

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF HEARING AND PREHEARING CONFERENCE

TO

FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION
FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY
TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY
FLORIDA RETAIL FEDERATION
BUDDY L. HANSEN
SUGARMILL WOODS CIVIC ASSOCIATION, INC.
DYNEGY, INC.
THOMAS P. AND GENEVIEVE E. TWOMEY
FLORIDA INDUSTRIAL POWER USERS GROUP
OFFICE OF PUBLIC COUNSEL

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 000824-EI - REVIEW OF FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION'S EARNINGS, INCLUDING EFFECTS OF PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION BY CAROLINA POWER & LIGHT.

DOCKET NO. 001148-EI - REVIEW OF FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY'S PROPOSED MERGER WITH ENTERGY CORPORATION, THE FORMATION OF A FLORIDA TRANSMISSION COMPANY ("FLORIDA TRANSCO"), AND THEIR EFFECT ON FPL'S RETAIL RATES.

DOCKET NO. 010577-EI - REVIEW OF TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY AND IMPACT OF ITS PARTICIPATION IN GRIDFLORIDA, A FLORIDA TRANSMISSION COMPANY, ON TECO'S RETAIL RATEPAYERS.

ISSUED: August 20, 2001

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a hearing will be held before the Florida Public Service Commission in the above referenced docket, at the following time and place:

DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

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9:30 a.m., Wednesday, October 3, 2001
4075 Esplanade Way
Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center
Tallahassee, Florida

Thursday, October 4, 2001, and Friday, October 5, 2001, 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 is to consider the individual petitions of Florida Power Corporation, Florida Power & Light Company, and Tampa Electric Company concerning the prudence of the formation of, and each utility's participation in, GridFlorida (i.e, "Phase 1" of the above referenced dockets) and to address any motions or other matters that may be pending at the time of the hearing. The Commission may rule on any such motions from the bench or may take the matters under advisement.

At the hearing, all parties shall be given the opportunity to present testimony and other evidence on the issues set forth in Order No. PSC-01-1485-PCO-EI, issued July 16, 2001, as modified by Order No. PSC-01-1641-PCO-EI, issued August 10, 2001, and any other issues approved by the Prehearing Officer at the prehearing conference to be held on September 17, 2001. All witnesses shall be subject to cross-examination at the conclusion of their testimony.

PREHEARING CONFERENCE

A prehearing conference will be held before Commissioner Braulio L. Baez, as Prehearing Officer, regarding the above-referenced matter, at the following time and place:

1:30 p.m., Monday, September 17, 2001
4075 Esplanade Way
Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center
Tallahassee, Florida

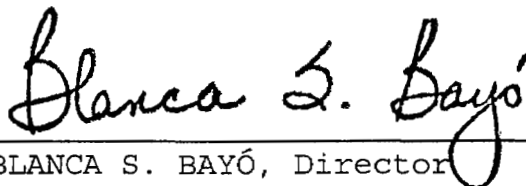
The purpose of this prehearing conference is: (1) to define and limit, if possible, the number of issues; (2) to determine the parties' positions on the issues; (3) to determine what facts, if any, may be stipulated; (4) to dispose of any motions or other matters that may be pending; and (5) to consider any other matters that may aid in the disposition of this case.

JURISDICTION

This Commission is vested with jurisdiction over the subject matter of this proceeding by the provisions of Chapter 366, Florida Statutes. This hearing will be governed by said Chapter as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Chapters 25-6, 25-17, 25-22, and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

Any person requiring some accommodation at the prehearing conference or hearing because of a physical impairment should call the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services at (850) 413-6770 at least 48 hours prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Florida Public Service Commission using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1 (800) 955-8771 (TDD).

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 20th day of August, 2001.



BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director
Division of the Commission Clerk and
Administrative Services

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