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Ms. Luly Massaro, Clerk RI Public Utilities Commission 89 Jefferson Blvd. Warwick, RI 02888

RE: Providence Water Supply Board – Docket No. 4618

Dear Ms. Massaro:

Please find enclosed herewith an original and nine (9) copies of the Kent County Water Authority's Objection to Providence Water Supply Board's untimely of any Compliance Filings in the within matter. An electronic copy has been provided to the service list. Should you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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MBS/mdc Enclosure

Cc: Docket 4618 Service List (via electronic mail)

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS PUBLIC UTILTIES COMMISSION

IN RE:

Providence Water Supply Board

Docket No. 4618

KENT COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY'S OBJECTION TO PROVIDENCE WATER SUPPLY BOARD'S COMPLIANCE FILINGS

Kent County Water Authority ("KCWA") hereby objects to any untimely submittal of Providence Water Supply Board's ("PWSB") Compliance Filings to this tribunal. In the instant matter, at the February 10, 2017 Opening Meeting, the Public Utilities Commission ("PUC") ordered PWSB to submit its compliance filings no later than February 14, 2017. Pursuant to Rule 1.6 of the RI Public Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the date established in the PUC's order shall be the last day of the period so computed, which in this case is February 14, 2017.

KCWA submits that the purpose for establishing the compliance filings submittal date was to allow all parties adequate time to review and analyze them prior to the Open Meeting scheduled for 11:00 AM on February 16, 2017. Without the opportunity to properly analyze any compliance filings, KCWA as well as all other Parties are precluded from having adequate time to formulate and submit any responsive filings with the PUC prior to the February 16, 2017, Opening Meeting. As a result, KCWA is prejudiced from forming any position on the untimely Compliance Filings which will directly affect it wholesale rate.

For these reasons, KCWA respectfully objects to any untimely Compliance Filings by PWSB and further moves the PUC to grant its objection and any further relief that may be deemed appropriate.

Dated: February 15, 2017

Respectfully submitted, Kent County Water Authority By its attorney

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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 15th day of February, 2017, I sent a copy of the within to all Parties listed on the attached service list.

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