Wanship Water Company, LLC
Exhibit 2.9
General Rate Case Increase
Return on Investment

| Description | Amount | Reference |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Rate Base | $\$ 7,529.01$ | [From Exhibit 2.8] |
| Rate of Return on Investment | $10 \%$ |  |
| Return On Investment (Line 1 X Line 2): | $\$ 752.90$ | [To Exhibits 2.3 \& 2.4] |

## Comments:

A utility is entitled to an opportunity to earn a reasonable return on its investment in plant and equipment. This return amount is considered profit and, like other things in rates, recovery is not guaranteed. A utilitie's allowed rate of return is calculated as a percentate of its rate base.

