BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for acknowledgment of sale of Pottsburg Utilities, Inc. in Duval Co. to City of Jacksonville, and cancellation of Certificate No. 243-S.

DOCKET NO. 890182-SU

ORDER NO. 21142

ISSUED: 4-28-89

ORDER ACKNOWLEDGING SALE, CANCELLING CERTIFICATES AND CLOSING DOCKET

BY THE COMMISSION:

Pottsburg Utilities, Inc. (Pottsburg or Utility) has heretofore operated its water and sewer systems under the jurisdiction of the Florida Public Service Commission, providing service to certain territory in Duval County, Florida.

On January 31, 1989, the City of Jacksonville acquired Pottsburg. The Agreement for Purchase and Sale reflects a purchase price of \$10.00. In accordance with the contract, all existing customer deposits were transferred to the City of Jacksonville on the closing date. Commission requirements regarding regulatory assessment fees have been met, and there are no dockets pending involving this system.

The provisions of Section 367.071, Florida Statutes, require an application for approval of sales of water and/or sewer utilities to governmental agencies, although such sales are approved a a matter of right. Subsection 367.022(2), Florida Statutes, exempts from regulation by the Commission systems owned, operated, managed, or controlled by governmental agencies.

On the basis of the foregoing, we have determined that Certificate No. 243-S should be cancelled. It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the sale of Pottsburg Utilities, Inc., Post Office Box 4520, Jacksonville, Florida 32201, to the City of Jacksonville, City Hall, 220 East Bay Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32202, is hereby acknowledged. It is further

ORDERED that Certificate No. 243-S is hereby cancelled. The Utility is directed to return the Certificate to this Commission for cancellation within 20 days of the date of this Order. It is further

ORDERED that Docket No. 890182-SU is hereby closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 28th day of April , 1989 .

STEVE TRIBBLE, Diffector Division of Records and Reporting

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