BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF HEARING AND PREHEARING

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ALL PARTIES

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

RE: DOCKET NO. 981890-EU - GENERIC INVESTIGATION INTO THE AGGREGATE ELECTRIC UTILITY RESERVE MARGINS PLANNED FOR PENINSULAR FLORIDA

ISSUED: September 22, 1999

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a hearing will be held before the Florida Public Service Commission in the above-referenced docket, at the following time and place:

9:30 a.m., Tuesday, November 2, 1999 • Betty Easley Conference Center, Room 148 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida

* Wednesday, November 3, 1999 has also been reserved for continuation of the hearing if needed. The starting time of the next day's session will be announced at the conclusion of the prior day. The hearing may be adjourned early if all testimony is concluded.

PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE

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The purpose of this hearing is to allow the Peninsular Florida electric utilities, intervenors and Commission staff to present evidence addressing the issues identified for resolution in this docket, and to consider any motions or other matters that may be pending at the time of the hearing. The Commission may rule on any such motions from the bench or may take the matters under advisement.

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At the hearing, all parties shall be given the opportunity to present testimony and other evidence on the issues identified by the parties at the prehearing conference held on October 18, 1999. All witnesses shall be subject to cross-examination at the conclusion of their testimony.

PREHEARING CONFERENCE

A prehearing conference will be held before Chairman Joe Garcia, as Prehearing Officer, regarding the above-referenced matter, a the following time and place:

1:30 p.m., Monday, October 18, 1999 Betty Easley Conference Center, Room 152 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida

PURPOSE

The purpose of this prehearing conference is: (1) to define and limit, if possible, the number of issues; (2) to determine the parties' positions on the issues; (3) to determine what facts, if any, may be stipulated; (4) to dispose of any motions or other matters that may be pending; and (5) to consider any other matters that may aid in the disposition of this case.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this prehearing and 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).

JURISDICTION

This Commission is vested with jurisdiction over the subject matter by the provisions of Chapter 366, Florida Statutes. This hearing will be governed by said Chapter as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes and Chapters 25-6, 25-17, 25-22, and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

APPLICABLE STATUTES AND RULES

Sections 366.04, 366.05, and 366.06, Florida Statutes, and any other relevant sections of Chapter 366, Florida Statutes, are

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applicable to this proceeding, as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Chapters 25-7, 25-17, 25-22, and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this <u>22nd</u> day of <u>September</u>, <u>1999</u>.

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