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Public Service Commission

December 3, 2019

Martin S. Friedman Dean Mead Law Firm 420 S. Orange Ave., Suite 700 Orlando, FL 32801 mfriedman@deanmead.com VIA EMAIL & US MAIL

Re: Docket No. 20190199-WS - Application for quick-take amendment of Certificate Nos. 278-W and 225-S to add territory in Seminole County, by Utilities, Inc. of Florida.

Dear Mr. Friedman:

Florida Public Service Commission (Commission) staff has reviewed the application for quick-take amendment (application) submitted on behalf of Utilities, Inc. of Florida (Utility) on November 4, 2019. After reviewing this information we find the application to be deficient. The specific deficiencies are identified as:

1. Notice of Application. Rule 25-30.037(2)(b), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), requires that the applicant provide proof of noticing pursuant to Rule 25-30.030, F.A.C. Rule 25-30.030, F.A.C., requires that the notice of application be provided to the Office of Commission Clerk for Commission staff approval prior to distribution and that it contain certain specified information (paragraph 4), that the utility obtain a list of certain entities required to be noticed by the utility from Commission staff (paragraph 2), and that the utility provide affidavits of noticing as required by Sections 367.045(1)(e) and (2)(f), Florida Statutes (paragraph 6). Rule 25-30.037(3), F.A.C., requires noticing that must be titled in a specific manner, therefore the title of the draft notice provided to staff should be retitled "Notice of Application for Amendment to Certificate of Authorization To Extend Service Area" in accordance with Rule 25-30.030(3)(c), F.A.C. Once Commission staff approval of the notice(s) is obtained, please submit a request for the list of entities to receive notice from Commission staff in accordance with Rule 25-30.030(2), F.A.C. Finally, once notice has been issued in accordance with Rule 25-30.030(5), F.A.C., please submit affidavits of noticing in accordance with Rule 25-30.030(6), F.A.C.

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Your application will not be deemed filed until the deficiencies identified in this letter have been corrected. These corrections should be submitted no later than January 6, 2020, to the following address:

Office of Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Should you have any questions concerning the information in this letter, please feel free to contact Orlando Wooten by phone at (850) 413-6686 or email Owooten@psc.state.fl.us for technical questions, or Ms. Bianca Lherisson by phone at (850) 413-6630 or email BLheriss@psc.state.fl.us for legal questions. Please include the docket number on all submissions to the Commission Clerk.

Sincerely,

Orlando Wooten Engineering Specialist

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cc: Office of Commission Clerk (Docket No. 20190199-WS)