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Subject: **NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A TRANSFER OF MAJORITY ORGANIZATIONAL CONTROL PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 367.071(1) FLORIDA STATUTES**

Dear Sir:

On August 20, 1999, an Agreement was signed by our grandparent corporation, United Water Resources, Inc., under which Lyonnaise American Holding, Inc., a Delaware corporation, will acquire the remaining shares of United Water Resources, Inc. that it does not own. Lyonnaise American Holding, Inc. currently holds 30% of United Water Resource Inc.'s common and 96% of its preference shares, and has held a substantial indirect interest in United Water Florida since 1982. Lyonnaise American Holding, Inc. is wholly-owned by the French firm of Suez Lyonnaise des Eaux, one of the largest water/wastewater utilities in the world. United Water Florida, Inc. will continue its operation under its current name, and there will be no direct impact on the rates, service, operations or management of United Water Florida as a result of this transaction. However, it will enhance the resources available to United Water Florida, Inc. to meet the ever growing water and wastewater needs of Florida, especially in the areas of research and development. This transaction is, of course, subject to stockholder and regulatory approvals.

United Water Florida, Inc. provides water and/or wastewater services to over 54,700 customers in Duval, Nassau and St. Johns Counties. A map of our territory is on the reverse side of this Notice. For a more detailed territory description by Section, Township and Range, or if you have any questions about this transaction, you may contact me at the address listed above.

As part of the review process, United Water Florida, Inc.'s application for approval of the proposed merger will be presented to the Florida Public Service Commission. The Commission's rules provide that any objections to the application must be in writing and filed with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, no later than 30 days after the last date that this notice is mailed or published, whichever is later.

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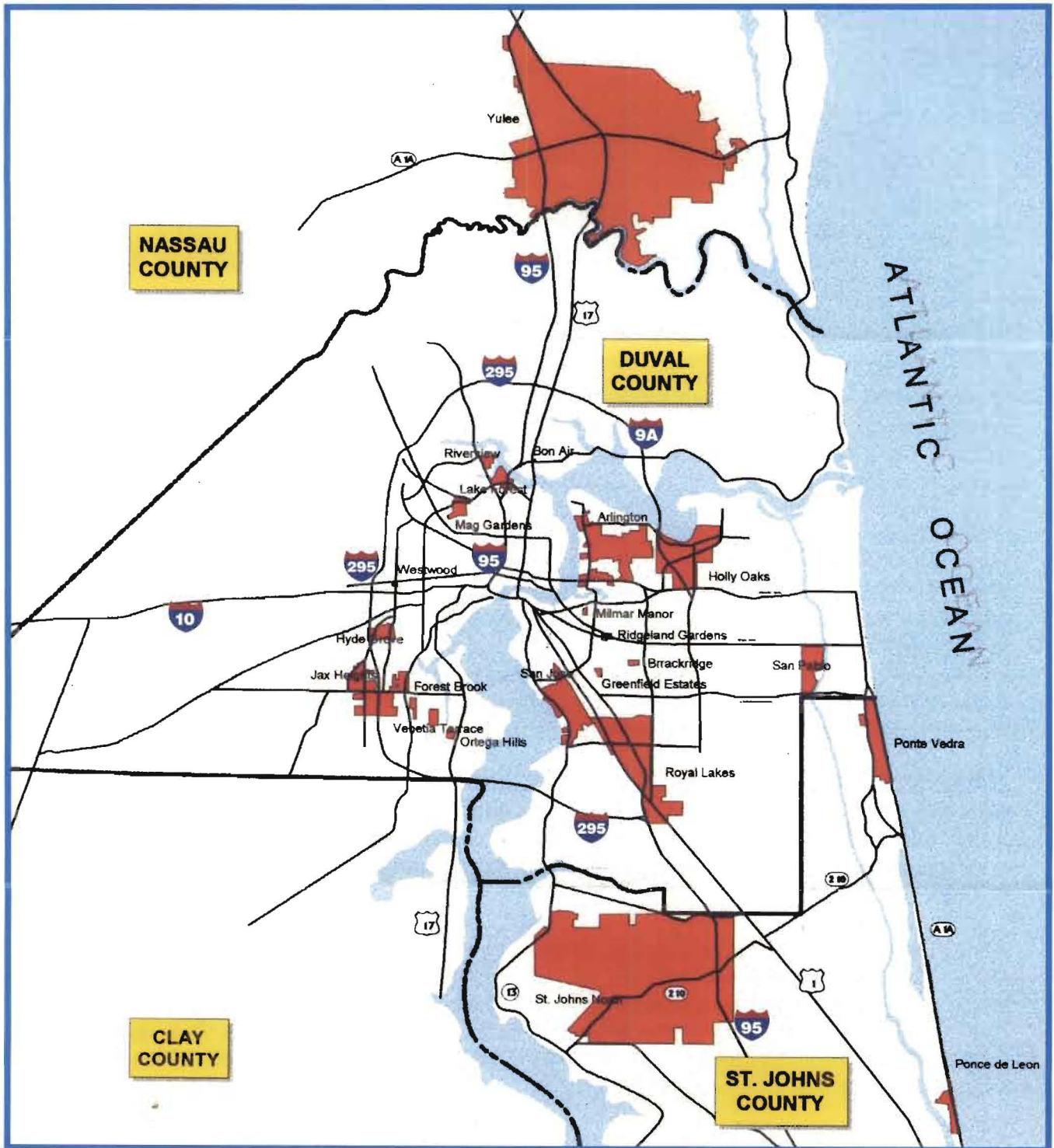
Sincerely,

Harry R. Mosley
United Water Florida, Inc.

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