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LETTER OF EXEMPTION NO. 231

January 6, 2017

Utah Department of Corrections
Attn.: Dave Dillman, Horrocks Engineers
2162 W. Grove Parkway, Ste. 400
Pleasant Grove, UT 84062

Dear Mr. Dillman,

The Public Service Commission of Utah (PSC) has reviewed your January 6, 2017 email, in which you request a letter exempting a correctional facility owned and operated by the State of Utah from regulations applicable to water corporations.

You have made the following representations:

1. Salt Lake City will provide wholesale water to the site of the correctional facility.
2. Once water is delivered into secure areas of the site, an internal water system will be managed by Department of Corrections staff, including certified operators.
3. The Department of Corrections will not sell water to consumers or bill consumers for water service.

Utah Code Ann. § 54-2-1(35) exempts from PSC jurisdiction water corporations that are determined to be "governmental units created or organized under any general or special law of this state." The PSC finds that a state-owned correctional facility meets this exemption.

Please be advised that this Letter of Exemption No. 231 is granted pursuant to the representations contained in your January 6, 2017 email. The Department of Corrections has a continuing obligation to update the Commission within 30 days of any change in those representations.

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This Letter of Exemption No. 231 is revocable for cause at any time. Please refer to this letter number in any future correspondence with either the PSC or the Utah Division of Public Utilities.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg

PSC Secretary

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cc: Bill Duncan, Telecommunications/Water Manager, Division of Public Utilities

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