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DEAR MS. BAYO',

PLEASE ACCEPT THIS LETTER AS A FORMAL REQUEST FOR A RULING MADE BY THE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING THE AMOUNT OF REGULATORY ASSESSMENT FEES THAT WERE DUE FOR HACIENDA VILLAGE UTILITIES.

THE COMPANY CONTACT SHALL BE I OR THE CORPORATE SECRETARY
LAURICE HACHEM AT 6939 BACHEM DRIVE, PORT RICHEY, 34668.

A DESCRIPTION OF OUR COMPLAINT IS AS FOLLOWS: WE DON'T REALLY UNDERSTAND NOR FEEL IT IS FAIR THE WAY THE ASSESSMENT FEES WERE COMPUTED REGARDING THE WAY WE COLLECT THEM (INCLUDED IN SOME RENTS). OUR REMEDY WOULD BE TO REFUND SOME OR ALL OF OUR MONEY.

WE REALLY PEEL WE COOPERATED FULLY WITH YOUR AUDITOR WHILE HE WAS HERE AND THAT WE HAVE DONE AND HONEST JOB COLLECTING. HOWEVER, IF WE HAVE MADE ERRORS IN COMPUTING SURELY WE SHOULD NOT BE PENALIZED THE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS WE WERE. PLEASE C INTACT US AT YOUR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE.

SINCERELY,

ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT

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