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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Environmental Cost Recovery Clause)
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Docket No. 970007-EI
Filed: January 27, 1997

FLORIDA INDUSTRIAL POWER USERS GROUP'S PREHEARING STATEMENT

The Florida Industrial Power Users Group (FIPUG), through its undersigned counsel, files its Prehearing Statement. FIPUG reserves the right to amend this prehearing statement.

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On behalf of the Florida Industrial Power Users Group.

B. WITNESSES:

None at this time.

C. EXHIBITS:

None at this time.

D. STATEMENT OF BASIC POSITION:

Florida Industrial Power Users Group's Statement of Basic Position:

None at this time.

E. STATEMENT OF ISSUES AND POSITIONS:

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Generic Environmental Cost Recovery Issues

1. **ISSUE:** What are the appropriate final environmental cost recovery true-up amounts for the period ending September 30, 1996?
FIPUG: FIPUG has no position at this time, but reserves the right to take a position on this issue by the date of the prehearing conference.
2. **ISSUE:** What are the estimated environmental cost recovery true-up amounts for the period October 1996 through March 1997?
FIPUG: FIPUG has no position at this time, but reserves the right to take a position on this issue by the date of the prehearing conference?
3. **ISSUE:** What are the total environmental cost recovery true-up amounts to be collected during the period April 1997 through September 1997?
FIPUG: FIPUG has no position at this time, but reserves the right to take a position on this issue by the date of the prehearing conference.
4. **ISSUE:** What are the appropriate projected environmental cost recovery amounts for the period April 1997 through October 1997?
FIPUG: FIPUG has no position at this time, but reserves the right to take a position on this issue by the date of the prehearing conference.
5. **ISSUE:** What should be the effective date of the new environmental cost recovery factors for billing purposes?
FIPUG: Agree with Staff.
6. **ISSUE:** What depreciation rates should be used to develop the depreciation expense included in the total environmental cost recovery true-up amounts to be collected during the period April 1997 through September 1997?
FIPUG: FIPUG has no position at this time, but reserves the right to take a position on this issue by the date of the prehearing conference.
7. **ISSUE:** How should the newly proposed environmental costs be allocated to the rate classes?
FIPUG: FIPUG has no position at this time, but reserves the right to take a position on this issue by the date of the prehearing conference.

8. **ISSUE:** What are the appropriate Environmental Cost Recovery Factors for the period April 1997 through September 1997 for each rate group?

FIPUG: FIPUG has no position at this time, but reserves the right to take a position on this issue by the date of the prehearing conference.

Company-Specific Environmental Cost Recovery Issues

Tampa Electric Company

9A. **ISSUE:** Should the Commission approve Tampa Electric Company's request for recovery of costs of the Gannon Station Coalfield Diesel Tank Upgrade through the Environmental Cost Recovery Clause?

FIPUG: FIPUG has no position at this time, but reserves the right to take a position on this issue by the date of the prehearing conference.

9B. **ISSUE:** Should the Commission approve Tampa Electric Company's request to recover the cost of the Gannon Station Ignition Oil Tank Upgrade through the Environmental Cost Recovery Clause?

FIPUG: FIPUG has no position at this time, but reserves the right to take a position on this issue by the date of the prehearing conference.

F. **STIPULATED ISSUES:**

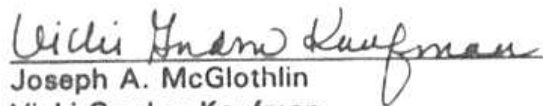
None at this time.

G. **PENDING MOTIONS:**

FIPUG has no pending motions.

H. OTHER MATTERS:

None at this time.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the **Florida Industrial Power Users Group's Prehearing Statement** has been furnished by hand delivery (*) or by U.S. Mail to the following parties of record this **27th** day of **January, 1997**:

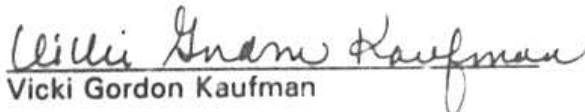
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