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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL
OF FLORIDA, FIRST DISTRICT

Case No. _____
PSC Docket No. 991437-WU

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REPORTING

Wedgefield Utilities, Inc.,
Applicant/Petitioner,

vs.

Florida Public Service Commission
and the Office of Public Counsel,
Respondents.

REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Petitioner, Wedgefield Utilities, Inc., requests oral argument. Although such requests are not generally favored by the Court, the Court's ruling on the Petition for Certiorari will have a broad impact on the finality of every administrative order entered regarding not just this petitioner and not just parties subject to the jurisdiction of the Florida Public Service Commission, it will have a significant impact on the degree to which every party, and every non-party for that matter, may rely upon the finality of administrative orders in all Judicial Circuits within the First District.

Therefore, Petitioner requests that the Court hear oral argument on the broad impact of the decision it will render in this proceeding.

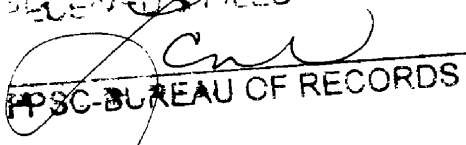
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