

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF CUSTOMER SERVICE HEARING

TO

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 000768-GU

RE: REQUEST FOR RATE INCREASE BY  
CITY GAS COMPANY OF FLORIDA.

ISSUED: October 20, 2000

NOTICE is hereby given that the Florida Public Service Commission will hold service hearings in the above docket on the rates and charges of City Gas Company of Florida, a division of NUI Corporation. The hearings will commence at the time and location shown below and will continue until all witnesses have been heard. CUSTOMERS WHO WISH TO PRESENT TESTIMONY ARE URGED TO APPEAR PROMPTLY AT EACH SCHEDULED HEARING TIME SINCE THE HEARING MAY BE ADJOURNED EARLY IF NO WITNESSES ARE PRESENT TO TESTIFY.

Dade County            6:00 - 8:00 p.m., Monday, October 23, 2000  
Embassy Suites Hotel - Miami International Airport  
3974 S. River Drive  
Miami, FL 33142

St. Lucie            12:00 - 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 24, 2000  
County            Holiday Inn - Port St. Lucie  
10120 South Federal Highway  
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Brevard            12:00 - 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 25, 2000  
County            School Board of Brevard County  
Board Room  
2700 Judge Fran Jamieson Way  
Viera, FL 32940-6699

PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE

The purpose of these service hearings shall be to take testimony from members of the public on the petition by City Gas

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Company of Florida, a division of NUI Corporation, to increase its rates. The procedure at these hearings shall be as follows: The Company will present a brief summary of its case and then members of the public may present testimony. Members of the public who wish to present testimony are urged to appear promptly at each scheduled hearing time since the hearing may be adjourned early if no witnesses are present to testify. All witnesses shall be subject to cross examination at the conclusion of their testimony.

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 48 hours 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).

ADDITIONAL NOTICE


To ensure that the public is made aware of the public hearing scheduled in this matter, City Gas Company is directed to enclose in all customers' bills, or in a separate mailing to all customers, a notice setting forth fully the time and place of these hearings and a statement that "persons who wish to present testimony are urged to appear at the beginning of the hearing since the hearing may be adjourned early if no witnesses are present to testify." The notice shall be completed at least ten (10) days before the first scheduled hearing. The Company is also directed to publish in a newspaper of general circulation in the area in which a hearing is to be held, a display advertisement stating the time, date, location and purpose of the hearing and a statement that, "persons who wish to present testimony are urged to appear at the beginning of the hearing since the hearing may be adjourned early if no witnesses are present to testify.: The advertisements shall be published at least seven (7) days and not more than twenty (20) days before each service hearing.

JURISDICTION

Jurisdiction over this utility is vested in the Commission by Chapter 366, Florida Statutes; authority to approve any changes in rates is governed by Sections 366.04 through 366.076, Florida Statutes. The provisions of Chapters 25-7 and 25-9, Florida Administrative Code, are also applicable.

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By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this  
20th day of October, 2000.



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BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting

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