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## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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IN RE: Petition by Customers of <b>ALOHA UTILITIES, INC.,</b> for deletion of portion of territory in Seven Springs Area in Pasco County, Florida.	)	Docket No. 020896-WS	CLERK
IN RE: Application for increase in water rates for Seven Springs System in Pasco County by <b>ALOHA UTILITIES, INC.</b>	) ) )	Docket No. 010503-WU	

## ALOHA UTILITIES, INC.'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Aloha Utilities, Inc. ("Aloha"), by and through undersigned counsel, hereby requests oral argument on the Motion for Termination of Proceedings as They Relate to Deletion of Territory. Oral argument on this Response would help clarify the issues, insure that the Prehearing Officer or the Commission Panel will be fully informed on the same, and allow the parties to further express their various concerns or comments. The Commission has acknowledged that this is a case of first impression. It is in the interest of the company, the Commission, the customers and the public at large that a proceeding such as this be conducted consistent with the Florida Administrative Procedure Act and that Aloha be

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afforded due process of law at all times herein.

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