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Mr. David St. Pierre Executive Director O F F I C E

Re: Settlement of the Workers' Compensation Claim of Stephen Scannell vs. MWRDGC, IWCC Case No. 10 WC 08165, Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission, in the sum of \$2,858.30. Account 901-30000-601090.

Dear Sir:

Stephen Scannell is an Electrical Mechanic at the Stickney Water Reclamation Plant who sustained an injury to his left knee on July 14, 2008, while moving a large projector from an elevated site. Initially, he sought treatment with his treating doctor on July 15, 2008, where he was diagnosed with a left knee strain. The employee then sought treatment with an orthopedic specialist who recommended an MRI of the left knee. The MRI revealed a ligament strain of the left knee involving posterior and lateral structures. He was able to return to regular work on August 4, 2008. He received 2-4/5th weeks of temporary total disability benefits.

The employee is represented by legal counsel. Subject to the approval of the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission, this case can be settled for \$2,858.30, which represents 2% loss of use of the left leg.

The General Counsel believes this is an equitable settlement to conclude this matter and 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,

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David St. Pierre Executive Director