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2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Aloha Utilities, Inc.; PSC Docket #970536-WS
Application for Limited Proceeding
State Road 54 and Envelope Billing
Our File No. 26038.19

Dear Ms. Bayo:

As a follow-up to my letter earlier today, I am attaching a copy of a letter providing certification of the facilities by the Florida DEP, which follows up certification of the subject facilities by the Utility's engineer in February of 1997.

Based upon this letter, the facilities that are the subject of this limited proceeding were placed in service in March of 1997. This provides the response to the question number 4 of Bobbie Reyes' letter of September 28, 1998.

Should you, or any members of the staff have any further questions in this regard, please let me know.

Sincerely,

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Stephen G. Watford, V.P.
Aloha Utilities
2514 Aloha Place
Holiday, FL 34691

Pasco County
Subject: S.R. 54 Potable Water Main [Partial]
Station 44 + 15 to 327 + 76 and Raw Water Main
Station 44 + 20 to 299 + 17 Seven Springs
PATS No. DS51-287023
PWS-ID No. 6512214

Dear Mr. Watford:

This acknowledges receipt of a certified request for letter of release to place the subject water main into service [DEP Form 62-555.910(9)] and supportive documentation on March 17, 1997. This project was approved for construction under the permit application tracking system (PATS) number described above, issued June 27, 1996.

Your engineer of record has certified that the subject facilities have been completed to the extent noted on signed and sealed February 28, 1997 "record drawings". These facilities were cleared bacteriologically in accordance with Rule 62-555.345 Florida Administrative Code with submission of satisfactory results for samples collected on February 17 and 18, 1997.

Based on this information, we are issuing this letter of release to place into service the water main for the subject facility.

Changes in applicable laws and regulations which affect operating procedures and/or quality standards must be complied with. In addition, we wish to call your attention to the requirements that no sanitary hazards, regardless of how slight, shall be placed within 100 feet of public water supply well and under certain circumstances, this distance can be increased.

Should you have any questions please contact Cece Featheringill at (813) 744-6100, ext. 319 or write to me at the above address.

Sincerely,

Pedro L. Rivera
Pedro L. Rivera, P.E.
Manager
Drinking Water Section

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