CRYSTAL RIVER UTILITIES, INC.

"Excellence in Potable Water and Wastewater"

August 14, 1996

FILE COPY

Ms Christine C. Tomlinson Florida Public Service Commission 2540 shumard Oak Bivd Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re Dockett No. 960717-WU; Application for Transfer of Certificate No. 396-W

Dear Ms. Tomlinson,

We are in receipt of your deficiencies letter of July 9, 1996. Our response is in the order presented in your letter.

(1) Statement of Financial and Technical Ability - We will likely hire H2O Utility Services, Inc. which currently operates and maintains over eighty systems in Florida. The operator's state license number is #COA5894.

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Contract for Sale - There are no guaranteed revenue contracts outstanding

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- A. Notice of Actual Application You will find enclosed an affidavit that the notice of actual application was given in accordance with Section 367.045 FS.
- B. Notice to Customers of Utility You will find enclosed an affidavit that the notice of application was given by regular mail to each customer of the utility.
- C. Notice of Application in Newspaper You will find proof of publication in a newspaper of general circulation and an affidavit that the notice was published once
- A. Please find enclosed an amendment to the contract paragraph 12 (f) in question

B. While our contract calls for many exhibits to be provided by Seller, often times the information is simply not available. Should specific items be necessary to complete the transfer process, please advise.

C. The customer deposits will be transfered to Purchaser at time of closing along with customer names and accrued interest.

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Yours truly,

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Richard Bowles Vice President

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1 Kicher Bouces, Vice President of Crystal River Utilities, Inc. do solemnly swear or affirm that the attached notice was published once in a newspaper of general circulation in the territory in accordance with Rule 25-30.030, Florida Administrative Code

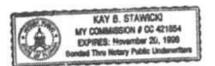
Applicant

By

Name and Title

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of August 1996



Proof Of Publication

from the

CITRUS COUNTY CHRONICLE

Crystal River, Citrus County, Florida
PUBLISHED DAILY

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF CITRUS

COUNTY OF CITRUS
Before the undersigned authority personal
of the Citrus County Chronicle, a newspaper published daily at Crystal River, in Citrus Count Florida, that the attached copy of advertisement being a public notice in the matter of the
Notice of Transfer Water Certificat 396 W
Court, was published in said newspaper in the issue of August 9, 1996
Affiant further says that the Citrus County Chronic

Affiant further says that the Citrus County Chronicle is a newspaper published at Crystal River in said Citrus County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in Citrus County, Florida, each week and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in inverness in said Citrus County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he/she has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

The forgoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 9th day of Aug 19.96

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who is personally known to me and who did take an oath.

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Commission No. CC 302632

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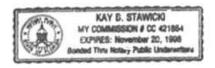
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C.	Applicant Courses lac.
Ву	Name and Title B 42033655 024
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 of August 1996.	B 42033655 024
of <u>Hugus</u> 1996.	Kay B Staurike



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1 Mary	Thompson	3937 S. DelardWay	Homosassa	FI	34448
2 Edward	Dilego	3880 S. Delard	Homosassa	FL	34448
3 James	Roosen	3928 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
4 Wanda	Perry	3950 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
5 Clarence	Valentino	P.O. Box 4963	Homosassa	FL	34447
6 Rosemary	Robbins	3967 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
7 Robin	Egan	3959 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
8 Walter	Rabbett	501 East Bay Dr #1003	Homosassa	FL	34448
9 James	Clark	3923 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
10 Daniel	Greenwell	3909 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
11 Sherry	Hill	3895 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
12 David	Alderman	3881 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
13 Fred	Archibald	P.O. Box 328	Homosassa	FL	34447
14 Michelle	Cook	P.O. Box 3657	Homosassa	FL	34447
15 George	Ovitt	P.O. Box 4121	Homosassa	FL	34447
16 Shirley	Williamson	3819 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
17 Sandy	Sanchiz	3801 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
18 Evelyn	Ewing	5911 W. Mink lane	Homosassa	FL	34448
19 Owner	2	5891 W. Mink Lane	Homosassa	FL	34448
20 Terry	Scott	5885 W. Mink Lane	Homosassa	FL	34448
21 Wallace	Heintz	3951 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
22 Owner		3927 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
23 Roslyn	Lauben	3909 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FI	34448
24 Suzie	Lyons	3893 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
25 Lucinda	Gayheart	3883 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
26 Guy	Balmer	3861 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
27 Charles	Hoit	P.O. Box 548	Lecanto	FL	34460
28 Glenda	Wilson	P.O. Box 998	Homosassa	FL	34447
29 Brenda	McCullough	3817 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
30 Joyce	Davis	P.O. Box 2356	Homosassa	FI	34447
31 Kevin	Ottenbaker	3796 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
32 Nicole	Durante	3820 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
33 Leon	Vanderham	P.O. Box 682	Homosassa	FL	34447
34 Sarah	Harrison	3850 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
35 Ken	Fluty	3866 S. Delard Way	Homosassa	FL	34448
36 Elizabeth	Klever	3996 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
37 Mrs. Leon	Watson	3978 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
38 Connie	Crump	3960 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
39 Willie	Rainey	3865 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
40 George	Gusha	P.O. Box 854	Crystal River	FL	34423
41 Bruce	Atkins	3850 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
42 April	Lay	3828 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448

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43 William	Reilly	3820 S Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
44 Nora	McLean	3810 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FL	34448
45 Rhonda	Waterloo	3800 S. Kindness Terr	Homosassa	FI	34448
46 Mildred	Flannery	5951 W. Mink Lane	Homosassa	FL	34448
47 George	Teechman	P.O. Box 1330	Homosassa	FL	34447
48 Carolee	Thomas	P.O. Box 4103	Homosassa Springs	FL	34447

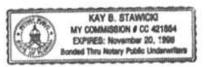
Pine Valley Customers

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1 Kcurses Sauces, Vice President of Crystal River Utilities, Inc. do solemnly swear or affirm that the attached notice was in accordance with Section 367.045(1)(a), Florida Statutes. and Rule 25-30.030, Florida Administrative Code by regular mail to the following: the governing body of the municipality, county, or counties in which the system or the territory proposed to be served is located; the privately owned water and wastewater utilities that hold a certificate granted by the Public Service Commission and that are located within the county in which the utility or the territory proposed to be served is located, the regional planning council, the Office of Public Counsel, the Public Service Commission's Director of Records and Reporting, the appropriate regional office of the Department of Environmental Protection, and the appropriate water management district.

Cayster River Vinities, INC. Applicant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14



ij	D Company Name	Address	City	State/Province	Postal Code
1	1 Cinnamon Ridge Utilities, Inc.	6909 Beach Blvd	Hudson	FI	34667
	2 Demetree Industries, Inc.	3348 Edgewater	Orlando	FL	32804
	3 Eldorado Water System	P.O. Box 1345	Homosassa Springs	FL	34447
	4 Forest Hills Water System	P.O. Box 3187	Homosassa Springs	FL	34447
	5 Heights Water Company	10230 East Highway 25	Belleview	FL ·	34420
	6 Indian Springs Utilities,Inc.	7655 W. Gulf to lake Highway	#Crystal River	FL	34429
	7 J&J Water and Sewer Corp	10374 North Natchez Loop	Dunnellon	FL	34434
	8 Lands Inc. of Rhinelander	5126 South Galvin Trail	Floral City	FL	34436
	9 Meadow Wood	1820 North Cherry Terrace	Crystal River	FL	34429
	10 RHV Utility, Inc.	P.O. Box 2770	Crystal River	FL	34423
	11 Rolling Oaks Utilities, Inc.	P.O. Box 641030	Beverly Hills	FL	34464
	12 Seven Rivers Utilities, Inc.	P.O. Box 26572	Tampa	FL	33623
	13 Southern States Utilities, Inc.	1000 Color Place	Apopka	FL	32703
	14 Wellaqua Co.	244 South Camellia Avenue	Crystal River	FL	34429
	15 Windstream Utilities Company	P.O. Box 4201	Ocala	FL	34478

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t ID Title	A LOSSING	Company Name	Address	City	State/Province	Postal Code
1		FDEP Southwest District	3804 Coconut Palm Drive	Tampa	FL	33619
2		SWFWMD	2379 Broad Street	Brooksville	FL	34609
3		Withlacoochee Planning Counc	1241 SW 10th Street	Ocala	FL	3.2674
4 Flonda Public Cour	isel,	C/O House of Representatives	The Capitol	Tallahassee	FI	32399
5 Division of Record a	and Reports	FPSC	2540 Shumard Oak Blvd	Tallahassee	FL	32399
6 Citrus County Clerk		Board of County Commissioner	County Courthouse	Invemess	FL	32650
7 Mayor		City of Crystal River	123 N.W. Highway 19	Crystal River	FL	32629
8 Mayor		City of Inverness	212 West Main Street	Inverness	FL	34450

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given on July 30, 1996, pursuant to Section 367.045, Florida Statutes, of the application for transfer of Water Certificate No. 396-W from Demetree Industries, Inc. to Crystal River Utilities, Inc., providing service to the following described territory in Citrus County, Florida

Township 19 South, Range 18 East

Section 19

The Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of said Section 19.

Any objection to the said application must be made in writing within thirty (30) days from this date to the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850. A copy of said objection should be mailed to the applicant whose address is:

Crystal River Utilities, Inc P.O. Box 520247 Longwood, Florida 32752-0247

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August 14, 1996

Mr. John Myrick Demetree Industries, Inc. 3348 Edgewater Drive Orlando, FL 32804

Re: Pine Valley Water System

Dear John,

Christine Tomlinson, a regulatory analyst with the Florida Public Service Commission, has requested that we amend our purchase agreement with Demetree Industries, Inc.. Specifically, she has determined that Paragraph 12 (f) of the contract is discriminatory to other customers of the system and that the utility can not charge anything different than what is allowed under its tariff.

In order to keep the transfer application on the tracks, I suggest we amend the contract and agree to delete Paragraph 12 (f) entirely from the agreement. If you are in agreement, please have Bill Demetrae sign below and fax a copy of this letter to me at your earliest convenience, but no later than August 16, 1996. Thanks.

Yours truly.

H. Richard Bowles

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Vice President

William Demetree, President Demetree Industries, Inc.

cc: B. Sterling (CRU)