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Re: Lake Utility Services, Inc.  
Docket No. 960444-WU

Dear Mr. Vaccaro:

This is to confirm our telephone conversation of yesterday concerning the schedule for future activities in this docket.

Under the current CASR, the utility's rebuttal testimony is due on July 15, 1998. However, there is no current procedural order reflecting this date.

In order to permit continuation of the on-going settlement discussions between the utility and the Office of Public Counsel, we hereby request that the due date for the utility's rebuttal testimony be postponed until August 13, 1998. This postponement will not affect the prehearing or hearing schedule.

Mr. Shreve of the Office of Public Counsel has authorized me to represent that he joins in this request.

If you have any questions, please call.

Very truly yours,



Richard D. Melson

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