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Via Email & First Class Mail

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Re:

I/M/O the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities' Consideration of the

Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 - BPU Docket No. AX18010001 I/M/O the Petition of Environmental Disposal Corporation With Calculation of Rates under the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017

BPU Docket No. WR18030235

Dear Mr. Megdal:

Enclosed please find the Division of Rate Counsel's discovery requests RCR-EDC-POL-4 through 6 in connection with the above referenced matter.

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 1:1-10.4, please respond to the discovery requests and submit copies of the documents requested herein within fifteen (15) days or submit a schedule of reasonable compliance within fifteen (15) days from receipt of this letter.

Please note that all discovery requests are of a continuing nature and should be updated or corrected, if necessary, over the course of the proceeding as soon as the information becomes available. Also, provide a designation on each response identifying the witness sponsoring the answer. Please provide the responses on three-hole punched paper.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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In the Matter of the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities' Consideration of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 (Environmental Disposal Corporation)

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Division of Rate Counsel Discovery Requests OF PUBLIC UTILITIES April 30, 2018 TRENTON, NJ

- RCR-EDC-POL-4. With regard to Environmental Disposal Corporation's ("EDC") response to RCR-EDC-A-7, please provide the following information:
 - a. Verify whether the expense items related to the FAS 109 amounts were previously include in the expenses of EDC (retail/distribution)?
 - b. If yes, did EDC also re-measure the FAS 109 amounts?
 - c. If EDC did not re-measure the FAS 109 amounts that were previously included in the expenses of the retail/distribution rates, please provide a detailed explanation as to why EDC did not remeasure them, so that they could be flowed-back to the retail customers.
- RCR-EDC-POL-5. With regard to EDC's response to RCR-EDC-A-8, please provide the following information:
 - a. Is it EDC's opinion that the current books and records, including the Power Plant/PowerTax (Tax Depreciation module) which has not been enabled to-date, have the appropriate vintage detail to perform the ARAM calculation, if the PowerTax Software functionality is enabled?
 - b. Please explain EDC's basis that it would take until 1st Quarter 2019 to verify that EDC has the ability to utilize ARAM as stated in the response.
- RCR-EDC-POL-6. With regard to EDC's response to RCR-EDC-POL-1, please provide a detailed list of the items that EDC has grouped together in each of the following:
 - a. Code A1 Advances & Contributions;
 - b. Code A7 Other;
 - c. Code L1 Utility plant, primarily depreciation; and
 - d. Code L5 Other.
 - e. Verify whether there are any other Codes which pertain to ADIT or deferred income taxes? If yes, please provide details, including EDC's basis to not include them in the re-measurement calculation.