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Ms. A. Shonta Dunston
Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
4326 Mail Service Center
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Via electronic filing only

RE: Joint Case Status Report (Docket No. W-1300, Sub 77, and No. W-1305, Sub 35)

Dear Ms. Dunston,

Please find enclosed for filing in the above-captioned dockets the Joint Case Status Report by the Parties to this proceeding.

Should you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

/s/ Patrick Buffkin

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Enclosures

Cc: Mr. Dan Higgins, Counsel for Pluris Hampstead, LLC; Mr. David Drooz, Counsel for Old North State Water Company

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**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. W-1305, SUB 35

DOCKET NO. W-1300, SUB 77

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of

WLI Investments, LLC,)	
)	
Complainant)	JOINT CASE STATUS REPORT
)	
v.)	
)	
Pluris Hampstead, LLC, and Old North State)	
Water Company, LLC,)	
)	
Respondents.)	

NOW COME WLI Investments, LLC, (“WLI Investments”), Pluris Hampstead, LLC (“Pluris”), and Old North State Water Company, LLC (“ONSWC”) (collectively, the Parties”), by and through the undersigned counsel and file this Joint Case Status Report in compliance with Ordering Paragraph No. 4 of the Commission’s *Order Granting Motion to Continue Hearing and Making Additional Procedural Modifications*, which was issued in this proceeding on December 5, 2022. The Parties state the following as their Joint Case Status Report:

1. The Parties have reached agreement to settle this matter.
2. Among the agreements reached between the Parties is that WLI Investments, the Complainant herein, will request that the Commission hold in abeyance further proceedings upon the Complaint in these dockets. Upon completion of certain reviews and approvals as agreed upon between the Parties, WLI Investments will file a Notice of Dismissal with prejudice in the above-captioned dockets. In addition,

contemporaneous with the filing of the Notice of Dismissal, WLI Investments will request that the Commission approve the pending Application for Transfer of Public Utility Franchises and for Approval of Rates in Docket Nos. W-1300, Sub 69, and W-1305, Sub 29. The Parties believe that no further action by the Commission, except as appropriate in response to these filings, is required or necessary at this time.

WHEREFORE, the Parties respectfully requests that the Commission accept this Joint Case Status Report in compliance with Ordering Paragraph No. 4 of the Commission's *Order Granting Motion to Continue Hearing and Making Additional Procedural Modifications*, which was issued in this proceeding on December 5, 2022.

Respectfully submitted this 2nd day of January, 2022.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, Patrick Buffkin, certifies that a copy of the foregoing Joint Case Status Report has been served upon counsel for the Respondents herein by electronic mail this the 2nd day of January, 2022.

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