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**Public Service Commission**

September 15, 1997

Mr. James N. Paxton  
Cinnamon Ridge Utilities, Inc.  
6909 Beach Boulevard, Leisure Beach  
Hudson, Florida 34667-1995

RE: Final Request for Refund for Monies Collected from Mr. David Ross, Jr.

Dear Mr. Paxton:

On July 11, 1997, the Commission staff mailed you a letter requesting that you refund the \$76.00 that you collected from Mr. David Ross Jr. for the amounts due from a previous tenant and for the meter and installation charges. A copy of the letter is attached hereto.

In that letter, you were informed that you were in apparent violation of Rule 25-30.320(5) (a), Florida Administrative Code, which provides that delinquency in payment for service by a previous occupant of the premises shall not constitute sufficient cause for refusal or discontinuance of service to a new applicant or customer.

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As a follow-up to the aforementioned letter, a member of the Commission staff telephoned you on September 10, 1997 to inquire about the refund. In your telephonic conversation with the member of the Commission staff, you informed the Commission staff member that you would not refund the \$76.00 to Mr. Ross.

Since the telephonic conversation, the Commission has not received any written response from you regarding the request for the refund of the amounts collected from Mr. Ross. Therefore, by this letter, the Commission staff again is requesting that you refund the \$76.00 collected from Mr. Ross.

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Please provide the money owed no later than ten days from the date of receipt of this letter directly to Mr. Ross and provide us with a copy of the canceled check or receipt of payment. If the appropriate refund is not made by September 30, 1997, the Commission staff will seek to initiate a show cause action against your utility company for its violation of Rule 25.30.320(5) (a), Florida Administrative Code.

Sincerely,



Hans Ottinot  
Staff Attorney

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Division of Consumer Affairs (Smith)  
Division of Water & Wastewater (Bethea, Okome)