

Consolidated Water Co. Ltd. Reports Effects of Hurricane Dean on Cayman Island Operations

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Consolidated Water Co. Ltd. (Nasdaq: CWCO) today reported on Hurricane Dean's impact on its facilities and operations.

"Our initial assessment following the passing of Hurricane Dean yesterday indicates that our facilities and distribution system on Grand Cayman experienced minimal damage from the storm," commented Rick McTaggart, Chief Executive Officer of Consolidated Water Co. Ltd. "In preparation for the hurricane, we ceased plant operations and the distribution of water to our customers on Sunday, August 19 at 9:00 p.m. Cayman time. We resumed piping water from our reservoirs to our customers yesterday, shortly after 11 a.m. Cayman time. While we have yet to survey the entire island, it appears that the major properties in our retail service areas of Seven Mile Beach and West Bay were also not seriously affected by the storm."

"We are continuing to carefully monitor the progress of Hurricane Dean as our Belize operation remains in its possible future path. However, we believe the Company maintains adequate property damage insurance for our Belize subsidiary. Revenues from our Belize operations were approximately \$785,000 for the six months ended June 30, 2007," concluded Mr. McTaggart.

Consolidated Water Co. Ltd. develops and operates seawater desalination plants and water distribution systems in areas of the world where naturally occurring supplies of potable water are scarce or nonexistent. The Company operates water production and/or distribution facilities in the Cayman Islands, Belize, the British Virgin Islands and The Commonwealth of the Bahamas. The Company is currently constructing a seawater desalination plant in Bermuda.

The ordinary (common) shares of Consolidated Water Co. Ltd. are traded on the NASDAQ Global Select Market under the symbol "CWCO". Additional information on the Company is available on its website at http://www.cwco.com.

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