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RE: Consent Decree (Case: No. 1:12-cv-24400-FAM),

Reference DOJ Case No. 90-5-1-1-4022/1,

Section IX - Paragraph 52 - Delay,

Section XVII, Paragraph 77– Notices, Notification of Completion for Consent Decree Appendix D-2, Capital Improvement Project 2.1 Electrical Improvements at the CDWWTP

## Dear Sir or Madam:

The purpose of this notification letter is to inform the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) that Consent Decree (CD) Capital Improvement Project (CIP) 2.1 Electrical Improvements at the Central District Wastewater Treatment Plant (CDWWTP) was completed on November 17, 2021. On August 24, 2023 Miami Dade County presented the project timeline and challenges associated with the completion date of the project to EPA and FDEP.

The CD project description for CD 2.1 Electrical Improvements, per CD Appendix D, is the rehabilitation and replacement of electrical controls and wiring as needed. Multiple electrical substation facilities throughout the wastewater treatment plant required improvements, therefore the project was divided into seven (7) child projects. The table below outlines the name, a short description of, and the substantial completion date for each child project.



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Child Project	Description	Substantial Completion Date
CD 2.1 (1)	Substations 1 & 2	May 5, 2016
CD 2.1 (2)	Substations 3, 4A, 4B, 5 & 6 (Tracked under CD 2.27)	September 28, 2021
CD 2.1 (3)	Substations 9 &10 (Included in CD 2.10/2.8)	October 30, 2020
CD 2.1 (4)	Substations 11 & 12 (Included in CD 2.11)	July 1, 2021
CD 2.1 (5)	Substations 15 & 16 (Included in CD2.15(1))	September 23, 2021
CD 2.1 (6)	Substations 17 & 18 (Included in CD2.19 (2a))	October 4, 2019
CD 2.1 (7)	Substations 7A, 8A, 9A & 10A	November 17, 2021

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering such information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at (786) 552-8894.

Sincerely,

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