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Secretary Janet Hand Deixler
Public Service Commission
3 Empire State Plaza
Albany, New York 12223

Dear Secretary Deixler:

The enclosed Escrow Statement No. 1 issued by H.V. Water Company, Inc., is being transmitted electronically for filing with the Public Service Commission of the State of New York.

Escrow Statement No. 1 for Schedule
P.S.C. No. 3 - Water

Effective January 1, 2002

Publication

H.V. Water Company, Inc., requests waiver of newspaper publication of the proposed changes since it plans to individually notify its customers of the proposed changes.

Very Truly Yours,

William Miele, Jr.
H.V. Water Company, Inc.