

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for approval of transfer of
Certificate Nos. 490-W and 425-S from East Marion
Sanitary Systems, Inc. to East Marion Utilities, LLC
in Marion County

Docket No. 150091-WS

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**MICHAEL SMALLRIDGE'S
REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

Michael Smallridge ("Smallridge"), by and through his undersigned counsel, files this Request for Confidential Classification in relation to his Response to #7 of Staff's Request for Additional Information dated June 30, 2015 which was e-filed on August 4, 2015 (no document number has been assigned).

1. Pursuant to 367.156, Florida Statutes, this Commission has the authority to classify certain material as proprietary confidential business information. This classification exempts the material from public disclosure under Section 119.07(1), Florida Statutes.

2. Smallridge requests that his Schedule C to his Personal Financial Statement be classified as proprietary confidential business information under Section 367.156, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code (the "Confidential Information"). If this request is granted, then Schedule C to the Personal Financial Statement will be exempt from Section 119.07(1), Florida Statutes. Attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is a Justification Matrix providing a justification for Smallridge's request. The information is attached hereto both in highlighted and redacted format.

3. The Schedule C to the Personal Financial Statement is intended to be and is treated by Smallridge as private and confidential and has not been disclosed externally and has been strictly controlled internally. This Schedule has previously been held to be confidential in Order No. PSC-15-0242-CFO-WU date June 9, 2015.

4. The information consists of Schedule C to the Personal Financial Statement of the owner of East Marion Utilities, LLC ("Utility"). This information should be classified as proprietary

confidential business information because it is the personal financial information of the owner unrelated to his compensation from the Utility, and disclosure would impair the owner's competitive interests as he moves to acquire other systems in the future.

5. Requiring the disclosure of the owner's person financial information would violate Smallridge's right to privacy under Article I, Section 23 of the Florida Constitution.

WHEREFORE, Michael Smallridge requests confidential treatment of the referenced documents and the entry of the protective order that is consistent with this Motion.

Respectfully submitted this 4th day of August,
2015, by:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Request for Confidential Classification has been sent by U.S. Mail to the PSC Clerk and redacted copies furnished by E-Mail to the following parties this 4th day of August, 2015:

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JUSTIFICATION MATRIX

Location (Document name and location of information)	Justification
<p><u>Personal Financial Statement</u></p> <p>Schedule C</p>	<p>The requested financial information of the owner is not related to any ratemaking function with regard to the Utility.</p> <p>§367.156(3)(e) Disclosure of the compensation data would impair the owner's competitive interests he may acquire other utilities in the future.</p> <p>The financial information relates to the owner in his ownership capacity, and is not information of the Utility.</p> <p>Article I, Section 23 of the Florida Constitution. Disclosure of the information would invade the privacy rights of the owner.</p>

SCHEDULE C- UNLISTED SECURITIES.

# OF SHARES	DESCRIPTION	SOURCE OF VALUE	Net Value	% OF COMPANY C Pledged	All debts	Gross Value
0	FLORIDA UTILITY SERVICES 1, LLC	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	100	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
0	WEST LAKELAND WASTEWATER, INC			100		
0	HOLIDAY GARDENS UTILITIES, LLC			100		
0	CRESTRIDGE UTILITIES,LLC			100		
0	PINECREST UTILITIES, LLC			100		
0	EAST MARION UTILITIES, LLC			100		
0	CHARLIE CREEK UTILITIES, LLC			100		
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