

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In re: Adoption of Numeric  
Conservation Goals and  
Consideration of National Energy  
Policy Act Standards (Section  
111) by Florida Public Utilities  
Company.

DOCKET NO. 990721-EG

FILED: JANUARY 10, 2000

STAFF'S PREHEARING STATEMENT

Pursuant to Order No. PSC-PSC-99-2134-PCO-EG, issued October 28, 1999, the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission files its Prehearing Statement.

a. All Known Witnesses

Staff has no witnesses at this time.

b. All Known Exhibits

Staff has no exhibits at this time.

c. Staff's Statement of Basic Position

Staff's positions are preliminary and based on materials filed by the parties and on discovery. The preliminary positions are offered to assist the parties in preparing for the hearing. Staff's final positions will be based upon all the evidence in the record and may differ from the preliminary positions stated herein.

d. Staff's Position on the Issues

Issue 1: Is the planning process and data used by Florida Public Utilities Company (FPUC) in evaluating demand-side measures reasonable?

Position: No position at this time.

Issue 2: Do FPUC's proposed goals adequately reflect consideration of overlapping measures, rebound effects, free riders, interactions with building codes and appliance efficiency standards, and FPUC's latest monitoring and evaluation of conservation programs and measures?

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Position: No position at this time.

Issue 3: Are FPUC's proposed goals based upon an adequate assessment of the market segments and major end-use categories pursuant to Rule 25-17.0021(3), Florida Administrative Code?

Position: No position at this time.

Issue 4: What should be FPUC's annual residential winter and summer kW and annual residential kWh conservation goals for the period 2001-2010?

Position: No position at this time.

Issue 5: What should be FPUC's annual commercial/industrial winter and summer kW and annual commercial/industrial kWh conservation goals for the period 2001-2010?

Position: No position at this time.

e. Pending Motions

Staff has no pending motions.

f. Pending Confidentiality Claims or Requests

There are no pending confidentiality claims or requests at this time.

g. Compliance with Order No. PSC-99-2134-PCO-EG

Staff has complied with all requirements of the Order Establishing Procedure entered in this docket.

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Respectfully submitted this 10th day of January, 2000.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Wm. Cochran Keating, IV", is written over a horizontal line.

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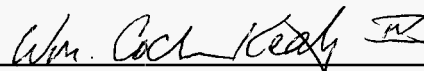
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that one true and correct copy of Staff's  
Prehearing Statement has been furnished by U.S. Mail this 10th day  
of January, 2000, to the following:

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