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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In Re: Application of Florida) Water Services Corporation for) Amendment of Certificate No. 106) to add and delete territory in) Lake County, Florida.

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SETTLEMENT STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW CRYSTAL RIVER UTILITIES, INC. ("CRU") and FLORIDA WATER SERVICES CORPORATION ("FWSC"), pursuant to Order PSC-00-1061-PCO-WS, issued June 2, 2000, and reports to the Commission the following regarding settlement status:

Principals for CRU and FWSC met on March 28, 2000 and have conferred regarding settlement. Possible resolutions were discussed, but no agreement was reached. Subsequently, there have been several exchanges of options which are being discussed by the parties.

Counsel for FWSC has approved this report.

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WHEREFORE, CRU and FWSC respectfully submit this Settlement Status Report.

Respectfully submitted this 17th day of July, 2000, by:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by U.S. Mail to Samanatha Cibula, Esquire, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 and Matthew J. Feil, Esquire, Florida Water Services Corporation, P.O. Box 609520, Orlando, Florida 32860-9520 this 17th day of July, 2000.

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