BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Investigation of utility rates of Aloha Utilities, Inc.

in Pasco County.

DOCKET NO. 960545-WS

ORDER NO. PSC-00-0903-PCO-WS

ISSUED: May 8, 2000

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO EXTEND FILING DATE FOR POST-HEARING BRIEFS

On May 4, 2000, Aloha Utilities, Inc. (Aloha or utility), filed a Stipulated Motion to Extend Filing Date for Post-Hearing Briefs (Motion). In support of its Motion, the utility states that of its two counsel assigned to this docket, one will be out of state from May 6, 2000 through May 12, 2000. The other counsel is getting married on May 13, 2000, and will be on his honeymoon thereafter.

Aloha therefore requests all parties be given through May 19, 2000, to file their briefs. The other parties have stated that they do not object to this Motion. Wherefore, having considered the Motion, and finding there is just cause for an extension, the Motion is granted, and all parties shall file their briefs by the close of business (5:00 p.m.) on May 19, 2000.

It is therefore,

ORDERED by Commissioner Susan F. Clark, as Prehearing Officer, that the Stipulated Motion to Extend Filing Date for Post-Hearing Briefs is granted as set forth in the body of this Order.

By ORDER of Commissioner Susan F. Clark, as Prehearing Officer, this <u>8th</u> day of <u>May</u>, <u>2000</u>.

-SÚSAN F. CLARK

Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by a Prehearing Officer; (2) reconsideration within 15 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by the Commission; or (3) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.