The FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION announces a Special Commission Conference in the following docket to which all interested persons are invited.

Docket No. 950495-WS - Application for a rate increase and increase in service availability charges by Southern States Utilities, Inc. 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.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, August 15, 1996, 9:00 a.m. PLACE: Commission Hearing Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida PURPOSE: To consider and make a final decision regarding the requested rate increase for Southern States Utilities, Inc. LEGAL AUTHORITY AND JURISDICTION: Chapters 120, 350 and 367, F.S.

A copy of the Agenda may be obtained by any person who requests a copy, and pays the reasonable cost of the copy, (\$1.00 per copy, Rule 25-22.002, F.A.C.) by writing to the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida. If a person decides to appeal any decisions made by the Commission with respect to any matter considered at this conference, he will need a record of the proceedings and, for such purpose, may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes

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the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based. Any person requiring some accommodation at this conference because of a physical impairment should call the Division of Records and Reporting at (904) 413-6770 at least five calendar days prior to the conference. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1-800-955-8771 (TDD).