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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: Sun Communities Finance LLC; PSC Docket No. 990243-WS Application for Limited Proceeding Increase <u>Our File No. 33013.01</u>

Dear Ms. Bayo:

I received a copy of the Staff Recommendation in the above-referenced docket on Tuesday afternoon, May 9, 2000. It is due to be considered at the Commission's May 16, 2000 agenda conference. The purpose of this letter is to request a delay in the consideration of this matter, until the Commission's June 6, 2000 agenda conference.

AFA APP CAF CMU CTR EAG LEG LEG MAS OPC RRR SEC WAW I will be out of the country beginning on the 14th of May through the 30th and will be unable to attend the agenda conference. No one else within my firm is infinitely familiar with the issues in this rather complicated case, and as such, my presence is necessary. I discussed this matter with members of the Commission staff who have no objection to the delay in consideration of this matter until June 6, 2000, as long as the Utility is agreeable that any revenues ultimately determined to be "excessive" will be considered held subject to refund from the date the Commission was originally to consider this matter (May 16, 2000) forward. If the Commission accepts the Staff Recommendation in its totality without change, the amount of this excess revenue that will accrue during this three week delay will be approximately \$3,000. My client is agreeable to that condition.

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Please let me know as soon as possible whether the Commission is agreeable to this delay. Should you have any questions in this regard, please let me know.

Sincerely,

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