

State of Florida



Public Service Commission

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DATE: January 4, 2001
TO: All Commissioners
FROM: Rosanne Gervasi, Bureau Chief, Division of Legal Services *RS*
RE: Docket No. 000973-SU - Application for transfer of Certificate No. 515-S in Polk County from ABCA, Inc. to West Lakeland Utilities, Inc.

At the December 19, 2000, agenda conference, the Commission approved the transfer of ABCA, Inc. to West Lakeland Utilities, Inc., in the above-referenced docket. The order memorializing the Commission's decision is due to be filed on Monday, January 8, 2001. However, by letter dated January 2, 2001, to the Division of Records and Reporting, ABCA, Inc. advised that the buyer and seller have agreed to terminate the contract for sale and purchase of the utility, and that the proposed transfer will not go into effect. ABCA, Inc. requests that the Commission take such appropriate action as is necessary to reflect the fact that ABCA, Inc. will continue to own and operate the utility. Therefore, we will not file the order approving the transfer on January 8, 2001. Instead, staff will bring a recommendation to the Commission to unwind the transfer and to return the Certificate to ABCA, Inc.

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cc: Division of Regulatory Oversight (Daniel, Brady, Rieger)
Deputy Executive Director/Technical (Bane)
Division of Records and Reporting

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