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Re: Docket Nos. 040951-WS and 040952-WS

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket on behalf of Aqua Utilities Florida, Inc. ("Aqua") are the original and fifteen copies of Aqua's Notice of Withdrawal of Amended Protest of Proposed Agency Action Order and Petition for Formal Administrative Hearing.

Please acknowledge receipt of these documents by stamping the extra copy of this letter "filed" and returning the copy to me.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing.

Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Joint application for approval of sale) of Florida Water Services Corporation's) land, facilities, and certificates in Brevard,) Highlands, Lake, Orange, Pasco, Polk,) Putnam, a portion of Seminole, Volusia,) and Washington Counties to Aqua Utilities) Florida, Inc.)

Docket No. 040951-WS

In re: Joint application for approval of sale) of Florida Water Services Corporation's) land, facilities, and certificates for Chuluota) systems in Seminole County to Aqua) Utilities Florida, Inc.)

Docket No. 040952-WS Filed: February 17, 2006

AQUA UTILITIES FLORIDA, INC.'S NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF AMENDED PROTEST OF PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION ORDER AND PETITION FOR FORMAL ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING

Aqua Utilities Florida, Inc., by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby files

this Notice of Withdrawal of its Amended Protest of Proposed Agency Action Order and

Petition for Administrative Hearing filed with the Commission on January 13, 2006.

Respectfully submitted this 17th day of February, 2006.

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