BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Proposed Amendment of Rule 25-12.005, F.A.C., Codes and Standards Adopted (Update of Gas Pipeline Safety Codes).

DOCKET NO. 981097-GU ORDER NO. PSC-99-0840-FOF-GU ISSUED: April 26, 1999

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

JOE GARCIA, Chairman
J. TERRY DEASON
SUSAN F. CLARK
JULIA L. JOHNSON
E. LEON JACOBS, JR.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF RULE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Florida Public Service Commission, pursuant to Section 120.54, Florida Statutes, has adopted the amendments to Rule 25-12.005, Florida Administrative Code, relating to codes and standards adopted without changes.

The rule was filed with the Department of State on April 14, 1999. The rule will become effective on May 13, 1999. A copy of the rule as filed with the Department is attached to this Notice.

This docket is closed upon issuance of this notice.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this $\underline{26th}$ day of \underline{April} , $\underline{1999}$.

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25-12.005 Codes and Standards Adopted.

Minimum Federal Safety Standards and reporting requirements for pipeline facilities and transportation of gas prescribed by the United States Department of Transportation in Parts 191 and 192 of Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) as amended through October 20, 1998 January 31, 1991, are adopted as part of these rules. Part 199, "Drug and Alcohol Testing" as amended through October 20, 1998 December 27, 1989 is adopted to control drug use, by setting standards and requirements to apply to the testing and use of all emergency response personnel under the direct authority or control of a gas utility or pipeline operator, as well as all employees directly or indirectly employed by gas pipeline operators for the purpose of operation and maintenance and all employees directly or indirectly employed by intrastate gas distribution utilities for on-site construction of natural gas transporting pipeline facilities. Part 199 also is adopted to prescribe standards for use of employees who do not meet the requirements of the regulations.

Specific Authority: 368.05(2), 350.127(2), F.S.

Law Implemented: 368.03, F.S.

History: New 11/14/70, Amended 09/24/71, Revised 09/21/74, Amended 10/07/75, 11/30/82, 10/02/84, 08/08/89, formerly 25-12.05, amended 01/07/92, 05/13/99.