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Mr. Carroll Webb
Joint Administrative Procedures
Committee
120 Holland Building
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: DOCKET NO. 930486-EU, RULE NO. 25-6.0345, F.A.C.

Dear Mr. Webb:

The Commission has approved the amendment of Rule 25-6.0345, F.A.C., with changes.

Enclosed is a statement of changes for the proposed amendment. The rule does not have an impact on small business.

Sincerely,

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Associate General Counsel

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Enclosure

cc: Steve Tribble, Division of Records & Reporting

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES

The attached rules show both the formally proposed rules and the changes adopted by the Commission. The formally proposed rules consist of the existing rules, with additions underlined and ~~deletions struck through~~. All changes adopted by the Commission are shaded, whether they are additions or ~~deletions~~.

The copy of the proposed rule that the Commission previously provided to the Joint Administrative Procedure Committee was incorrectly coded, in that paragraphs were moved and renumbered. The Commission has been advised by the Secretary of State's Bureau of Administrative Code that the proper procedure is to strike through the original paragraph and underline the renumbered paragraph.

Accordingly, the Commission is providing the Committee with TWO versions of the rule in order to allow for ease of comparison. The FIRST version is consistent with the coding previously provided to the Committee, while the SECOND version properly codes the changes in accordance with Bureau of Administrative Code procedures. The substance of the both rules is the same.

1 VERSION #1 (IMPROPERLY CODED, BUT CONSISTENT WITH LAST VERSION
2 PROVIDED)

3
4 25-6.0345 Safety Standards for Construction of New
5 Transmission and Distribution Facilities Constructed After July
6 1, 1986.

7 ~~(1) The Commission adopts and incorporates, by reference,~~
8 ~~those standards prescribed in the 1984 edition of the National~~
9 ~~Electrical Safety Code (ANSI C-2) as initial safety standards for~~
10 ~~transmission and distribution facilities of all public electric~~
11 ~~utilities, rural electric cooperatives, and municipal electric~~
12 ~~systems. All utilities shall comply with the standards in these~~
13 ~~provisions.~~

14 (1)-(3) In compliance with Chapter 366.04(6)(b) F.S., 1991,
15 The Commission adopts and incorporates by reference has reviewed
16 the 1993-1990 edition of the National Electrical Safety Code
17 (ANSI C-2), published August 3, 1992, and as of January 28, 1990,
18 ~~adopts and incorporates by reference the provisions of that code~~
19 as the applicable safety standards for transmission and
20 distribution facilities subject to the Commission's safety
21 jurisdiction. Each public electric utility, rural electric
22 cooperative, and municipal electric system shall comply with the
23 standards in these provisions. Standards contained in the 1993
24 1990 edition shall be applicable to new construction for which a
25 work order number is assigned design and approval are started on

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1 or after the effective date of this rule January 28, 1990.

2 (2) Each public electric utility, rural electric
3 cooperative and municipal electric utility shall report all
4 completed electric work orders, whether completed by the utility
5 or one of its contractors, at the end of each quarter of the
6 year. The report shall be filed with the Director of the
7 Commission's Division of Electric and Gas no later than the 30th
8 15th working day after the last day of the reporting quarter, and
9 shall contain, at a minimum, the following information for each
10 work order:

11 (a) work order number/project/job;

12 (b) brief title;

13 (c) estimated cost in dollars, rounded to nearest thousand
14 hundred;

15 (d) location;

16 (e) Kv rating (if below 1 Kv, enter zero);

17 (f) contiguous work order in one location (y/n);

18 (3) The quarterly report shall be filed in standard DBase
19 or compatible format, DOS ASCII text, or hard copy, as follows:

20 (a) DBase Format

	<u>Field Names</u>	<u>Field Type</u>	<u>digits</u>
21			
22	1. <u>Workorders</u>	<u>Character</u>	<u>20</u>
23	2. <u>Briefftitle</u>	<u>Character</u>	<u>30</u>
24	3. <u>Cost</u>	<u>Numeric</u>	<u>8</u>
25	4. <u>Location</u>	<u>Character</u>	<u>50</u>

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1 ~~identify such facilities and authoritatively confirm or certify~~
2 to the Commission that they meet or exceed the applicable
3 standards. Compliance inspections by the Commission shall be
4 made on a random basis or as appropriate.

5 (5) ~~(4)~~ As soon as practicable, but by the end of the next
6 business day after it ¹learns of the occurrence, each public
7 utility, rural electric cooperative, and municipal electric
8 utility shall (without admitting liability) report to the
9 Commission any accident occurring in connection with any part of
10 its transmission or distribution facilities which:

11 (a) Involves death or injury requiring hospitalization of
12 non-utility persons; or

13 (b) Is significant from a safety standpoint in the judgment
14 of the utility even though it is not required by (a).

15 (6) ~~(5)~~ Each public utility, rural electric cooperative,
16 and municipal electric utility shall (without admitting
17 liability) report each ~~any~~ accident or malfunction, occurring in
18 connection with any part of its transmission or distribution
19 facilities, to the Commission within 30 days after it learns of
20 the occurrence, provided the accident or malfunction:

21 (a) Involves damage to the property of others in an amount
22 in excess of \$5000; or

23 (b) Causes significant damage in the judgment of the
24 utility to the utility's facilities.

25 (7) ~~(6)~~ Unless requested by the Commission, reports are not

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1 required with respect to personal injury, death, or property
2 damage resulting from vehicles ~~vehicular equipment~~ striking poles
3 or other utility property.

4 Rulemaking Authority: 350.127(2), F.S.

5 Law Implemented: 366.04(6), F.S.

6 History: New 8/13/87, Amended 2/15/90, _____.

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1 | VERSION #2 (PROPERLY CODED)

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3 | Transmission and Distribution Facilities Constructed After July
4 | 1, 1986.

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6 | Commission adopts and incorporates by reference the 1993 edition
7 | of the National Electrical Safety Code (ANSI C-2), published
8 | August 3, 1992, as the applicable safety standards for
9 | transmission and distribution facilities subject to the
10 | Commission's safety jurisdiction. Each public electric utility,
11 | rural electric cooperative, and municipal electric system shall
12 | comply with the standards in these provisions. Standards
13 | contained in the 1993 edition shall be applicable to new
14 | construction for which a work order number is assigned on or
15 | after the effective date of this rule.

16 | ~~(1) The Commission adopts and incorporates, by reference,~~
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23 | (2) Each public electric utility, rural electric
24 | cooperative and municipal electric utility shall report all
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2 year. The report shall be filed with the Director of the
3 Commission's Division of Electric and Gas no later than the 30th
4 15th working day after the last day of the reporting quarter, and
5 shall contain, at a minimum, the following information for each
6 work order:

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10 hundred;

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14 ~~(2) For transmission and distribution facilities subject to~~
15 ~~the Commission's safety jurisdiction, each utility shall~~
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17 ~~to the Commission that they meet or exceed the applicable~~
18 ~~standards. Compliance inspections by the Commission shall be~~
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12	6. <u>Contiguous</u>	<u>Character</u>	<u>1</u>

13 (b) DOS ASCII Text.

14 1. Columns shall be the same type and in the same order as
15 listed under Field Names above.

16 2. A comma (,) shall be placed between data fields.

17 3. Character data fields shall be placed between quotation
18 marks ("...").

19 4. Numeric data fields shall be right justified.

20 5. Blank spaces shall be used to fill the data fields to
21 the indicated number of digits.

22 (c) Hard Copy.

23 The following format is preferred, but not required shall be
24 used:

25 Completed Electrical Work Orders

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For PSC Inspection

<u>Work</u> <u>Order</u> <u>Number</u>	<u>Brief</u> <u>Title</u>	<u>Estimated</u> <u>Cost</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Kv</u> <u>Rating</u>	<u>Contiguous</u> <u>(y/n)</u>

(4) In its quarterly report, each utility shall identify all transmission and distribution facilities subject to the Commission's safety jurisdiction, and shall certify to the Commission that they meet or exceed the applicable standards. Compliance inspections by the Commission shall be made on a random basis or as appropriate.

(5) ~~(4)~~ As soon as practicable, but by the end of the next business day after it learns of the occurrence, each public utility, rural electric cooperative, and municipal electric utility shall (without admitting liability) report to the Commission any accident occurring in connection with any part of its transmission or distribution facilities which:

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