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SEPTEMBER 1, 1998

RE: DOCKET NO. 971596-WS - Petition for limited proceeding regarding other postretirement employee benefits and petition for variance from or waiver of Rule 25-14.012, F.A.C., by United Water Florida Inc. (Deferred from the 8/18/98 Conference)

Issue 1: Should the utility's Petitions for Limited Proceeding regarding OPEBs and for Variance from or Waiver of Rule 25-14.012, Florida Administrative Code, be approved?

Recommendation: No. UWF's Petitions for Limited Proceeding regarding OPEBs and for Variance from or Waiver of Rule 25-14.012, Florida Administrative Code, should be denied.

APPROVED

EMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

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<u>Issue 2</u>: Should this docket be closed?

<u>Recommendation</u>: Yes. This docket should be closed if no person whose interests are substantially affected by the proposed action files a protest within the 21-day protest period.

APPROVED