

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Proposed amendment to
Rule 25-7.063, F.A.C., Meter
Accuracy at Installation.

DOCKET NO. 010105-GU
ORDER NO. PSC-01-1373-FOF-GU
ISSUED: June 27, 2001

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

E. LEON JACOBS, JR., Chairman
J. TERRY DEASON
LILA A. JABER
BRAULIO L. BAEZ
MICHAEL A. PALECKI

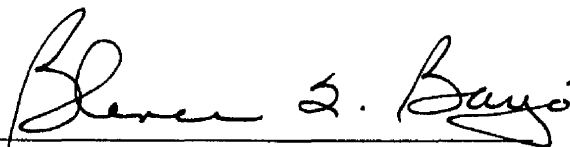
NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF RULE AMENDMENT

NOTICE is hereby given that the Florida Public Service Commission, pursuant to Section 120.54, Florida Statutes, has adopted the amendments to Rule 25-7.063, Florida Administrative Code, relating to meter accuracy at installation, with changes.

The rule was filed with the Department of State on June 25, 2001 and will be effective on July 16, 2001. A copy of the rule as filed with the Department is attached to this Notice.

This docket is closed upon issuance of this notice.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 27th day of June, 2001.



BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

(S E A L)

CTM

DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

07943 JUN 27 01

FPCO-RECORDS-REPORTING

25-7.063 Meter Accuracy at Installation.

(1) A new gas meter shall be within plus or minus 1 ~~not more than one~~ percent of accuracy to be ~~(1%) fast and not more than two percent (2%) slow~~ when installed for customer use. Manufacturers' test data may be used if there is no indication of damage to the meters resulting from the shipping process. If damage is apparent, in order for the manufacturers' test data to be used, a random representative sample of not less than a minimum of ten 10 percent (10%) of the new meters in the damaged shipping unit, such as a pallet or container, shall be have been tested and found to be insure they are within accuracy limits. If any meter of the sample is found not to be within accuracy limits, the entire shipping unit must be tested, and where necessary, the meters adjusted to within the plus or minus 1 percent accuracy limits.

(2) Every meter removed from service when opened for repairs shall be adjusted to be not more than ~~one~~ 1 percent ~~(1%) fast and not more than two or 1 percent (2%) slow~~ before being reset. ~~and if~~ If not opened for repairs, the meter may be reset without adjustment if found to be not more than 1 ~~two~~ percent ~~(2%) in error~~ fast or not more than 1 percent slow provided the meter is otherwise in good condition.

ORDER NO. PSC-01-1373-FOF-GU
DOCKET NO. 010105-GU
PAGE 3 .

(3) ~~(2)~~ No meter may ~~shall~~ be installed unless it has been tested within the previous 12 months and found to be within the accuracy limits ~~prescribed in (1) of~~ established by this rule. ~~within a period no longer than twelve (12) months previous to the date of installation.~~

Specific Authority: 366.05(1), F.S.

Law Implemented: 366.05(1), F.S.

History: Repromulgated 1/8/75, 5/4/75, Amended 2/13/84, formerly 25-7.63, 07/16/01.