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**Via Electronic Mail Only**

Honorable Aida Camacho Welch  
New Jersey Board of Public Utilities  
44 South Clinton Avenue  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0350

RE: In the Matter of the Application of Middlesex Water Company For Authority to Borrow up to \$57.0 Million and to Issue Evidences of Indebtedness Pursuant to the New Jersey Water Infrastructure Bank Financing Program.  
BPU Docket No.: WR18020185

Dear Secretary Camacho Welch:

On December 14, 2021, Middlesex Water Company ("Middlesex") submitted a letter to apprise the Board of a new development with respect to the loan approved by the Board in its April 25, 2018 Order ("Order") in the above-referenced docket. In its Order, the Board in Ordering Paragraph Number 6 stated that "The authority granted in this Order shall become null and void and of no effect with respect to any portion which is not exercised on or before December 31, 2021." Id. Based on the new development and for the reasons provided in the letter, Middlesex is requesting an extension of the December 31, 2021 end date in Ordering Paragraph Number 6 to a new date of June 30, 2022.

Rate Counsel has reviewed the letter requesting an extension of the December 31, 2021 end date to a new date of June 30, 2022 and is not opposed to the request.

Respectfully Submitted,

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