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STAFF'S TENTH DATA REQUEST VIA EMAIL

Re: Docket No. 20230083-WS - Application for Increase in Water and Wastewater Rates in Orange County by Pluris Wedgefield, LLC.

Dear Mr. Friedman:

The Commission staff requests that Pluris-Wedgefield, LLC (Pluris) provide responses to the following data request:

1. Please answer the following questions regarding the AC Replacement Project:
 - a. Please provide a copy of the requested scope of work given to the three companies contacted for bids for the Pro Forma AC replacement project.
 - i. Was the activity 'plug and abandon existing AC pipes in place' part of the scope of work for the three bids?
 - b. Refer to Tri-Sure Corporation's revised bid included in Pluris' response to Staff's Seventh Data Request, Question No. 1:
 - i. When was this bid provided to the Utility?
 - ii. Please explain why "plug and abandon existing AC pipes in place" was added to the bid.
 - iii. Was there a cost for "plug and abandon existing AC pipes in place" in the original bid submitted with the MFRs? If not, why not?
 - iv. Please explain why "Mobilization of equipment & personnel/General Conditions" increased from \$90,000 in bid filed with MFRs to \$631,738 in the revised bid included in Staff Seventh Data Request, a 602 percent increase in costs.

Mr. Martin S. Friedman

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Please file all responses no later than **Friday, February 16, 2024**, via the Commission's website at www.floridapsc.com, by selecting the Clerk's Office tab and Electronic Filing Web Form (reference Docket No. 20230083-WS). Please contact me by phone at (850) 413-6582 or by email gdavis@psc.state.fl.us, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Greg Davis

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Engineering Specialist

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cc: Office of Commission Clerk (Docket No. 20230083-WS)