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DATE: September 4, 1997
TO: Noreen S. Davis, Director of Legal Services
FROM: Ralph R. Jaeger, Senior Attorney, Legal Services *RJ*
RE: Off Schedule and Delayed Cases

Docket No. ~~960545~~-WS is an investigation into the quality of service provided by Aloha Utilities, Inc. With the holding of a formal hearing, Legal was designated as OPR. However, Water and Wastewater has now agreed that they should be OPR for the continuing investigation.

A recommendation was scheduled to be filed on August 28, 1997, and was almost completed. However, on about August 26, 1997, staff received a 65 page thesis which addressed the corrosion of copper in drinking water, which is the exact problem being experienced by Aloha. Therefore, on the morning of August 28, 1997, staff decided to postpone filing its recommendation.

Because of the confusion on who should be OPR and the question of how long a postponement would be required, a revised CASR was not filed until September 3, 1997. Water and Wastewater has now been designated as OPR, and staff plans to file its recommendation by no later than September 25, 1997.

cc: Division of Water and Wastewater (Crouch, McRoy, Moniz, Rendell, Starling)
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