BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Proposed rate reduction) DOCKET NO. 960878-WS to reflect a decrease in) ORDER NO. PSC-96-1552-FOF-WS purchased water and wastewater) ISSUED: December 20, 1996 outilities, by Pasco County.

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

SUSAN F. CLARK, Chairman
J. TERRY DEASON
JOE GARCIA
JULIA L. JOHNSON
DIANE K. KIESLING

ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

BY THE COMMISSION:

By Order No. PSC-96-1226-FOF-WS, issued September 27, 1996, we ordered Hudson Utilities, Inc., Forest Hills Utilities, Inc., Mad Hatter Utilities, Inc., Aloha Utilities, Inc., Deltona Utility Consultants d/b/a Southern States Utilities, Inc., and Betmar Utilities, Inc., to show cause in writing why their rates should not be decreased to reflect the reduction in purchased bulk water and/or wastewater costs to bulk water and/or wastewater customers in Pasco County. Hudson Utilities, Inc., Forest Hills Utilities, Inc., Mad Hatter Utilities, Inc., Aloha Utilities, Inc., and Deltona Utility Consultants d/b/a Southern States Utilities, Inc. have all responded in writing to the Order to Show Cause. Betmar Utilities, Inc. has voluntarily implemented the reduction in rates. Therefore, no further action with respect to Betmar Utilities, Inc. is necessary. For administrative ease of processing each utility's response, this docket shall be closed, and separate dockets shall be opened to address each utility's response individually.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Docket No. 960878-WS is hereby closed.

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By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 20th day of December, 1996.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director Division of Records and Reporting

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water and/or wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900 (a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.