## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA ORLANDO DIVISION

## MICHELLE IRIZARRY; VALERIE WILLIAMS; JOANNE NIXON; JOANN ROBINSON; and BRANDON LITT,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Case No. 6:19-cv-268-Orl-37EJK

ORLANDO UTILITIES COMMISSION; LENNAR CORPORATION; U.S. HOME CORPORATION; AVALON PARK GROUP MANAGEMENT, INC.; BEAT KAHLI; and BORAL RESOURCES, LLC,

Defendants.

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## <u>ORDER</u>

Defendant Orlando Utilities Commission ("OUC") moves for partial judgment on

the pleadings based on sovereign immunity. (Docs. 89, 95.) Plaintiffs oppose. (Docs. 91,

99.) The Court solicits additional briefing on these questions:

(1) What immunity do municipal agencies enjoy under Florida common law

outside the context of a tort action?

(2) What is the source of that immunity, if any?

(3) What is OUC's claimed source of sovereign immunity?

(4) Since the Price Anderson Act ("PAA") applies substantive rules for decisions

of the state, what is the effect of the PAA on the resolution of the immunity issue here?

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that on or before Thursday, May 21, 2020, Defendant Orlando Utilities Commission is **DIRECTED** to file supplemental briefing not to exceed **ten (10) pages** consistent with the directives of this Order. Plaintiff must respond within **ten (10) days**, not to exceed **ten (10) pages**.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers in Orlando, Florida, on May 11, 2020.



ROY B. DALTON JR. United States District Judge

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