

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Request for Staff-) DOCKET NO. 920767-WS
Assisted Rate Case by INDIAN) ORDER NO. PSC-93-1823A-FOF-WS
SPRINGS UTILITIES, INC. in) ISSUED: 01/25/94
Citrus County.)
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AMENDATORY ORDER

By Proposed Agency Action Order No. PSC-93-1823-FOF-WS, issued December 23, 1993, the Florida Public Service Commission (Commission) proposed increased rates and charges for Indian Springs Utilities, Inc. (Indian Springs or utility). In that same Order, the Commission found that the utility provided poor quality of service with respect to its water system. As a result, the Commission found it appropriate to require Indian Springs to obtain an alternative water source.

In addition, the utility was ordered to hold the approved water revenue increase in an independent escrow account until it obtained a contract for an alternative water source. However, Order No. PSC-93-1823-FOF-WS inadvertently reflected that the requirement of finding an alternative water source was proposed agency action. This was inadvertent in nature and in fact, the Commission at the November 23, 1993, Agenda Conference voted that this requirement would be final in nature. Therefore, the first paragraph on page 1 of Order No. PSC-93-1823-FOF-WS is amended to read as follows:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Florida Public Service Commission that the action discussed herein, except for the granting of temporary rates in the event of a protest and the utility's obtaining an alternative water source, is preliminary in nature and will become final unless a person whose interests are substantially affected files a petition for a formal proceeding, pursuant to Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code.

The fourth ordering paragraph on page 25 is amended as follows:

ORDERED that the provisions of this Order, except for the granting of temporary rates in the event of protest and the utility's obtaining an alternative water source, are issued as proposed agency action and shall become final and effective unless an appropriate petition, in the form provided by Rule 25-22.036, Florida Administrative Code, is received by the Director, Division of Records and

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Reporting, 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, by the close of business on the date set forth in the Notice of Further Proceedings or Judicial Review attached hereto. It is further

Further, the first line in the second paragraph on page 28 is amended to read as follows:

As identified in the body of this Order, our action, except for the granting of temporary rates in the event of a protest and the utility's obtaining an alternative water source, is preliminary in nature and will not become effective or final, except as provided by Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code.

Order No. PSC-93-1823-FOF-WS is affirmed in all other aspects.

Based on the foregoing, it is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Order No. PSC-93-1823-FOF-WS, is hereby amended as set forth above. It is further

ORDERED that Order No. PSC-93-1823-FOF-WS is hereby affirmed in all other respects.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 25th day of January, 1994.

STEVE TRIBBLE, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

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Chief, Bureau of Records