

## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for waiver of )	DOCKET NO. 900961-WU
penalty and interest added to )	
regulatory assessment fees for )	ORDER NO. 25440
1989, by ST. GEORGE ISLAND )	
UTILITY COMPANY, LTD. in )	ISSUED: 12/5/91
Franklin County )	
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The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman  
J. TERRY DEASON  
BETTY EASLEY

ORDER DEEMING DELINQUENT  
REGULATORY ASSESSMENT FEES,  
PENALTIES, AND INTEREST UNCOLLECTIBLE

AND

REFERRING THE DELINQUENT FEES, PENALTIES AND INTEREST  
TO THE OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER FOR COLLECTION

BY THE COMMISSION:

On November 14, 1990, St. George Island Utility Company, Ltd. (St. George or the utility) was notified that additional regulatory assessment fees were due for 1989, including penalties and interest. On December 6, 1990, the utility submitted an objection to penalty and interest charges, and requested a waiver of penalty and interest charges as well as a payment schedule. Order No. 24290, issued March 26, 1991, denied the utility's request for waiver of penalty and interest. In addition, the utility was ordered to pay all outstanding regulatory assessment fees, penalties and interest and to submit a proposed payment schedule within thirty (30) days of the entry of the Order.

An acceptable payment schedule was not presented to the Commission and by Order No. 24884, issued August 6, 1991, the Commission established a payment schedule of \$2,500 per month for 1988 and 1989 regulatory assessment fees, penalties and interest. To date, the utility has failed to respond to the requirements of Order No. 24884, and has still not paid any fees, penalties or interest for 1988 and 1989. The utility has also failed to pay 1990 regulatory assessment fees which are now delinquent and are

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accruing penalties and interest. The amounts of the delinquent fees, interest and penalties as of December 31, 1991, are shown on Attachment A. We have made a diligent effort to collect these sums which are due and owing. Therefore, we find it appropriate to deem the regulatory assessment fees, penalties and interest for the years 1988, 1989, and 1990 uncollectible and refer them to the Office of the Comptroller for further collection efforts.

Based on the foregoing it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the delinquent regulatory assessment fees, penalties and interest owed by the St. George Island Utility Company, Ltd. for the years 1988, 1989, and 1990, are hereby deemed uncollectible. It is further

ORDERED that the delinquent regulatory assessment fees, penalties and interest owed by St. George Island Utility Company, Ltd. be referred to the Office of the Comptroller for collection. It is further

ORDERED that upon referral to the Office of the Comptroller for collection, this docket be closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 5th day of DECEMBER, 1991.

  
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STEVE TRIBBLE, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that

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is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water or wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900 (a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.

ST. GEORGE ISLAND UTILITY COMPANY, LTD.  
DOCKET NUMBER 900961 - WU  
DELINQUENT REGULATORY ASSESSMENT FEES AND PENALTY AND INTEREST CHARGES

NOVEMBER 14, 1991

FILE: C: WS236

YEAR	RAF AMOUNT	# OF DEL. MONTHS	PENALTY AMOUNT AT 5% PER MONTH (25% MAX.)	INTEREST AT 1% PER MONTH	TOTAL AMOUNT DUE
1988	\$1,875.97	36	\$468.99	\$675.35	\$3,020.31
1989	6765.43	24	1,691.36	1,623.70	10,080.49
1990	10,037.12	9	2,509.28	903.34	13,449.74
TOTAL	\$18,678.52		\$4,669.63	\$3,202.39	\$26,550.54

# PENALTY AND INTEREST CHARGES HAVE BEEN ASSESSED THROUGH THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1991.