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Re: In the Matter of the Petition of New Jersey-American Water Company Inc.
For Approval of Increased Tariff Rates and Charges for Water and Wastewater
Service, Changes in Depreciation Rates and Other Tariff Modifications
BPU Docket No. WR17090985

Dear Mr. Megdal:

Enclosed please find the Division of Rate Counsel's corrected response to NJAWC-RJH-46.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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NJAWC-RJH-46. Provide the basis, including all supporting documents, for Robert Henkes' testimony at 50:1-3 that most of the activities of NJAWC's Manager of Government and Regulatory Affairs "fall into the category of promotional and lobbying activities." What percentage of this employee's time is spent in each?

Response: The information relied upon by Mr. Henkes for the referenced NJAWC Government and Regulatory employee activities was provided by the Company in its response to RCR-A-88, Attachment 2. This response did not include information regarding the percentage of the employee's time spent on promotional and lobbying activities. However, the response to RCR-A-88 Attachment 2 states that the Primary Role of the employee is to:

"Improve business climate for the Company through positive interactions with legislators and regulators and external opinion formers. Influence at state level to promote initiatives that support Company and other stakeholder goals and objectives."

The response to RCR-A-88, Attachment 2 provides additional supporting bases. These are described in Mr. Henkes' testimony, pages 49 – 50.