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September 27, 2007

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Re: KW Resort Utilities Corp.; 2007 Rate Case Filing; PSC Docket 070293 Interim Recommendation. Your File No. 34000-05

Dear Mr. Deterding:

I am in receipt of your letter dated September 27, 2007, regarding the escrow agreement executed by KW Resort Utilites Corp. to secure the interim rate increase approved by the Commission at its September 25, 2007, agenda.

Enclosed please find the executed Escrow Agreement regarding the above-referenced matter.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Ann Cole

Clerk of the Commission

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Enclosure

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Re:

September 27, 2007 <u>VIA HAND DE</u>LIVERY

Ann Cole, Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

K.W. Resort Utilities Corp.; 2007 Rate Case Filing; PSC Docket 070293

Interim Recommendation Our File No. 34000.05

Dear Ms. Cole:

In accordance with our discussions yesterday afternoon with regard to the Escrow Agreement executed by KW Resort Utilities Corp. to secure the interim rate increase approved by the Commission at its September 25, 2007 agenda, I am attaching hereto an Escrow Agreement drafted in accordance with standard Commission practice, which has been fully executed by KW Resort Utilities Corp. and by the Escrow Agent/Bank.

Please execute the Escrow Agreement at the place as noted, and return a fully executed copy and the signature card to us for filing with the bank, as soon as possible.

We are attempting to implement these rates effective October 1, 2007, and therefore would like to get this executed and finalized and returned today or tomorrow, if at all possible.

If you have any questions in this regard or need anything further from me, please let me know as soon as possible. Thank you for your quick attention to this matter.

Sincerely

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For The Firm

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cc: Troy Rendell

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#### ESCROW AGREEMENT

THIS ESCROW AGREEMENT is made by and between BB&T Corporation (the "Bank"), the Florida Public Service Commission ("FPSC"), and KW Resort Utilities, Corp. (the "Utility"), a Florida corporation, upon the following terms, conditions and considerations:

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, KW Resort Utilities, Corp. filed its application for increased wastewater rates in Monroe County, Florida on August 3, 2007 and;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 367.082, Florida Statutes, the Commission authorized the Utility to implement interim rates during the pendency of its review of the Application and determination of the appropriate amount of the final rate increase and;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Section 367.082, Florida Statutes and the Commission's decision of September 25, 2007, the Utility must implement those rates under appropriate security, including among other alternatives, escrow of all such increases and;

WHEREAS, on September 25, 2007, the FPSC voted to allow the Utility to implement increased interim rates subject to refunds during the pendency of this proceeding.

WHEREAS, the Bank has agreed to hold such funds in an interest bearing account, the parties agree as follows:

- 1. The foregoing representations are true and correct.
- 2. The difference between the prior approved rates of KW Resort Utilities, Corp.'s wastewater system and the increased rates being implemented as authorized pursuant to the Commission's decision of September 25, 2007 on interim, shall be deposited by the Utility in an escrow account held by the Bank.
- 3. The escrow account shall bear interest at the prevailing rate.
- 4. No funds will be withdrawn from the escrow account without the signature of both the Director of the Division of Records and Reporting of the FPSC and the President of the Utility. Signature cards executed by the Director of the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services of the FPSC and the President of the Utility shall designate the appropriate authorized signature for each.
- 5. The Bank shall forward regular monthly statements (including canceled checks) to the Utility and shall mail a copy of the monthly account statement to the FPSC, Attn: Ann Cole, Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard 32399-0850.

- The Bank may, without reason, withdraw from this Agreement 6. upon thirty (30) days written notice to the FPSC and to the Utility.
- The Utility shall indemnify and hold the Bank harmless from 7. any claim, demand or loss suffered by the Bank, and the cost thereof (including court costs and attorney fees for negotiation, trial and appeal).
- This escrow account is established pursuant to the 8. provisions of Section 367.082, Florida Statutes for the benefit of the Utility's customers, in the event that the final rates approved by the Commission are less than those implemented by KW Resort on October 2, 2007.
- Information concerning the escrow account 9. available from the Bank to the FPSC and its representatives at all times.
- Pursuant to Cosentino v. Elson, 263 So.2d 253 (Fla. 3rd DCA 1972), escrow accounts are not subject to garnishment.

THIS AGREEMENT shall become effective and binding upon all parties upon the date that it becomes executed by all parties.

KW RESORT UTILITIES, CORP.

William Smith,

(Corporate Seal)

BANK

BRANCH BANKING & TRUST CO

1010 KENNEDY DRIVE KEYWEST, FL 33040

BB&T Corporation

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