~~19~~1996, and on behalf of

PALM COAST UTILITY CORPORATION

In favor of FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

It is understood and agreed that the penal sum of the attached bond, as set forth in the opening paragraph thereof, is hereby ~~decreased~~ increased from

One Million Three Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand Five Hundred Eighty and No/100 (\$1,395,580.00) DOLLARS

to One Million Six Hundred Thirty Three Thousand One Hundred Twenty Two and 00/100 (\$1,633,122.00) DOLLARS,

~~decrease~~ said increase being applicable only as to acts or omissions occurring on or after the 7th day of

February, ~~19~~2000

Nothing herein contained shall serve to waive, alter, modify or extend any of the terms and conditions of the subject bond other than as herein expressly set forth. SUBJECT BOND WILL REMAIN IN EFFECT DURING THE PENDENCY OF THE APPEAL AND WILL BE RELEASED OR TERMINATED UPON SUBSEQUENT ORDER OF THE COMMISSION ADDRESSING THE POTENTIAL REFUND.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and Surety have caused this instrument to be duly signed and

sealed this 2nd day of March, ~~19~~2000

Witness or Attest:

Brian S. Bilinski

Celia Sambrano

PALM COAST UTILITY CORPORATION

James A. Perry

INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA

(surety)

By _____
Debra A. Deming Attorney-in-fact

State of New York,

County of New York

} ss.:

On the 2nd day of March, in the year 2000 before me personally came DEBRA A. DEMING to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say, that he resides in STATEN ISLAND, NY; that he is the ATTORNEY-IN-FACT of the INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA, the corporation described in, and which executed the within instrument; that he knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation, and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

CAMILLE MAITLAND
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 01MA6006044
Qualified in Kings County
Certificate filed in New York County
Commission Expires April 20, 2000

Camille Maitland
Notary Public

Power of Attorney

INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA



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Know all men by these presents: That INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA , a corporation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania , having its principal office in the City of Philadelphia , Pennsylvania , pursuant to the following Resolution, adopted by the Board of Directors of the said Company on December 5, 1983, to wit:

"RESOLVED, That pursuant to Articles 3.18 and 5.1 of the By-Laws, the following Rules shall govern the execution for the Company of bonds, undertakings, recognizances, contracts and other writings in the nature thereof:

- (1) That the President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, and Assistant Vice President, or any Attorney-in-Fact, may execute for and on behalf of the Company any and all bonds, undertakings, recognizances, contracts and other writings in the nature thereof, the same to be attested when necessary by the Corporate Secretary, or any Assistant Corporate Secretary, and the seal of the Company affixed thereto; and that the President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President or any Assistant Vice President may appoint and authorize any other Officer (elected or appointed) of the Company, an Attorneys-In-Fact to so execute or attest to the execution of all such writings on behalf of the Company and to affix the seal of the Company thereto.
- (2) Any such writing executed in accordance with these Rules shall be as binding upon the Company in any case as though signed by the President and attested to by the Corporate Secretary.
- (3) The signature of the President, or a Senior Vice President, or a Vice President, or an Assistant Vice President and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile on any power of attorney granted pursuant to this Resolution, and the signature of a certifying Officer and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any certificate of any such power, and any such power or certificate bearing such facsimile signature and seal shall be valid and binding on the Company.
- (4) Such other Officers of the Company, and Attorneys-In-Fact shall have authority to certify or verify copies of this Resolution, the By-Laws of the Company, and any affidavit or record of the Company necessary to the discharge of their duties.
- (5) The passage of this Resolution does not revoke any earlier authority granted by Resolutions of the Board of Directors adopted on June 9, 1953, May 28, 1975, and March 23, 1977."

does hereby nominate, constitute and appoint GLENN J. PELLETIERE, FRANK J. NIESTADT, ROBERT P. MCDONOUGH, CAROLINE SCOTTO, MARISOL PLAZA, THOMAS BRANIGAN, VIVIAN CARTI, DEBRA A. DEMING and BETTY CALDERON all of the City of New York, State of New York , each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver on its behalf, and as its act and deed any and all bonds, undertakings, recognizances, contracts and other writings in the nature thereof in penalties not exceeding Twenty Five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000) and the execution of such writings in pursuance of these presents shall be as binding upon said Company, as fully and amply as if they had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of the Company at its principal office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said William Jungreis , Vice-President, has hereunto subscribed his name and affixed the corporate seal of the said INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA this 7th day of June 1999 .

INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA

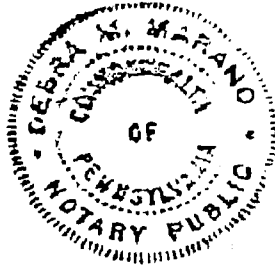
William Jungreis , Vice President



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA ss.

On This 7th day of June , A.D. 1999 , before me, a Notary Public of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in and for the County of Philadelphia came William Jungreis , Vice-President of the INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA to me personally known to be the individual and officer who executed the preceding instrument, and he acknowledged that he executed the same, and that the seal affixed to the preceding instrument is the corporate seal of said Company; that the said corporate seal and his signature were duly affixed by the authority and direction of the said corporation, and that Resolution, adopted by the Board of Directors of said Company, referred to in the preceding instrument, is now in force.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Philadelphia the day and year first above written.



NOTARIAL SEAL
DEBRA M. MARANO, Notary Public
City of Philadelphia, Phila. County
My Commission Expires Dec 20, 1999

Notary Public

I, the undersigned Secretary of INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA , do hereby certify that the original POWER OF ATTORNEY, of which the foregoing is a substantially true and correct copy, is in full force and effect.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name as Secretary, and affixed the corporate seal of the Corporation, this 2ND day of MARCH 2000



Debra H. Paziora , Secretary

THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY MAY NOT BE USED TO EXECUTE ANY BOND WITH AN INCEPTION DATE AFTER June 7, 2001 .

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