

COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH:

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Carla Rockwell who on oath says that she is publisher of THE COURIER, a weekly newspaper published at Plant City, in Hillsborough County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a legal in the matter of

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in the Court, was published in said newspaper in the issues of

SEPTEMBER 14, 2000

Affiant further says that the said THE COURIER is a newspaper published at Plant City, in said Hillsborough County, Florida, and that said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Hillsborough County, Florida, each Thursday and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Plant City, in said Hillsborough County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceeding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that she has been neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation, any discount, rebate, commission, or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of September A. D. 2000 1a Rochung **Carla Rockwell** (SEAL) Notary Public

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## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE OF CUSTOMER SERVICE HEARINGS

## DOCKET NO. 000108-GU

## RE: REQUEST FOR RATE INCREASE BY FLORIDA DIVISION OF CHESAPEAKE UTILITIES CORPORATION

NOTICE is hereby given that the Florida Public Service Commission will hold customer service hearings in the above docket concerning the petition by Central Florida Gas Company, the Florida Division of Chesapeake Utilities Corporation (CFG) for an increase in its rates to produce additional permanent annual revenues of \$1,826,569. The hearings will commence at the time and location shown below and will continue until all witnesses have been heard.

Wednesday, September 27, 2000 10:00 am - 12:00 pm Plant City Commission Chambers Nettie Berry Draghon Municipal Building 302 W. Reynolds Street Plant City, Florida

6:00pm - 8:00pm Plantation Inn and Golf Resort 9301 West Fort Island Trail Crystal River, Florida

All persons who wish to present testimony are urged to appear at the beginning of the hearing since the hearing may be adjourned early if no witnesses are present to testify.

## PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE

The purpose of these customer service hearings shall be to allow the public to present testimony concerning the rates and quality of service provided by CFG. The procedure at these hearings shall be as follows: The company will present a brief summary of its case and then members of the public may present testimony.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this hearing because of a physical impairment should call the Division of Records and Reporting at (850) 413-6770 at least 48 hours prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Florida Public Service Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1-800-955-8771 (TDD).

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October 11, 2000

Blanca S. Bayo Director, Div. Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2548 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 000108-GU Chesapeake Utilities Corporation

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed herewith on behalf of the Florida Division of Chesapeake Utilities Corporation for filing in the above docket are an original and 15 copies of the following:

- 1. Proof of Publication of Notice of Customer Service Hearings in the September 14, 2000, edition of The Courier, Plant City, Florida; 12961 00
- Proof of Publication of Notice of Customer Service Hearings in the September 17, 2000, edition of the Citrus County Chronicle, Crystal River, 12962-00 Florida;
- Proof of Publication of Notice of Customer Service Hearings in the August 24, 2000, edition of the Osceola News-Gazette, Kissimmee, 12963-00 Florida;
- Proof of Publication of Notice of Customer Service Hearings in the August 19, 2000, edition of the News Chief, Winter Haven, Florida; 12964-00
- 5. Affidavit of Thomas A. Geoffroy regarding Notice of Interim Rates and Notice / 2965-00 of Hearing.

Please acknowlege your receipt of the foregoing on the enclosed copy of this transmittal letter.

Sincerely,

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