

March 8, 1996

Ms. Blanca S. Bayo Florida Public Service Commission Director of Records & Reporting 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re:

Docket No. 950495-WS -- Application by Southern States Utilities, Inc. for rate increase and increase in service availability charges for Orange-Osceola Utilities, Inc. in Osceola County, and in Bradford, Brevard, Charlotte, Citrus, Clay, Collier, Duval, Highlands, Lake, Lee, Marion, Martin, Nassau, Orange, Osceola, Pasco, Putnam, Seminole, St. Johns, St. Lucie, Volusia, and Washington Counties.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed please find sixteen copies of Southern States' Forty-Fourth Notice of Service of responses to portions of the Florida Public Service Commission's Fourth Set of Interrogatories in the above-referenced matter.

Please acknowledge filing of these documents by date stamping the enclosed copy of this letter and returning it in the postage paid, self-addressed envelope provided.

Matthew J. Feil
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Enclosures

Very truly yours,

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

| In Re: Application by Southern States Utilities, |) | |
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| Inc. for rate increase and increase in service |) | |
| availability charges for Orange-Osceola |) | |
| Utilities, Inc. in Osceola County, and in |) | Docket No. 950495-WS |
| Bradford, Brevard, Charlotte, Citrus, Clay, |) | |
| Collier, Duval, Hernando, Highlands, |) | Filed: March 8, 1996 |
| Hillsborough, Lake, Lee, Marion, Martin, |) | |
| Nassau, Orange, Osceola, Pasco, Polk, |) | |
| Putnam, Seminole, St. Johns, St. Lucie, |) | |
| Volusia, and Washington Counties. |) | |
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SOUTHERN STATES UTILITIES, INC.'S FORTY-FOURTH NOTICE OF SERVICE OF RESPONSES TO THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION'S FOURTH SET OF INTERROGATORIES

SOUTHERN STATES UTILITIES, INC., by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby files its Notice that is has served its responses to the following interrogatories included in the Florida Public Service Commission's Fourth Set of Interrogatories by United Parcel Service to Lila Jaber, Esq., Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Room 370, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, on this 8th day of March 1996.

FPSC's Fourth Set of Interrogatories

Nos. 232, 241

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Copies of the Responses also have been served on all other parties of record in the manner reflected on the attached Certificate of Service on this same date.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing was furnished by United Parcel Service to the following this 8th day of March 1996:

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