







# Case Scheduling/Rescheduling Advice

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To:  Commissioner Deason       Deputy Executive Director/Tech       Safety & Electric Reliability Director  
 Commissioner Jaber       Appeals Director       Records & Reporting Director  
 Commissioner Baez       Legal Director       PAI Director  
 Commissioner Palecki       Economic Regulation Director       Regulatory Oversight Director  
 Executive Director       Competitive Services Director       Court Reporter  
 Public Information Officer       Consumer Affairs Director       Staff Contact - Dale Mailhot

From: Office of Chairman E. Leon Jacobs

Docket Number: 010005-WS

Docket Title: Annual reestablishment of price increase or decrease index of major categories of operating costs incurred by water and wastewater utilities pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(a), F.S.

## 1. Schedule Information

Event	Former Date	New Date	Location	Time
Hearing		03/02/2001	Tallahassee, Room 148	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM

## 2. Hearing/Prehearing Assignment Information

### Former Assignments

#### Hearing Officers

Commissioners						Hearing Exam.	Staff
ALL	JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL		

### Current Assignments

Commissioners						Hearing Exam.	Staff
ALL	JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL		
X							

#### Prehearing Officer

Commissioners					
JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL	ADM

Commissioners					
JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL	ADM
					X

Reason for Revision: A. New Assignment 1. Unavailability 2. Good Cause 3. Recused 4. Disqualified 5. See Remarks

#### Remarks:

There will be no prehearing.

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**To:**

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commissioner Jaber	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appeals Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Records & Reporting Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commissioner Baez	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Legal Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PAI Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commissioner Palecki	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Economic Regulation Director	<input type="checkbox"/> Regulatory Oversight Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Executive Director	<input type="checkbox"/> Competitive Services Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Court Reporter
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**1. Schedule Information**

Event	Former Date	New Date	Location	Time
Hearing	03/02/2001	Cancelled	Tallahassee, Room 148	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM

**2. Hearing/Prehearing Assignment Information**

Former Assignments

**Hearing Officers**

Commissioners						Hearing Exam.	Staff
ALL	JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL		

Current Assignments

Commissioners						Hearing Exam.	Staff
ALL	JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL		
X							

**Prehearing Officer**

Commissioners					
JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL	ADM

Commissioners					
JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL	ADM
					X

Reason for Revision: A. New Assignment 1. Unavailability 2. Good Cause 3. Recused 4. Disqualified 5. See Remarks

**Remarks:** Consummating order issued on 2/6/01.

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**To:**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commissioner Deason	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deputy Executive Director/Tech	<input type="checkbox"/> Safety & Electric Reliability Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commissioner Jaber	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appeals Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Records & Reporting Director
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**Docket Number:** 010005-WS

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**1. Schedule Information**

Event	Former Date	New Date	Location	Time
Hearing		03/04/2002	Tallahassee, Room 148	9:30 AM - 12:00 PM

**2. Hearing/Prehearing Assignment Information**

Former Assignments

**Hearing Officers**

Commissioners						Hearing Exam.	Staff
ALL	JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL		

Current Assignments

Commissioners						Hearing Exam.	Staff
ALL	JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL		
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**Prehearing Officer**

Commissioners						
JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL	ADM	

Commissioners						
JC	DS	JB	BZ	PL	ADM	
						X

Reason for Revision: A. New Assignment 1. Unavailability 2. Good Cause 3. Recused 4. Disqualified 5. See Remarks

**Remarks:** The docket number will change on 1/1/02 to 020005.

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January 12, 2001

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Re: Florida PSC Docket No. 010005-WS; Annual Reestablishment of price increase or decrease index of major categories of operating costs incurred by water and wastewater utilities pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(a), F.S.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Please place our firm on the notice and monitoring list for the above-referenced docket and provide copies of all notices, CASRs, orders, staff recommendations, pleadings and other documents filed, served or issued in the above-referenced docket to the following:

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Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

*Done 1/16/01*

Kenneth A. Hoffman

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Commissioners:  
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# Public Service Commission

January 19, 2001

All Florida Public Service Commission  
Regulated Water & Wastewater Utilities

Re: Docket No. 010005-WS - 2001 Price Index

Dear Utility Owner:

Since March 31, 1981, pursuant to the guidelines established by Section 367.081(4)(a), Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-30.420, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), the Commission has been required to establish a price index increase or decrease for major categories of operating costs. By keeping up with index and pass-through adjustments, utility operations can be maintained at a level sufficient to insure quality of service for the rate payers.

Pursuant to Rule 25-30.420 (1)(a), F.A.C., all operation and maintenance expenses shall be indexed with the exception of:

- a) Pass-through items pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(b);
- b) Any amortization of rate case expense; and
- c) Disallowances or adjustments made in an applicant's most recent rate proceeding.

Upon the filing of a request for an index and or pass-through increase, staff will review the application and modify existing rates accordingly. If for no other reason than to keep up with escalating costs, utilities throughout Florida should file for this rate relief on an annual basis. Utilities may apply for a 2001 Price Index anytime between April 1, 2001 through March 31, 2002. Staff designed a package to be attached to the order and mailed to every regulated water and wastewater utility. The attached package will answer questions regarding what the index and pass-through rate adjustments are, how to apply for an adjustment, and what needs to be filed in order to meet the filing requirements. While this increase for any given year may be minor, (see the following page) the long run effect of keeping current with rising costs can be substantial.

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All Florida Public Service Commission  
Regulated Water & Wastewater Utilities  
January 19, 2001  
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<u>YEAR</u>	<u>ANNUAL COMMISSION APPROVED INDEX</u>
1982	9.02%
1983	5.99%
1984	4.25%
1985	3.76%
1986	3.33%
1987	2.69%
1988	2.89%
1989	4.35%
1990	4.12%
1991	4.12%

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>ANNUAL COMMISSION APPROVED INDEX</u>
1992	3.63%
1993	3.33%
1994	2.56%
1995	1.95%
1996	2.49%
1997	2.13%
1998	2.10%
1999	1.21%
2000	1.36%

Our staff is available should you need assistance with your filing (850-413-6900). If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,



Tim Devlin  
Director

TJD  
Enclosures

**RAR Official Filing:**

**1/19/01\*\*\*\*\* 8:37 AM\*\*\*\*\*Marguerite Lockard \*\*\*\*\*1**

**Marguerite Lockard**

0156-PAA

**From:** Lysa White  
**Sent:** Friday, January 19, 2001 8:33 AM  
**To:** RAR - Orders-Notices  
**Cc:** Kay Flynn; Samantha Cibula; Jovon Snipes  
**Subject:** Order in DN 010005-WS

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The order saved in WP9 as i:\010005or.smc has been filed electronically with Records. Please note that this a is a price index order, and the protest period is 14 days, rather than 21 days.

Pursuant to the conversation between Samantha and Kay, the cover letter that is to accompany the order will be hand-delivered to Records in a few minutes.

Thanks!

S

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**RAR Official Filing:**

**2/6/01\*\*\*\*\*11:23 AM\*\*\*\*\*Matilda Sanders\*\*\*\*\*1**

**Matilda Sanders**

0337-CD

**From:** Lysa White  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 06, 2001 11:23 AM  
**To:** RAR - Orders-Notices  
**Cc:** Jovon Snipes  
**Subject:** order in DN 010005-ws

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**The Consummating Order saved in WP9 as i:\010005co.smc has been filed electronically with records.**

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