

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF HEARING AND PREHEARING

TO

ALL INVESTOR-OWNED ELECTRIC AND GAS UTILITIES

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 980001-EI - FUEL AND PURCHASED POWER COST
RECOVERY CLAUSE AND GENERATING PERFORMANCE INCENTIVE
FACTOR.

DOCKET NO. 980007-EI - ENVIRONMENTAL COST RECOVERY
CLAUSE

ISSUED: July 14, 1998

NOTICE is hereby given that the Florida Public Service Commission will hold a public hearing in the above docket at the following time and place:

9:30 a.m., Wednesday, August 26, 1998
4075 Esplanade Way
Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center
Tallahassee, Florida

Thursday, August 27, 1998 and Friday, August 28, 1998, have also been reserved for continuation of the hearing if needed. The starting time of the next day's session will be announced at the conclusion of the prior day. The hearing may be adjourned early if all testimony is concluded.

PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE

The purpose of this hearing shall be to receive testimony and exhibits relative to the following issues and subjects:

1. Determination of the Projected Levelized Fuel Adjustment Factors for all investor-owned utilities for the period October, 1998, through December, 1998;

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2. Determination of the Estimated Fuel Adjustment True-Up Amounts for all investor-owned electric utilities for the period April, 1998, through September, 1998;
3. Determination of the Final Fuel Adjustment True-Up Amounts for all investor-owned electric utilities for the period October, 1997, through March, 1998, which are to be based on actual data for that period;
4. Determination of the Projected Environmental Cost Recovery Factors for the period October, 1998, through December, 1998.
5. Determination of the Estimated Environmental Cost Recovery True-Up Amounts for the period October, 1997, through September, 1998, for Florida Power & Light Company and Gulf Power Company, and for the period April, 1998, through September, 1998, for Tampa Electric Company.
6. Determination of the Final Environmental Cost Recovery True-Up Amounts for the period October, 1996, through September 1997, for Florida Power & Light Company and Gulf Power Company, and for the period October, 1997, through March, 1998, for Tampa Electric Company, which are to be based on actual data for that period.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this hearing 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).

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

The following is a tentative schedule of matters to be considered and the utilities involved:

1. Fuel Adjustment
Florida Public Utilities Company
Florida Power & Light Company
Florida Power Corporation
Tampa Electric Company
Gulf Power Company

2. Capacity Cost Recovery
Florida Power & Light Company
Florida Power Corporation
Tampa Electric Company
Gulf Power Company

3. Environmental Cost Recovery
Florida Power & Light Company
Gulf Power Company
Tampa Electric Company

ORDER OF PRESENTATION

The order of presentation of witnesses shall be set forth in the prehearing order which will be issued in each of these dockets.

PREFILED TESTIMONY

Testimony, exhibits and data relative to the issues above shall be prefiled as set forth in the Order Establishing Procedure issued in each docket.

PREHEARING CONFERENCE

A prehearing conference will be conducted at the following time and place:

1:30 p.m., Monday, August 17, 1998
4075 Esplanade Way
Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center
Tallahassee, Florida

The purpose of this prehearing conference will be to consider: (1) the simplification of the issues; (2) the identification of the positions of the parties on the issues; (3) the possibility of obtaining admissions of fact and of documents which will avoid unnecessary proof; (4) the identification of the exhibits; (5) the establishment of an order of witnesses; and (6) such other matters as may aid in the disposition of the action.

PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

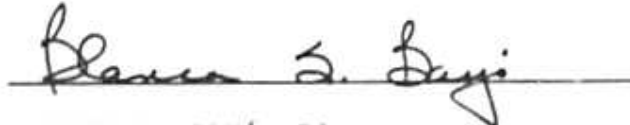
All parties will be given an opportunity to be heard. These proceedings will be governed by the provisions of Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, as well as Chapters 25-6, 25-7, and 25-22, Florida Administrative Code.

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JURISDICTION

Jurisdiction over this matter is vested in the Commission by Chapter 366, Florida Statutes. This proceeding will be governed by the provisions of Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, as well as Chapters 25-6 and 25-22, Florida Administrative Code.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 14th day of July, 1998.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Blanca S. Bayó", is written over a horizontal line.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

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