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Via E-Mail & First Class Mail

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Re:

I/M/O the Application of Middlesex Water Company for Authority to Borrow up to \$55.0 Million and to Issue Evidences of Indebtedness Pursuant to the New Jersey Water Infrastructure Bank Financing Program BPU Docket No.: WF18030256

Dear Secretary Camacho-Welch:

The Division of Rate Counsel (the "Division") is in receipt of the above captioned matter. After careful review of the Petition together with documents submitted by the Petitioner in support of its application and review of Staff Discovery OE-1 through OE-11 along with responses from the Petitioner, the Division does not object to the approval of this matter.

Please contact the Division of Rate Counsel if we can be of further assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

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