

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

FEBRUARY 29, 2000

RE: DOCKET NO. 991754-GP - Petition by Friends of the Aquifer, Inc. to adopt rules necessary to establish safety standards and a safety regulatory program for intrastate and interstate natural gas pipelines and pipeline facilities located in Florida.

Issue 1: Should the Commission grant the amended petition by Friends of the Aquifer, Inc., to initiate rulemaking to adopt rules stating that it will propose further rules governing safety and environmental standards for intrastate and interstate natural gas pipelines and pipeline facilities?

Recommendation: No. The Commission should deny the amended petition. To the extent that the Commission has jurisdiction and the authority to adopt rules regulating gas pipelines, it has done so.

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes.

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

Staff to advise

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