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Re: Lake Utility Services, Inc. -- Docket No. 960444-WU

Dear Tim:

Consistent with the utility's prior waivers of various statutory time limits in this docket, and with the current schedule for consideration of its Offer of Settlement at the Commission's April 28, 1998 agenda conference, Lake Utility Services, Inc. hereby waives, until December 1, 1998:

(a) the eight-month deadline in Section 367.081(8) for Commission action following the utility's May 30, 1997 protest of the PAA order issued in this docket; and

(b) the twelve-month deadline in Section 367.081(6) for a final Commission decision following the July 9, 1996 official date of filing.

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In the event the utility's pending Offer of Settlement is approved by the Commission at the April 28, 1998 agenda conference, and that action is protested by any other party, the utility further waives the above deadlines until the date which is eight months after the date such protest is filed.

If you have any questions, please call.

Very truly yours,

Richard D. Melson

cc: Ms. Blanca Bayó (for docket file)
Mr. Willis
Mr. Kramer

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