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DATE: May 22, 1996

TO: All Parties of Record

FROM: Scott K. Edmonds, Attorney, Division Of Legal Services

RE: Pre-Prehearing Conference -- Docket No. 951056-WS - Application for rate

increase in Flagler County by Palm Coast Utilities Corporation

Please note that the pre-prehearing conference between Commission Staff and Palm Coast Utility Corporation (PCUC or utility), has been scheduled at the following time and place:

Wednesday, May 29, 1996, at 1:30 p.m. Room 362 Florida Public Service Commission Gerald L. Gunter Building 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida

The purpose of this meeting is to review and discuss the Staff's Preliminary List of Issues, which is attached to this memo, and other issues identified by the parties, discuss the possible consolidation of certain issues, discuss stipulations of issues, and address any pending matters that may be resolved before the Prehearing Conference.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (904) 413-6230.

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- ISSUE 33: What are the appropriate adjustments to the provision for income taxes, including the appropriate federal tax rate, the parent debt adjustment, the interest reconciliation adjustment, the ITC interest synchronization adjustment and adjustments for other NOI adjustments?
- <u>ISSUE 34</u>: What are the test year operating income amounts before any revenue increase?

REVENUE REQUIREMENT

ISSUE 35: What are the revenue requirements?

RATES AND RATE STRUCTURE

- ISSUE 36: What is the appropriate bulk water rate for PCUC?
- ISSUE 37: In light of Section 367.0817, Florida Statutes, should any revenue requirements associated with reuse be allocated to the water customers of PCUC?
- ISSUE 39: What are the appropriate water and wastewater service
 rates for PCUC?
- ISSUE 40: What are the appropriate amounts by which rates should be reduced four years after the established effective date to reflect the removal of the amortized rate case expense as required by Section 367.0816, Florida Statutes?
- ISSUE 41: In determining whether any portion of the interim increase granted should be refunded, how should the refund be calculated, and what is the amount of the refund?

OTHER OR MISCELLANEOUS ISSUES

ISSUE 42: What are the appropriate annual and monthly discounted rates, and the effective date for AFUDC?