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Ms. Kimberley A. Campbell, Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4325

Via Electronic Delivery

Re: Application for Authority to Increase Rates for Water and Sewer

Utility Service in North Carolina Service Territory for Carolina

Water Service, Inc. of North Carolina

Docket No. W-354, Sub 384

Dear Ms. Campbell:

Pursuant to Rule R1-17(a) of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, please be advised that Carolina Water Service, Inc. of North Carolina ("CWSNC") hereby provides notice thirty (30) days in advance of its intention to file an application for a general rate case.

As always, thank you and your staff for your assistance and please feel free to contact me if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

Electronically Submitted /s/Jo Anne Sanford State Bar No. 6831 Attorney for CWSNC

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