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Mr. Ray Eubanks Bureau of State Planning Division of Resource Planning and Management Department of Community Affairs 2550 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-2100

Docket No. 021256-WU, Application by Farmton Water Resources, LLC to operate a water utility in Volusia and Brevard Counties, Florida

Dear Mr. Eubanks:

Attached is a copy of the application of Farmton's application for an original water certificate.. Pursuant to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Community Affairs (DCA) and Public Service Commission (PSC), the DCA has agreed to provide input on need -for- service and comprehensive plan consistency on applications for amendments or original certificates.

The filing of Farmton is the seventy-first filing to receive this treatment. Staff requests that a response from the DCA be received by February 03, 2003. Please note that the response should be addressed to the Division of Commission Clerk & Administrative Services, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, with the docket number highlighted for reference by the Commission. If this application is protested within the next 30 days, the docket will be set for hearing. Should this happen, the DCA will be updated by the PSC staff assigned to the case.

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The staff of the Commission is looking forward to receiving the additional input from the DCA regarding the application. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact Stanley Rieger at (850) 413-6970.

Sincerely,

Patti Daniel

Certification Supervisor

Enclosure

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