

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Request to Modify SL-1) DOCKET NO. 920577-EI
Rate Schedule and Street Lighting) ORDER NO. PSC-92-0667-FOF-EI
Agreement by Florida Power and) ISSUED: 07/15/92
Light Company.)
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The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

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

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

BY THE COMMISSION:

On May 25, 1992, Florida Power and Light Company (FPL) filed with the Florida Public Service Commission a proposed tariff change to its SL-1 (Street lighting) rate schedule which clarifies existing company policy, particularly with regard to the conditions under which a customer is required to pay a Contribution-In-Aid-of-Construction (CIAC). FPL also proposed minor wording changes to make the tariff more understandable. FPL further seeks to consolidate its current street lighting agreements in to a single agreement. That consolidation will have little substantive effect, although it would eliminate the requirement that private street lighting customers provide a performance guarantee.

FPL in adding language to the SL-1 tariff which outlines the conditions under which customers will be required to pay a CIAC, does not reflect any new policy, it merely makes explicit existing company policy to help avoid customer confusion.

In the future the tariff will provide that a CIAC is required in the following situations:

1. To cover the differential cost between developed and undeveloped areas for trenching, backfilling, and pole installation, when obstructions such as paving, landscaping, and sprinkler systems exist.
2. To pay the installation cost of any new overhead distribution facilities, or modification cost of existing distribution facilities, which are required to serve the street lighting customers. The customer is given credit towards this cost equal to four times the annual additional non-fuel energy revenue which is expected to be generated by the installation of a new system or by

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the modification of an existing system. This is consistent with the line extension policy now in effect for FPL. In addition, if underground service is requested, the customer must pay the differential cost between underground and overhead distribution.

Any other changes to the rate schedule are wording changes which merely clarify existing provisions.

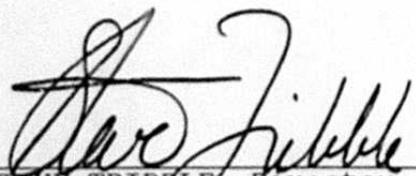
Finally, FPL's proposal will consolidate its three current street lighting agreements into a single agreement. Currently, FPL has a Private Street Lighting Agreement, a Governmental Street Lighting Agreement, and a Condominium, Cooperative, and Homeowners' Association Street Lighting Agreement. The consolidation proposes to combine those categories into a single Street Lighting Agreement, and to cancel the existing agreements. In the new agreement, FPL eliminates the requirement that private street lighting customers provide a performance guarantee in the form of cash, a bond, or an irrevocable letter of credit in order to obtain service.

In consideration of the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Florida Power and Light Company's proposed tariff revisions as described in the body of this Order are granted and shall be effective as of July 9, 1992. It is further

ORDERED that this order shall become final and the docket closed if no protest is filed within the specified time period.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 15th day of July, 1992.



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 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.

The Commission's decision on this tariff is interim in nature and will become final, unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed files a petition for a formal proceeding, as provided by Rule 25-22.036(4), Florida Administrative Code, in the form provided by Rule 25-22.036(7)(a)(d) and (e), Florida Administrative Code. This petition must be received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting at his office at 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, by the close of business on August 5, 1992.

In the absence of such a petition, this order shall become final on the day subsequent to the above date.

Any objection or protest filed in this docket before the issuance date of this Order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.

If this Order becomes final on the date described above, any party adversely affected may request judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or by 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 of the date this Order becomes final, 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.