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March 20, 1998

Ms. Blanca S. Bayó, Director Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0870

> RE: Docket No. 971663-WS

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed are an original and fifteen copies of Citizens' Notice of Intervention in the abovereferenced docket.

Please indicate receipt of filing by date-stamping the attached copy of this letter and returning it to this office. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Harold McLean

Associate Public Counsel

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of Florida Cities Water Company for limited proceeding to recover environmental litigation costs for North and South Ft. Myers Division in Lee County and Barefoot Bay Divisions in Brevard County **DOCKET NO. 971663-WS**

Filed: March 20, 1998

CITIZENS' NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

The Citizens of the State of Florida, by and through JACK SHREVE, Public Counsel serve this their notice of intervention in the above-referenced docket in accordance with Chapter 350, Florida Statutes (1997).

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Shreve Public Counsel

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE DOCKET NO. 971663-WS

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing Citizens' Notice of Intervention was served upon the following entities by United States Mail or by Hand delivery where indicated by an asterisk (*) on this 20th day of March, 1998.

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