

VOTE SHEET

MAY 29, 2001

RE: DOCKET NO. 010382-SU - Application for transfer of Certificate No. 515-S in Polk County from ABCA, Inc. to West Lakeland Utilities, Inc.

ISSUE 1: Should the transfer of Certificate No. 515-S from ABCA, Inc. to West Lakeland Utilities, Inc. be approved?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. The transfer should be approved. The territory being transferred is described in Attachment A of staff's May 17, 2001 memorandum. ABCA should be responsible for 2001 regulatory assessment fees up to the date of closing on the sales contract. West Lakeland should be responsible for annual reports and regulatory assessment fees from the date of closing forward. Within 30 days from the date of closing, West Lakeland should provide proof that it owns the land upon which the utility treatment facilities are located or a copy of an agreement which provides for the continued use of the land.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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ISSUE 2: What is the rate base of ABCA, Inc., at the time of the transfer?

RECOMMENDATION: Rate base for transfer purposes is \$31,392 as established by Order No. PSC-00-1163-PAA-SU as of June 30, 1999.

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ISSUE 3: Should an acquisition adjustment be approved?

RECOMMENDATION: No. An acquisition adjustment should not be included in the calculation of rate base for transfer purposes.

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ISSUE 4: Should the rates and charges approved for ABCA, Inc., be continued?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. The rates and charges approved for the utility should be continued until authorized to change by the Commission in a subsequent proceeding. The tariff reflecting the transfer should be effective for service rendered or connections made on or after the stamped approval date on the tariff sheets.

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ISSUE 5: Should this docket be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: No. If no timely protest is received to the proposed agency action issues, upon the expiration of the protest period a Consummating Order should be issued. The docket should remain open for receipt of proof that West Lakeland owns the land upon which the utility treatment facilities are located or a copy of an agreement which provides for the continued use of the land. Upon receipt and verification of such proof, the docket should be administratively closed.

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