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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: PETITION FOR ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE AGAINST SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC. IN BREVARD COUNTY FOR FAILURE TO PROPERLY OPRATE AND MANAGE WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEM. Docket No: 100318-WS Filed: January 11, 2011

AQUARINA UTILITY ASSOCIATION, INC.'S <u>REQUEST FOR DEFERRAL</u>

AQUARINA UTILITY ASSOCIATION, INC., ("Customers"), hereby requests that the Commission defer its consideration of the staff recommendation on the Customers' Motion for Reconsideration and Request for Oral Argument scheduled for decision at the January 11, 2011 Agenda Conference. In support of this request, Counsel for the Customers respectfully submits the following:

1. Counsel for the Customers was suddenly required to travel out of state to respond to an unanticipated family emergency;

2. Counsel was scheduled to return to Tallahassee in advance of the January 11, 2011 Agenda Conference, and fully expected to be present and ready to participate, if necessary;

3. Weather conditions have made it impossible for the Customers' Counsel to obtain a means of travel back to Tallahassee in time for the Agenda Conference;

4. The Customers are entitled to be present to hear their interests adjudicated; and

5. No other person is available in Tallahassee who is authorized to represent the Customers.

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00245 JANTE FPSC-COMMISSION OF THE WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, the Customers respectfully request the Commission to defer its decision on Agenda Item No. 4 pertaining to Docket No. 100318-WS to the next regularly scheduled Agenda Conference, or such other time convenient to the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

s/ Brian P. Armstrong

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was provided by

U.S. Mail this 2nd day of November, 2010, to:

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