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1 BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION 2 3 In the Matter of: DOCKET NO. 130149-WU 4 APPLICATION FOR GRANDFATHER CERTIFICATE TO OPERATE WATER 5 UTILITY IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY BY NHC UTILITIES, INC. 6 7 8 PROCEEDINGS: COMMISSION CONFERENCE AGENDA ITEM NO. 7 9 COMMISSIONERS PARTICIPATING: CHAIRMAN RONALD A. BRISÉ 10 COMMISSIONER LISA POLAK EDGAR COMMISSIONER ART GRAHAM 11 COMMISSIONER EDUARDO E. BALBIS 12 COMMISSIONER JULIE I. BROWN 13 Wednesday, September 25, 2013 DATE: 14 Betty Easley Conference Center PLACE: Room 148 4075 Esplanade Way 15 Tallahassee, Florida 16 REPORTED BY: LINDA BOLES, CRR, RPR 17 Official FPSC Reporter (850) 413-6734 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

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CHAIRMAN BRISÉ: All right. Moving on to Item Number 7. Thank you.

MR. LEWIS: Good morning, Commissioners. I'm Clayton Lewis with Commission staff.

Item Number 7 is staff's recommendation for approval of the application for a grandfather certificate to operate a water utility in Charlotte County by NHC Utilities.

On February 12th, 2013, the Board of County Commissioners of Charlotte County passed and approved a resolution to transfer the regulation of privately owned for-profit water and wastewater utilities operating within the county to the Florida Public Service Commission.

On March 14th, 2013, the F -- excuse me -the Florida Public Service Commission issued Order Number 13-0127 acknowledging that resolution. Effective upon the adoption of the resolution all non-exempt water and wastewater systems in Charlotte County became subject to the revisions of Chapter 367, Florida Statutes, pursuant to 367.171(2), Florida Statutes. Staff recommends the issuance of Certificate 663-W to NHC Utilities, Incorporated.

Staff is prepared to answer any questions

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you may have. CHAIRMAN BRISÉ: Thank you. Are there any questions or comments on this item? (No response.) Okay. Thank you for your presentation. CHAIRMAN BRISÉ: At this time we're ready to entertain a motion for Items 5 through 10. **COMMISSIONER BALBIS:** Move staff. COMMISSIONER BROWN: Second. CHAIRMAN BRISÉ: Okay. It's been moved and seconded. Any further comments? Okay. Seeing none, all in favor, say aye. (Vote taken.) All right. Thank you. (Agenda item concluded.)

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1 STATE OF FLORIDA CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER 2 COUNTY OF LEON 3 4 I, LINDA BOLES, CRR, RPR, Official Commission Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing 5 proceeding was heard at the time and place herein stated. 6 IT IS FURTHER CERTIFIED that I stenographically 7 reported the said proceedings; that the same has been transcribed under my direct supervision; and that this 8 transcript constitutes a true transcription of my notes of said proceedings. 9 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am not a relative, 10 employee, attorney or counsel of any of the parties, nor am I a relative or employee of any of the parties' 11 attorney or counsel connected with the action, nor am I financially interested in the action. DATED THIS 27th day of September 2013.

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