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December 2, 2015

Ms. Gail L. Mount, Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
4325 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4325

Via Electronic Filing

Re: **Carolina Water Service, Inc. of North Carolina
Docket No. W-354, Sub 344
Commission-Requested Late-Filed Exhibit (Zemosa Acres)**

Dear Ms. Mount:

Please accept for electronic filing on behalf of Carolina Water Service, Inc. of North Carolina ("CWSNC" or "Company") the attached late-filed exhibit requested by the Commission at the evidentiary hearing conducted in Docket No. W-354, Sub 344 on Tuesday, October 20, 2015. This late-filed exhibit consists of a letter from the City of Concord regarding the rates charged to CWSNC for purchased water supplied to customers in the Company's Zemosa Acres service area.

The Commission also requested that CWSNC contact Charlotte Water (Riverpointe service area) and the City of Winston-Salem (Yorktown service area) regarding purchased water rates charged to the Company by those suppliers. CWSNC has contacted both Charlotte Water and the City of Winston-Salem as requested, but has not, to date, received a response from either supplier. Once received, the Company will file responses from these suppliers.

CWSNC hereby requests that the Commission enter an Order admitting the attached late-filed exhibit from the City of Concord in evidence in this proceeding.

As always, thank you and your staff for your assistance; please feel free to contact me if there are any questions or suggestions.

Sincerely,

Electronically Submitted

/s/ Jo Anne Sanford

State Bar No. 6831

Attorney for Carolina Water Service,
Inc. of North Carolina

c: Parties of Record



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Zemosa Acres
purchased water

November 10, 2015



Carolina Water Service, Inc. of North Carolina
Attn: Mr. Martin Lashua, Vice President of Operations
PO Box 240908
Charlotte, NC 28224

Re: Bulk Water Purchase

Dear Mr. Lashua,

Per your request, I have reviewed your rate structure for Zemosa Acres. Currently, you are classified as "Commercial Inside (the City limits)" rate which is a flat \$5.41/1000 gallons. This is the same rate at which other similar entities such as your company within the City limits are charged.

By way of comparison, the "Residential Inside" rate consists of an increasing block rate as shown below:

\$5.36/1000 gallons (0-6000 gallons)
\$6.97/1000 gallons (6001-8999 gallons)
\$8.58/1000 gallons (9000+ gallons)

Thus, you are receiving the best available rate structure.

Thank you for your inquiry and feel free to call upon me if I can be of assistance to you in the future.

Sincerely,

Lloyd Wm. Payne, Jr., ICMA-CM
Assistant City Manager

Cc: Mr. Brian Hiatt, Concord City Manager
Ms. Christie Putnam, Concord Water Resources Director

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this the 2nd day of December, 2015, a copy of the foregoing **Commission-Requested Late-Filed Exhibit (Zemosa Acres)** has been duly served upon all parties of record by electronic service.

**Electronically Submitted
/s/Jo Anne Sanford**

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