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DATE: January 19, 2005

TO: Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services

FROM: Division of Economic Regulation (Tracey Biggins, Professional Accountant)

RE: Docket No. 041371-WU Application for a Staff Assisted Rate Case by The Colinas

Group, Inc., receivers for Lazy S Utility Company

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Receivers for the Lazy S Utility Company 2031 E. Edgewood Drive Lakeland, FL 33803 863-669-9141 January 13, 2005

Richard Redemann Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket Number 041371 - WU

Dear Mr. Redemann

The receivers for the Lazy S Utility Company have submitted for a water rate increase. The utility is currently making payments to satisfy the RAF for 2003. The statue calls for a fifteen month waiting period between the time payment is received and the time when the staff assisted rate increase may be processed. We are herein requesting the statutory requirement of fifteen months be waived so the rate study may continue.

Very truly yours,

Charles S. Freed

For the Lazy S Receivers

Colinas Group - Receivers 2031 E. Edgewood # 5 Lakeland, FL 33803