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TO: DIVISION OF THE COMMISSION CLERK AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

FROM: OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL (CROSBY) *Moet*

RE: DOCKET NO. 001551-WS - APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF CERTIFICATES NOS. 544-W AND 474-S IN HIGHLANDS COUNTY FROM HIGHLANDS RIDGE ASSOCIATES, INC. TO HIGHLANDS RIDGE UTILITIES, INC.

Order No. PSC-01-1917-PAA-WS, issued in this Docket on September 24, 2001, approved the transfer and required the utility to file proof of ownership of the land upon which its facilities are located. On October 24, 2001, Highlands Ridge Utilities, Inc. requested an extension of time in which to provide proof of ownership. On December 6, 2001, this Commission granted the utility's request for an extension by Order No. PSC-01-2347-PCO-WS. That Order also authorized the closing of the docket upon receipt of proof of ownership, and verification by the Commission Staff that it met the requirements set out in the Orders.

On January 17, 2002, Highlands Ridge Utilities, Inc. filed a copy of a recorded warranty deed as proof that it owns the land upon which its facilities are located. The deed meets the requirements set forth in Orders Nos. PSC-01-1917-PAA-WS and PSC-02-2347-PCO-WS. Therefore, Docket No. 001551-WS may be closed.

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cc: Division of Economic Regulation (Johnson)

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