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Mr. Richard Lanyon Executive Director OFFICE

Re: Authority to Settle the Workers' Compensation Claim of James Kelley v. MWRDGC, File No. 0200003697, in the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission in the Sum of \$9,669.48. Account No. 901-30000-601090

## Dear Sir:

James Kelley is a retired Machinist Leadman. He was located at the Stickney Water Reclamation Plant. On September 6, 2007, he cut his left middle finger while using a grinding wheel. He went to the Excel Occupational Health Clinic and had metal shrapnel removed followed by 13 stitches to the left middle finger. He completed a therapy program. He lost no time from work. Mr. Kelley has permanent swelling and loss of range of motion in the finger.

Subject to the approval of the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission, this pro se claim can be settled for the sum of \$9,669.48 which represents a 40% loss of the left third finger.

The General Counsel requests payment of that sum be approved and he be authorized to execute such documents as may be necessary to effect the settlement.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick M. Feldman

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Approved:

Richard Lanyon

**Executive Director** 

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