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DATE: May 2, 2001
TO: Division of Records and Reporting (Baya)
FROM: Division of Legal Services (Jaeger) *RLJ*
RE: Docket No. 010518-WS - Notice of intent to increase water and wastewater rates in Pasco County, based upon application of provisions of Section 367.081(4)(a) & (b), F.S., by Aloha Utilities, Inc.

Please place the attached letter from Edward O. Wood dated April 23, 2001, in the above-referenced docket file.

Thank you.

cc: Representative Mike Fasano
F. Marshall Deterding, Esquire
Stephen Burgess, Esquire (OPC)
Division of Economic Regulation (Moniz)

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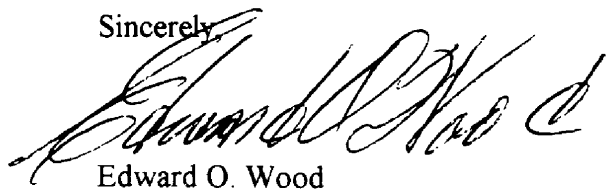
Beverlee De Mello, Director
Division of Consumer Affairs
Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.
Tallahassee, Fl. 32399-0850

Dear Ms. De Mello:

Reference: Docket # 010518 WS, Aloha Utilities Rate Case

I am a customer of Aloha Utilities in the Seven Springs area. Having read Aloha's request in Docket #1010518 WS, I believe that I am adversely effected the referenced Docket. I wish to become a party to this Docket. I believe that as a customer, who will be forced to pay higher rates, I have a right to tell the customer's side of the story. I also believe that any hearings held on this Docket should be in the New Port Richey Area. By holding the hearings in New Port Richey the commission can hear the customer thoughts and feelings about Aloha Utilities' quality of service and customer satisfaction. Granting any increase to Aloha without hearing the customers would be the equivalent of a "gag order"

Sincerely,



Edward O. Wood

representative Mike Fasano

