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<u>VIA HAND DELIVERY</u>

Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0800

Re: Docket No. 020413-SU - Initiation of Show Cause Proceedings against Aloha Utilities, Inc. for failure to charge approved service availability charges in violation of Order PSC-01-0326-FOF-SU and Section 367.091, F.S.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Attached please find the original and fifteen copies of Aloha Utilities, Inc.'s Request for Oral Argument on Aloha's Response to Show Cause Order to be filed in the above-styled docket. Also attached is a copy to be stamped and returned to our office.

Should you have questions or need any additional information, please contact me.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Attorney for Aloha Utilities, Inc.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Initiation of show cause proceedings)	
against Aloha Utilities, Inc. in Pasco County)	
for failure to charge approved service)	DOCKET NO. 020413-SU
availability charges, in violation of Order)	
No. PSC-01-0326-FOF-SU and Section)	
367.091, Florida Statutes.)	
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REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT ON ALOHA'S RESPONSE TO SHOW CAUSE ORDER

Aloha Utilities, Inc. (Aloha), through its undersigned counsel, pursuant to Rules 25-22.058 and 28-106.204, Florida Administrative Code, requests that the Florida Public Service Commission permit oral argument on ALOHA UTILITIES, INC.'S RESPONSE TO SHOW CAUSE ORDER NO. PSC-02-1250-SC-SU (Order 02-1250), issued on September 11, 2002, and as grounds therefore, state:

- 1. Order 02-1250 ordered Aloha to show cause in writing within 21 days of the date of the order why it should not be fined \$10,000 for its apparent violations of § 367.091, F.S., i.e., failure to file a revised service availability tariff and proposed customer notice regarding its service availability charge increase in May, 2001 in violation of Commission Order PSC-01-0326-FOF-SU. [Order 02-1250 at 16-7, 20-1.]
- 2. This case appears to be the first time that the Commission has dealt with a show cause order in which the utility under collected service availability charges. For this reason, and the associated issues of backbilling and full CIAC imputation which have also been ordered by the Commission in Order 02-1250, oral argument would assist the Commission in reaching a just and reasonable decision in this matter.

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WHEREFORE, Aloha Utilities, Inc requests that this Commission grant its request for oral argument.

Respectfully submitted this 2d day of October, 2002 by:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been provided to the persons listed below by U.S. Mail or (*) Hand Delivery this ______ day of October, 2002.

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