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Division of Resource Planning and Management
Department of Community Affairs
2550 Shumard Oak Blvd.
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Docket No. 021036-WS, Application of North Sumter Utility Company, LLC, for amendment of Certificate Nos. 618-W and 532-S in Sumter County, Florida

Dear Mr. Eubanks:

Attached is a copy of the application of North Sumter Utility Company, LLC for an amendment of territory in Sumter County. Pursuant to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Community Affairs (DCA) and the Public Service Commission (PSC), the DCA has agreed to provide input on need for service and comprehensive plan consistency on applications for amendments or original certificates filed with the PSC.

The filing of North Sumter is the sixty-seventh filing to receive this treatment. The staff requests that a response be received by December 2, 2002.

Please note that the response should be addressed to the Division of Commission Clerk and AdministrativeServices, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399 0865 with the docket number highlighted for reference by the Commission.

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The staff of the Commission is looking forward to receiving the additional input from the DCA regarding the application. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact Tom Walden at 850-413-6950.

Sincerely,

Patti Daniel

Certification Supervisor

enclosure

cc: w/o enclosure

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