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Public Service Commission

April 28, 2000

Mr. Michael J. Miceli Bonita Country Club Utilities, Inc. 10200 Maddox Lane Bonita Springs, Florida 34135

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

Re:

Docket No. 990975-SU - Application for transfer of Certificate No. 281-S in Lee County from Bonita Country Club Utilities, Inc. to RealNor Hallandale, Inc.

Dear Mr. Miceli:

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On March 22, 2000, the Florida Public Service Commission issued Order No. PSC-00-0579-PAA-SU requiring you to show cause, in writing, why Bonita Country Club Utilities, Inc., (BCCU) should not remit a penalty of \$4,117.50 for failing to file BCCU's 1998 Annual Report. This Order provided that your written response must be received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, Florida Public Service Commission, by the close of business on April 12, 2000. Pursuant to the Order, your failure to file a timely written response constitutes an admission of the facts alleged in the Order and a waiver of any right to a hearing.

Please be advised that the Commission will proceed with collection of this fine by appropriate action unless payment of the \$4,117.50, plus interest, is received by May 15, 2000. Additionally, BCCU now owes interest on the assessed penalty because "[a]ny utility which fails to pay a penalty within 30 days after its assessment by the Commission shall be subject to interest applied to the penalty up to and including the date of payment of the penalty." See Rule 25-30.110(6)(d), Florida Administrative Code. Furthermore, as of the day of this letter, BCCU has accrued an additional \$850.50 in penalties (63 days x \$13.50 per day) since the February 29, 2000, Agenda Conference. It is our hope that BCCU will remit the fine and the delinquent report promptly so that further fines may be avoided. Please be guided accordingly.

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Should you have any questions, please contact me at (850) 413-6185.

Sincerely,

D. Tyler Van Leuven

Staff Attorney

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Division of Administration (Sewell)

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