

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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IN RE: PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO RULE 25-6.0185,
F.A.C., ELECTRIC UTILITY PROCEDURES FOR
LONG-TERM ENERGY EMERGENCIES

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT

TO

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS,
INCLUDING ALL INVESTOR-OWNED, MUNICIPAL, AND
RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ELECTRIC UTILITIES

ISSUED: August 28, 1997

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 120.54, Florida Statutes, that the Florida Public Service Commission staff has initiated the development of Rule 25-6.0185, Florida Administrative Code, to amend the rule.

The attached Notice of Proposed Rule Development will appear in the September 12, 1997, edition of the Florida Administrative Weekly. If timely requested and not deemed unnecessary by the Commission, a rule development workshop will be held at the following time and place:

Florida Public Service Commission
10:00 a.m., Thursday, November 20, 1997
Betty Easley Conference Center
Room 171, 4075 Esplanade Way
Tallahassee, Florida

The workshop request must be submitted in writing and received by Mary Anne Helton, Division of Appeals, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, no later than October 3, 1997.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this workshop because of a physical impairment should call the Division of Records and Reporting at (850) 413-6770 at least five calendar days prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Florida Public Service Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at: 1-800-955-8771 (TDD).

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By Direction of the Florida Public Service Commission, this
28th day of August, 1997.

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RULE TITLE:

RULE NO.:

Electric Utility Procedures for
Long-Term Energy Emergencies

25-6.0185

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Rule 25-6.0185, F.A.C., should be amended to remove all references to Section 377.703, F.S. In addition, the rule should be amended to clearly state that all electric utilities, including rural electric cooperatives and municipals, that own or control generating facilities within Florida must file the required information under this rule. The rule should also be amended to update filing dates and requirements in order to ensure that the most recent version of each utility's fuel shortage plan is on file with the Commission. Finally, the rule must be reviewed to determine whether it is still appropriate for the Commission to refer to and adopt the long-term emergency plan of the Florida Electric Power Coordinating Group.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The Commission's requirements concerning each Florida electric utility's long-term energy emergency plan for fuel shortages.

SPECIFIC AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 366.05(1), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.04(5), 366.05(7), F.S.

IF REQUESTED AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE TIME, DATE, AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

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TIME AND DATE: 10:00 a.m., Thursday, November 20, 1997

PLACE: Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Room 171, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850.

THE WORKSHOP REQUEST MUST BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE TO MARY ANNE HELTON, DIVISION OF APPEALS, 2540 SHUMARD OAK BOULEVARD, TALLAHASSEE, FL 32399-0850.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS: Connie Kummer, Division of Electric and Gas, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, Florida.

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THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS: None available at this time.