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**DATE:** June 14, 2002  
**TO:** Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services  
**FROM:** Office of the General Counsel (Gervasi) *GS*  
**RE:** Docket No. 020253-SU - Petition by the Citizens of the State of Florida to initiate show cause proceedings against Hudson Utilities, Inc. for failure to provide wastewater service in its expanded service area in Pasco County within a reasonable time; and

Docket No. 020254-SU - Application for increase in service availability charges for wastewater customers in Pasco County by Hudson Utilities, Inc.

Please file the attached letter dated June 6, 2002, in the docket file for the above-referenced docket.

RG/dm

cc: Division of Economic Regulation (Clapp, Revell, Edwards, Fletcher)

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Re: Hudson Utilities, Inc.  
Docket No. 020254-SU

Ms. Gervasi:


William R. Hough & Co. is representing Hudson Utilities, Inc. in seeking financing for its extended service area.

We have been doing extensive feasibility work and have been interviewing potential lenders. In our opinion, this company needs a service availability charge in the amount of not less than \$2,400.00 per equivalent residential connection in order to successfully secure the financing necessary to provide this service.

We understand that this amount of service availability will represent approximately 75% of the cost of construction.

Respectfully submitted

WILLIAM R. HOUGH & CO.

  
William R. Hough  
Chairman *Emeritus*

WRH/scc

