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**Ms. Blanco S. Bayo, Director
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Re: **Utilities, Inc.**
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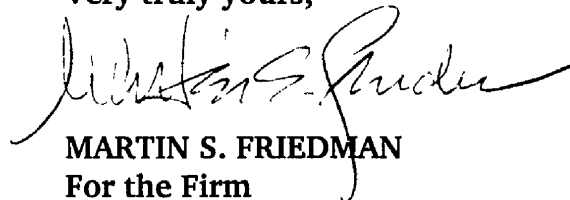
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Dear Ms. Bayo:

While Utilities, Inc. is not a "utility" regulated by the Florida Public Service Commission, it does have 15 wholly owned subsidiaries which are so regulated. Thus, this correspondence is being provided as a courtesy to advise the Commission that on March 21, 2001, Utilities, Inc. entered into a Merger Agreement with Nuon Acquisition Sub, Inc. (a wholly owned subsidiary of nuNuon, a Dutch public company) by which Nuon Acquisition Sub, Inc. will merge into Utilities, Inc. with Utilities, Inc. being the surviving corporation. This merger is anticipated to be completed by the first quarter of 2002. The officers and directors of Utilities, Inc. will remain unchanged after the merger, and none of the officers and directors of any of the wholly subsidiaries will be affected by the merger.

Should you or any of the staff members have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Very truly yours,


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