FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

SEPTEMBER 7, 1999

RE: DOCKET NO. 990988-WS - Investigation into the retention of the certificated area of Mad Hatter Utility, Inc. located on Lake Thomas and School Road in Pasco County.

<u>Issue 1</u>: Should the Commission initiate proceedings to investigate service to territory authorized in Mad Hatter Utility, Inc.'s Certificates Nos. 297-S and 340-W, for possible deletion of a portion of the utility's certificated area?

<u>Recommendation</u>: Yes. The Commission should initiate a proceeding to investigate service to territory authorized in Mad Hatter Utility, Inc.'s Certificates Nos. 297-S and 340-W. The proceeding should be initiated by issuing legal notice of the investigation pursuant to Section 367.045(6), Florida Statutes.

DEFERRED

| COMMISSIONERS | ASSIGNED: | Full | Commission |
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COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

<u>**REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:**</u>

Staff to advise

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

<u>Recommendation</u>: No. If the Commission approves staff's recommendation in Issue 1, this docket should remain open in order to investigate whether a portion of Mad Hatter's certificated territory should be deleted.