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Mr. Gary Deremer
President, Harbor Waterworks, Inc.
5320 Captains Court
New Port Richey, FL 34652

Re: Docket No. 120158-SU - Application for approval of transfer, and original certificate for an existing wastewater system, requesting initial rates and charges in Lake County by Harbor Waterworks, Inc.

Dear Mr. Deremer:

We are in receipt of your July 10, 2012 letter requesting the Public Service Commission to set emergency rates for Harbor Hills Utility, LP (Harbor Hills) pending the approval of your application to certificate the utilities.

As you are aware, your application for original certificates for existing water and waste water systems are pending and are expected to come to Agenda sometime in the next several months. Presently, neither the Florida Statutes nor the rules of this Commission contemplate the approval of any rates of any utility prior to certification. In this instance the process of obtaining certification provides the Commission with the necessary information to set the initial rates. Until such time as Harbor Hills has been issued an original certificate it is the opinion of the Commission staff that your request for emergency rates is premature.

Please understand that we appreciate your concerns and we are proceeding as quickly as possible to process your application for an original certificate. In the mean time if you have any questions you should feel free to contact me at any time.

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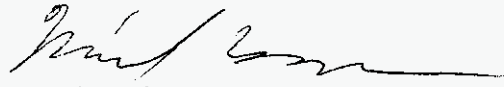
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael Lawson", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Michael Lawson
Senior Attorney

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cc: Office of Commission Clerk
Martin S. Friedman, Esq.