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Ms. Carlotta Stauffer, Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 110260-WS

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

Attached for official filing is Useppa Island Utilities Co., Inc. Request for Extended Confidential Classification regarding certain information submitted by Useppa Island Utilities Co., Inc in connection with Commission Staff's audits in the above-referenced docket (ACN 11-266-4-1). Also attached is Useppa's request for Extended Confidential Classification in Microsoft Word format.

Sincerely,

**Timothy Fitzsimmons** 

President

Attachments

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE:

DOCKET No: 110260-WS

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## REQUEST FOR EXTENDED CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

USEPPA ISLAND UTILITIES CO., INC. pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby files a request that the Florida Public Service Commission enter an order granting extended confidential classification produced in connection with a review of Useppa Island Utilities Co., Inc. expenditures (ACN 11-266-4-1). As grounds for this request, Useppa states:

- On February 7th, 2012 Useppa filed a request for confidential classification of certain information produced in connection with the Review. (Document No. 110260-WS)
- 2. On February 26th, 2012, the Commission entered Order No. PSC-14-0113-CFO-WS granting Useppa's request for confidential classification.
- 3. As provided in section 366.093(4), Florida Statutes and by the Commission's Order, the confidential information will be made public after a period of 18 months unless Useppa or another affected party shows, and the Commission finds, that the confidential documents continue to contain proprietary confidential business information. The 18 month extension expires September 1st, 2015.
- 4. Useppa hereby request that the Commission enter an order extending the confidential classification of the information identified.

5. Useppa contends that the information, identified more specifically At Exhibit A of its Request is highly sensitive and relates to 1) its affiliated parent company's financial position, debt structure, operating results and 2) the compensation of the Utility's employees. Useppa asserts that disclosure of the information would impair its competitive interests or the competitive interest of its parent company. Thus, Useppa asserts that the information is proprietary business information pursuant to Sections 367.156 (3)(b),(d) and (e), Florida Statutes.