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REPLY TO ALTAMONTE SPRINGS

September 25, 2002

Ms. Blanca Bayo
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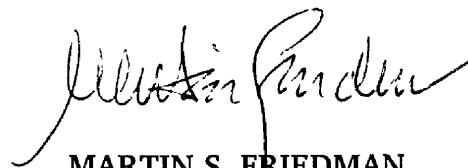
Re: Docket No. 020990-WS; Highlands Ridge Utilities, LLC's Application for
Amendment to Certificates of Authorization
Our File No.: 35078.04

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing are the original and five (5) copies of the Affidavit of Notice to Property Owners, Exhibit "J" to Highlands Ridge Utilities, LLC's Application for Amendment to Certificates of Authorization.

Should you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Very truly yours,



MARTIN S. FRIEDMAN
For the Firm

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. John Wise

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

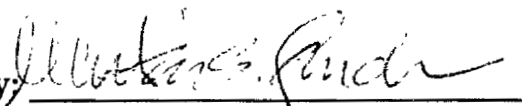
IN RE: Application of HIGHLANDS)
RIDGE UTILITIES, LLC, for extension of) DOCKET NO. 020990-WS
water and wastewater service in)
Highlands County, Florida.)
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NOTICE OF FILING

Applicant, HIGHLANDS RIDGE UTILITIES, LLC, hereby notices the filing of the Affidavit of Notice to Property Owners , Exhibit "J" to its Application for Amendment to Certificates of Authorization, in the above-referenced docket.

Respectfully submitted on this
25th day of September, 2002, by:

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COUNTY OF Highlands

Before me, the undersigned authority, authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared Howard Bateman, who, after being duly sworn on oath, did depose on oath and say that he/she is the supervisor of Highlands Ridge Utilities, LLC and that on September 19, 2002, 2002, he/she did send by regular U.S. mail, a copy of the notice attached hereto to each of the property owners in the proposed territory.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.



Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19 day of September, 2002, by HOWARD BATEMAN, who is personally known to me or has produced DRIVERS LICENSE as identification.



Suzanne Lamarche
Print Name
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