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April 25, 2003

Mr. Ray Eubanks Bureau of State Planning Division of Resource Planning and Management Department of Community Affairs 2550 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-2100

Re: Docket No. 030294-WU; Application for amendment of Certificate No. 419-W to add territory in Marion County by Residential Water Systems, Inc.

Dear Mr. Eubanks:

Attached is a copy of the application of Residential Water Systems, Inc. for an amendment of territory in Marion County. Pursuant to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Community Affairs (DCA) and the Public Service Commission (PSC), the DCA has agreed to provide input on need for service and comprehensive plan consistency on applications for amendments or original certificates filed with the PSC.

The filing of Residential is the seventy-fourth filing to receive this treatment. The staff requests that a response be received by May 26, 2003.

Please note that the response should be addressed to the Division of Commission Clerk and AdministrativeServices, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-0865, with the docket number highlighted for reference by the Commission.

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The staff of the Commission is looking forward to receiving the additional input from the DCA regarding the application. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact Tom Walden at 850-413-6950.

Sincerely,

Patti Daniel

Certification Supervisor

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cc: Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services w/o enclosure

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