

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION  
DOCKET NO: W-1297, Sub 14**

<b>MRT -1, LLC,</b>	)	
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<b>Complainant,</b>	)	
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<b>v.</b>	)	<b>JOINT STATUS REPORT</b>
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<b>HARKERS ISLAND SEWER COMPANY,</b>	)	
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<b>Respondent.</b>	)	

**STATUS REPORT**

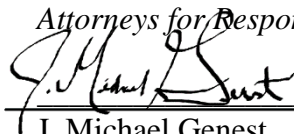
COMES NOW Respondent Harkers Island Sewer Company (“HISCO”), joined by Complainant MRT-1, LLC, and respectfully shows the Commission as follows:

1. Since filing its November 4 Status Report to the Commission, HISCO has completed the steps necessary to secure funding for the remainder of the new plant project contemplated by the agreements and representations previously submitted to the Commission.
2. While the funding of the proposed plant above and beyond the 28,800 gallon per day capacity sought by the Complainant in this matter is not squarely within the scope of the above captioned matter, the ability of HISCO to complete the entire construction has been a point of concern raised by Complainant.
3. Since the last Status Report, HISCO has disclosed to Complainant and the Utility Commission its intended method of securing the required funds, and had extensive conversations with both to ensure that all are in agreement and prepared to move forward.
4. Based on representations from all involved that most, if not all, outstanding questions have been resolved, Counsel for Complainant and Respondent are in the process of circulating a final settlement agreement intended to fully resolve and dispose of this matter, and anticipate that such an agreement will be finalized well before the next status report deadline.

Respectfully submitted this, the 8th day of December, 2022.

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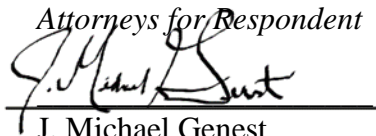
This is to certify that on December 8, 2022, the foregoing **Status Report** was served by electronic mail to the following counsel of record:

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