## FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

DOCKET NO: 980275-GU

RULE TITLE: Regulatory Assessment RULE NO.: RULE 25-7.0131

Fees; Gas Utilities, Gas Municipals,

and Gas Districts

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To amend the rule to increase the regulatory assessment fee.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Investor-owned gas utility regulatory assessment fees.

SPECIFIC AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 366.14, F.S. (1989)

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 350.113, 366.14, F.S. (1989)

A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE TIME, DATE, AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

TIME AND DATE: 10 A.M., APRIL 23, 1998

PLACE: ROOM 111, GERALD GUNTER BUILDING, 2540 SHUMARD OAK BLVD., TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

THE WORKSHOP REQUEST MUST BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE TO THE COMMISSION'S DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING, 2540 SHUMARD OAK BOULEVARD, TALLAHASSEE, FL 32399-0850.

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please contact the Florida Public Service Commission using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at: 1-800-955-8771 (TDD).

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

25-7.0131 Regulatory Assessment Fees; Gas Utilities, Gas Municipals, and Gas Districts.

- (1) No Change.
- (a) Each investor-owned gas utility shall pay a regulatory assessment fee in the amount of .005 0.00375 of its gross operating revenue derived from intrastate business, excluding sales for resale between public utilities, municipal gas utilities, and gas districts or any combination thereof.
  - (b) No Change.
  - (2) (8) (b) No Change.

Specific Authority: 350.127(2), F.S., 366.14, F.S. (1989)

Law Implemented: 350.113, F.S., 366.14, F.S. (1989)

History: New 5/18/83, formerly 25-7.131, Amended 10/16/86, 4/25/90, 07/08/96.