

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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IN RE: RULE 25-30.032 – APPLICATIONS, RULE 25-30.140 – DEPRECIATION AND
RULE 25-30.565 – APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF NEW OR REVISED SERVICE
AVAILABILITY POLICY OR CHARGES

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT

TO

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

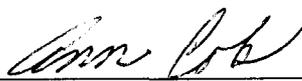
ISSUED: August 30, 2007

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 120.54, Florida Statutes, that the Florida Public Service Commission staff has initiated the development of Rules 25-30.032, 25-30.140 and 25-30.565, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to applications, depreciation and application for approval of new or revised service availability policy or charges.

The attached Notice of Proposed Rule Development will appear in the September 7, 2007, edition of the Florida Administrative Weekly. If timely requested and not deemed unnecessary by the Commission, a rule development workshop will be held at a time and place that will be announced.

The request must be submitted in writing to David E. Smith, Attorney Supervisor, Office of General Counsel, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, and should be submitted for receipt by the Commission no later than September 21, 2007.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 30th day of August, 2007.



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Notice of Development of Rulemaking

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NO: RULE TITLE

25-30.032: Applications

25-30.140: Depreciation

25-30.565: Application for Approval of New or Revised Service Availability Policy or Charges

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the rule amendments is to reduce the number of paper copies of the documents required by the rules that water and wastewater companies must file with the Commission. Undocketed.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Number of paper copies of documents that water and wastewater companies must file with the Commission.

SPECIFIC AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 367.121, 367.101, FS

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 350.115, 367.031, 367.045, 367.071, 367.081(2), 367.101, 367.121(1) FS

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE WEEKLY.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Craig Hewitt, Division of Economic Regulation, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850) 413-6848, e-mail address: chewitt@psc.state.fl.us.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

25-30.032 Applications.

(1) Each utility subject to regulation by the Commission shall apply for an initial certificate of authorization, amendment to an existing certificate of authorization, transfer, or name change by filing a completed application and ~~six~~^{sixteen} copies, in accordance with either Rule 25-30.033, 25-30.034, 25-30.035, 25-30.036, subsection 25-30.037(1) or (2), or Rule 25-30.039, F.A.C. However, a utility shall apply for a transfer to a governmental authority by filing a completed application and two copies, in accordance with subsections 25-30.037(3) and (4), F.A.C. The application shall be filed with the ~~Director~~, Office of Commission Clerk, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850. Sample application forms may be obtained from the Division of Economic Regulation, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850.

(2) – (3) No Change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2), 367.121 FS.

Law Implemented 367.031, 367.045, 367.071, 367.083 FS.

History–New 1-27-91, Amended 11-30-93.

25-30.140 Depreciation.

(1) – (6)(a) No Change.

(b) A utility filing for such a revision of depreciation rates shall submit ~~six~~^{sixteen} copies of the filing to the office of the Office of Commission Clerk.

(c) – (9) No change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2), 367.121(1) FS.

Law Implemented 350.115, 367.081(2), 367.121(1) FS.

History–New 3-22-84, Formerly 25-10.32, 25-10.032, Amended 11-10-86, 5-8-88, 11-21-95, 12-4-03.

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25-30.565 Application for Approval of New or Revised Service Availability Policy or Charges.

(1) Each application for a service availability policy or charges shall be filed in original and ~~six~~¹² copies.

(2) – (6) No Change.

Specific Authority 367.121(1), 367.101 FS.

Law Implemented 367.101 FS.

History–New 6-14-83, Amended 11-10-86, 11-30-93.