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HC Waterworks, Inc.

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Re: Docket No. 140158-WS – Application for increase in water and wastewater rates in Highlands County by HC Waterworks, Inc. – Request for Confidential Consideration

Dear Commission Clerk,

HC Waterworks hereby requests confidential treatment of the attached Aged Accounts Receivable Reports and Write Offs. The PSC staff has requested this information in its Third Data Request.

The information being requested is confidential within the meaning of Section 367.093(3), F.S. This requested information contains customer names, addresses, and account numbers.

Disclosure of Progress's customers' personal account numbers could provide unauthorized access to third parties; thus, potentially harming HC Waterworks and its customers.

It has long been Commission practice to consider and treat customer personal information, such as names and addresses, as confidential information. See Orders PSC-07-0552-CFO-EI (June 29, 2007) and PSC-02-0356-CFO-EI (March 12, 2002).

This information should be considered proprietary confidential information in that is (i) intended to be and is treated as private, confidential information, (ii) because disclosure of the information would cause irreparable harm to U.S. Water Services' business operation and its customers, and (iii) the information has not been voluntarily disclosed to the public.

Wherefore, HC Waterworks respectfully request that the requested information be granted confidential classification and treated accordingly. The above utilities request that the information be classified as "proprietary confidential business information" within the meaning of Section 366.093(3), F.S. that, the information remain confidential for a period of at least 18 months as provided in Section 366.093(4), F.S., and that the information be returned as soon as it is no longer necessary for the Commission to conduct its business.

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The requested information has been provided in an enclosed sealed red envelope.

Respectfully Submitted,

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