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DATE:

August 25, 2015

TO:

Carlotta S. Stauffer, Commission Clerk, Office of Commission Clerk

FROM:

Lee Smith, Public Utility Analyst I, Division of Accounting & Finance

RE:

Docket No. 150137-SU - Petition for approval to defer legal costs by West

Lakeland Wastewater, Inc.

Please add the following letter to the above-referenced docket file.

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DIVISION OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE ANDREW L. MAUREY DIRECTOR (850) 413-6900

Public Service Commission

July 27, 2015

STAFF'S FIRST DATA REQUEST

Mike Smallridge 3336 Grand Blvd., Suite 102 Holiday, FL 34690

Re: Docket No. 150137-SU - Petition for approval to defer legal costs by West Lakeland Wastewater, Inc.

Dear Mr. Smallridge:

By this letter, the Commission staff requests that West Lakeland Wastewater, Inc. provide responses to the following data requests which specifically relate to invoice numbers 14803, 14754, and 14862 that were attached to your letter dated April 23, 2015. The invoices you provided did not include details such as billing rate and hours worked relating to each activity on the invoice. Therefore, we are requesting the following information.

- 1. For each individual person providing legal services to the Utility, provide the billing rate, and an itemized description of work performed. Please provide detailed hours worked and the billing rate associated with each activity.
- 2. What is the status of the lawsuit?
- 3. Please state whether any of these invoiced amounts were expensed on West Lakeland's 2013 and 2014 Annual Reports. In your response, please include O&M expense account name(s) and number(s) the Utility recorded them in, if applicable.

Please provide the requested information to Commission staff by no later than 30 days. If you have any questions, please contact me at (850) 413-7003.

Sincerely,

Lee Smith

Public Utility Analyst

LS/CM:sc

cc: Bart Fletcher