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1 BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

2 DOCKET NO. 960576-WS

3 MAD HATTER UTILITY, INC.

4 APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF

5 WATER AND WASTEWATER CERTIFICATE

6 NOS. 340-W AND 297-S IN PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA

7 PRE-FILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF JOHN GALLAGHER

8 Q. Please state your name and address.

9 A. My name is John Gallagher and my address is

10 7530 Little Road, New Port Richey, Florida 34654.

11 Q. What is your position?

12 A. I am the County Administrator for Pasco

13 County.

14 Q. Are you familiar with the County's agreement

15 with Mad Hatter Utility, Inc., dated February 11, 1992, to

16 provide wastewater treatment service?

17 A. Yes.

18 Q. Does that agreement contain any limits on the

ACK \_\_\_\_\_  
AFA ~~19~~ amount of wastewater the County will accept?

APP \_\_\_\_\_  
CAF 20 A. Yes. Under the terms of the agreement, the

CMU \_\_\_\_\_  
CTR \_\_\_\_\_  
EAG 21 County only has to accept 350,000 gallons per day (GPD)

LEG \_\_\_\_\_  
LIN 323 unless, in the County's discretion, we have available

OPC \_\_\_\_\_  
RCH \_\_\_\_\_  
SEC 25 capacity to treat additional sewage from Mad Hatter.

WAS \_\_\_\_\_  
OTH \_\_\_\_\_  
Q. Are there any limitations in the contract on

the area for which Mad Hatter may send sewage

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to the County  
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1 for treatment?

2 A. Yes. There is a service area specifically  
3 referred to in the agreement. A copy of the map for the  
4 service area is attached as an exhibit to the contract.  
5 Under the terms of the contract, the County need not provide  
6 any wastewater treatment service to customers outside that  
7 service area.

8 Q. Has Mad Hatter ever requested the County  
9 increase the 350,000 GPD cap in the 1992 agreement?

10 A. No.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy hereof has been served upon Roseanne Capeless, Florida Public Service Commission, 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0863, and F. Marshall Deterding, Rose Sundstrum & Bentley, 2548 Blairstone Pines Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, this 17 day of March, 1997.

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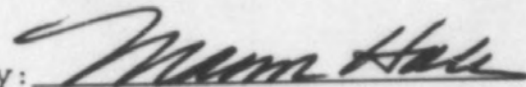
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