STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA	)	
	)	**BEFORE THE**
(Caption of Case)	)	**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**
Application of Goat Island Water &	)	**OF SOUTH CAROLINA**
Sewer Co., Inc. for an Increase	)	
in its Rates and Charges for the	)	**COVER SHEET**
provision of Water and Sewer Services	)	
and Approval of Management Agreement	)	
	)	**DOCKET**
	)	**NUMBER: 2008 - 142 - W/S**
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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING
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RE:
- Rate Case Application of Goat Island Water & Sewer Co., Inc.
- Docket No. 2008-142-W/S
- **Statement in Support of Motion to Waive Contemporaneous Filing**

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Counsel for Goat Island Water & Sewer Co., Inc. (hereinafter, "Goat Island") provides the following Statement in support of Goat Island's Motion to Waive Contemporaneous Filing. Also, Counsel acknowledges the receipt of the April 8, 2008, correspondence of Jeffrey M Nelson, Esquire, as counsel for the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff (hereinafter, "ORS").

In addition to the ground set forth in the Motion, Counsel would like to submit that:

1. Goat Island's Application contains all proposed Water and Sewer Rates and all necessary information for the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, (hereinafter the, "Commission") to provide notice to the public; and

2. Accordingly, the incomplete documentation will not prevent this Commission from moving forward in the processing of Goat Island's Application; and

3. Counsel stated in Goat Island's Motion, and reaffirms here, that the Applicant is working diligently to provide complete documentation, but is hampered in the near

term by Goat Island's CPA being involved in the current income tax filing period, which ends April 15, 2008, or one week from today's date; and

4. With the end of the tax filing season, one week from this writing, Counsel anticipates that the remaining documentation will be available in the near future; and

5. Counsel assures this Commission that if the remaining documentation is not provided in the near future, he will withdraw Goat Island's Application, without prejudice.

CONCLUSION

Based on the foregoing, no Party would be prejudiced by the granting of Goat Island's Motion to Waive Contemporaneous Filing and the judicial economy of this Commission will be served in that the processing of the Application may proceed. Furthermore, the dismissal of Goat Island's Application and the re-filing thereof would cause an unnecessary and expensive burden on Applicant.

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