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Carlotta S. Stauffer, Commission Clerk
Office of Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399

RE: Docket No. 160101-WS; Application for an increase in water and wastewater rates in Charlotte, Highlands, Lake, Lee, Marion, Orange, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, and Seminole Counties by Utilities, Inc. of Florida
Our File No. 30057.227

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

Enclosed is the Revised Justification Matrix in connection with the Request for Confidential Classification filed on January 19, 2017 (Document No. 00626-17).

Should you or Staff have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Martin S. Friedman

MARTIN S. FRIEDMAN
For the Firm

MSF/
Enclosure

cc: Hyma Vedula (via email)

**Exhibit “A”
REVISED
JUSTIFICATION MATRIX**

Location (Document name and location of information)	Justification
<p><u>Board of Directors Meeting Minutes: 2015</u></p> <p><u>Location:</u> 8, 8.1, 8.2, 8.3 and 8.4.</p>	<p>§367.156: This Commission has previously held that corporate minutes are protected as proprietary business information. See, for example, PSC Order Nos. PSC-08-0447-PCO-WS and PSC-03-0410-CFO-WS.</p>
<p><u>Consolidated Financial Statements: 2015</u></p> <p><u>Location:</u> 9-3: The amounts under columns headings 2014 and 2015 9-4: The amounts under columns headings 2014 and 2015 9-5: The amounts under columns headings Paid-in Capital, Retained Earnings & Total 9-6: The amounts under columns headings 2014 and 2015 9-10: The 1st paragraph under Income Taxes 9-12: Note 3, all text 9-13: Notes 4, & 5, The amounts under columns headings 2014 and 2015 9-14: All of Note 6 and the amounts under columns headings 2014 and 2015 9-15 & 9-16: All of Note 8 9-17: All of Notes 10, and 11. 9-17 & 9-18 Note 13, The amounts under columns headings 2014 and 2015, and the second and last paragraphs on 9-19 9-19, 9-20 & 9-21: Note 14, the last sentence of the first paragraph, and the amounts in the table</p>	<p>§367.156(3)(a),(b),(d) & (e): Disclosure of the financial statements of Utilities Inc., which is not a public company and is not subject to public disclosure of its financial statements would impair Utilities, Inc.’s competitive interests, could be used to discern trade secrets, or harm its ability to contract for goods and services on a favorable basis. Utilities, Inc. keeps this information strictly confidential also to prevent competitors and prospective counterparties from information which could be used in future negotiations to the disadvantage of Utilities, Inc. and its affiliates.</p>
<p><u>Account 2640.43 Correction:</u></p> <p><u>Location:</u> 10.18.1: The amounts in columns headings Amount, Debit & Credit 10.18.2: The amounts in columns headings Period Amounts</p>	<p>§367.156(3)(a),(b),(d) & (e): Disclosure of the financial statements of Utilities Inc., which is not a public company and is not subject to public disclosure of its financial statements would impair Utilities, Inc.’s competitive interests, could be used to discern trade secrets, or harm its ability to contract for goods and services on a favorable basis. Utilities, Inc. keeps this information strictly confidential also</p>

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<p><u>Audited Financial Statement Equity Balance</u></p> <p><u>Location:</u> 31-33: All amounts</p>	<p>§367.156(3)(a),(b),(d) & (e): Disclosure of the financial statements of Utilities Inc., which is not a public company and is not subject to public disclosure of its financial statements would impair Utilities, Inc.'s competitive interests, could be used to discern trade secrets, or harm its ability to contract for goods and services on a favorable basis. Utilities, Inc. keeps this information strictly confidential also to prevent competitors and prospective counterparties from information which could be used in future negotiations to the disadvantage of Utilities, Inc. and its affiliates.</p>