BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Resolution of Board of) County Commissioners of) Bradford County declaring) Bradford County subject to the) provisions of Chapter 367,) Florida Statutes)

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The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman SUSAN F. CLARK J. TERRY DEASON BETTY EASLEY LUIS J. LAUREDO

ORDER ACKNOWLEDGING RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BRADFORD COUNTY DECLARING ST. LUCIE COUNTY SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 367, FLORIDA STATUTES

BY THE COMMISSION:

On July 6, 1992, the Board of County Commissioners of Bradford County adopted a resolution pursuant to Section 367.171, Florida Statutes, declaring that all water and wastewater systems in that County which meet the definition of "utility" as defined by Section 367.021, Florida Statutes, are subject to the jurisdiction and regulatory authority of the Florida Public Service Commission. The resolution was received by this Commission on July 10, 1992.

Accordingly, we acknowledge Bradford County's resolution. The provisions of Chapter 367, Florida Statutes, are effective in Bradford County effective July 6, 1992, the date of the resolution. All utilities as defined by Chapter 367, Florida Statutes, shall comply with the following provisions of this Order.

Each utility shall register with this Commission within 30 days of the date the Commission received jurisdiction, as required by Section 367.171(2)(a), Florida Statutes. All utilities must obtain either a grandfather certificate or an exemption from regulation pursuant to Section 367.031, Florida Statues. Each utility desiring to obtain a grandfather certificate for the area served by such utility as of July 6, 1992, shall make application to this Commission, pursuant to Section 367.171(2)(b), Florida Statutes, within 90 days of the date this Commission received jurisdiction.

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Therefore, in consideration of the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of Bradford County, declaring that County to be subject to he provisions of Chapter 367, Florida Statutes, is hereby acknowledged. It is further

ORDERED that all water and wastewater utilities in St. Lucie County are hereby directed to comply with the requirements set forth in the body of this Order and Chapter 367, Florida Statutes. It is further

ORDERED that this docket shall remain open until all utilities have complied with the provisions as set forth in this Order.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 9th day of September, 1992.

> STEVE TRIBBLE, Director Division of Records and Reporting

(SEAL)

by: <u>Lay Hyp</u> Chief, Bureau of Records

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section Florida Statutes, to 120.59(4), notify parties of anv administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of

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Records and Reporting within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water or sewer utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Civil Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900 (a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.