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COMMISSION CLERK

VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Ms. Blanca Bayo Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Director Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re:

Docket No. 040384-WS; Application of Sanlando Utilities Corporation for an Amendment of Water and Wastewater Certificates in Seminole County,

Florida

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is the original and fifteen (15) copies of the Direct Testimony of Richard Kornbluh.

Should you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to contact

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

DOCKET NO.: 040384-WS

IN RE: Application of SANLANDO UTILITES CORPORATION for amendment of water and wastewater certificates in Seminole County, Florida.

NOTICE OF FILING

COMES NOW the City of Longwood, and hereby gives notice of filing in the above-referenced docket the Direct Testimony of Richard Kornbluh, on behalf of the City of Longwood.

Respectfully submitted on this 29th day of December, 2005, by:

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 40384-WS

CITY OF LONGWOOD'S

TESTIMONY OF

RICHARD KORNBLUH

REGARDING THE APPLICATION FOR

AMENDMENT TO CERTIFICATES 247-W AND 189-S

IN SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

TESTIMONY OF RICHARD KORNBLUH

- Q. Please state your name and business address.
- A. My name is Richard Kornbluh and my business address is 180 East Warren Avenue,
 Longwood, Florida 32750
- Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?
- A. I am employed by the City of Longwood. Presently, I serve as the Utilities Division Manager.
- Q. Please summarize your background and experience in the industry of providing water and sewer service to the public.
- A. I have been employed by the City of Longwood since 1979. I began as an operator trainee, and received my Class "C" wastewater treatment plant and water treatment plant operators' certification in 1980. I have since received by Class "A" certifications in water treatment plant operations in 1985, and in wastewater in 1987. From 1988 to 1994 I held the position of Public Works Director, and I have held the position of Utility Division Manager since 1994. I also taught the preparatory course for both water plant operators and wastewater plant operators at the C and B levels at Seminole Community College from 1987 to 1994. These courses are required by the State prior to sitting for the certification exam.
- Q. What is the purpose of your testimony in this proceeding?
- A. To support the City of Longwood's objection to the Application for Amendment to Certificates 247-W and 189-S in Seminole County, Florida by Petitioner. I will also provide testimony concerning the City of Longwood's Contract with the developer to take over the providing of utility services upon the City of Longwood being prepared to do such undertaking. I will also provide testimony to the fact that the City of Longwood is ready, willing and able to assume the operation of sewer and water service within the City limits of the subject area. Further, I will provide testimony that the City of Longwood exercised its option by letter to take over the subject area.

Q. Does this conclude your testimony?

A. Yes it does.