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RE: Docket No. 030102-WS

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed are an original and fifteen copies of a Motion to Reschedule the Hearing Date for filing in the above-referenced docket.

Please indicate receipt of filing by date-stamping the attached copy of this letter and returning it to this office. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Stephen C. Burgess
Deputy Public Counsel

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for authority
To transfer Certificate Nos. 620-W
And 533-S in Highlands County
From The Woodlands of Lake
Placid, L.P. to L. P. Utilities
Corporation.

Docket No. 030102-WS

Filed: April 22, 2004

MOTION TO RESCHEDULE THE HEARING DATE

The Citizens of the State of Florida, through their attorney, the Public Counsel, pursuant to Rule 28-106.204, Florida Administrative Code, hereby move to reschedule the hearing date in this docket to some time after October 1, 2004. As grounds, the Citizens submit:

1. Currently, the hearing in this docket is scheduled to be held on August 10 and 11, 2004.
2. The Public Counsel has met with Camp Florida Resort customers to discuss this issue on two recent occasions. At the first meeting, sixty people assembled at one resident's home. At the second meeting, seventy-five people gathered. A large number of customers expressed a strong desire to provide meaningful input on the issues before the Commission in this docket. Unfortunately, the vast majority of these customers do not live in Florida during the month of August.
3. Accordingly, the Citizens seek to postpone the hearing date to a time during which most of the customers would have an opportunity to attend. Most of the customers return to Florida by October. The Citizens therefore seek a hearing date in October, or later.
4. The Citizens do not believe a postponement would substantially harm or prejudice any party. In fact, this suggested delay would allow the utility to complete some of the

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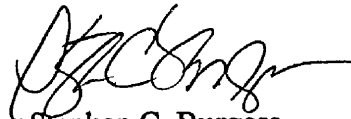
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regulatory obligations which are now in question. During all times affected by this motion, the Utility will continue to collect compensatory rates which were recently set by the Commission.

5. OPC has conferred with Mr. Friedman, who did not express support for this motion.

WHEREFORE, the Citizens respectfully move that the Public Service Commission reschedule the hearing in this docket for a date in October, 2004, or later.

Respectfully submitted,



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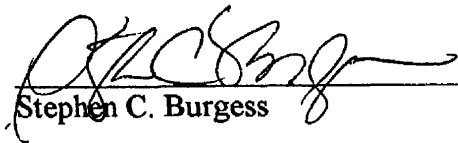
Attorneys for the Citizens of the
State of Florida

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
DOCKET NO. 030102-WS**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and exact copy of the above and foregoing Motion to Reschedule the Hearing Date has been furnished by hand delivery or U.S. Mail to the following parties of record this 22nd day of April, 2004.

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