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## STAFF'S FOURTH DATA REQUEST

via email

## Re: Docket No. 150269-WS - Application for limited proceeding water rate increase in Marion, Pasco, and Seminole Counties, by Utilities, Inc. of Florida.

Dear Mr. Friedman:

By this letter, the Commission staff requests that Utilities, Inc. of Florida (UI or utility) provide responses to the following data requests.

Secondary Standards					Test Values 2015			
	Allowe	Allowed Level			SummerTree Wells			
Contaminant	Value	Unit			#1	#2	#13-17	Max
Iron	0.3	mg/L		Iron	0.038	0.076	<mark>0.38</mark>	<mark>0.38</mark>
Color	15	Units		Color	17	18	13	18

Please refer to the Tables above. Table One represents the allowed levels of iron and color contaminants under DEP secondary standards. Table Two represents the 2015 test values for Iron and Color for each Summertree well.

- 1. Both Iron and Color were found to exceed DEP secondary standards in the 2015 testing of SummerTree wells. Has anything been done to bring these numbers into compliance? If not why?
- 2. Is the connection to Pasco County expected to decrease the Iron and Color levels in the water supply? Please explain your response.

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Please file all responses electronically no later than Monday, May 16, 2016 at the Commission's website at <u>www.floridapsc.com</u>, by selecting the Clerk's Office tab and Electronic Filing Web Form. Please feel free to call me at (850) 413-6212 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Martha F. Barrera

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cc: Office of Commission Clerk