BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE OF COMMISSION CUSTOMER SERVICE HEARINGS

TO

SOUTHERN STATES UTILITIES, INC.

THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC COUNSEL

SPRING HILL CIVIC ASSOCIATION, INC.,

SUGARMILL WOODS CIVIC ASSOCIATION, INC.,

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 950495-WS

IN RE: 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, HERNANDO, HIGHLANDS, HILLSBOROUGH, LAKE, LEE, MARION, MARTIN, NASSAU, ORANGE, OSCEOLA, POLK, PASCO, PUTNAM, SEMINOLE, ST. JOHNS, ST. LUCIE VOLUSIA, AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES

ISSUED: August 29, 1995

NOTICE is hereby given that the Florida Public Service Commission will hold public service hearings in the above-referenced docket. The service hearings will be held at the following times and places:

SEPTEMBER

Thursday, September 14, 1995 10:00 a.m. (CST) Sunny Hills Community Ctr. 101 Sunny Hills Boulevard Sunny Hills, Florida 32428

Wednesday, September 20, 1995 6:00 p.m. Prime Osborn Convention Ctr. Ballroom South 1000 Water Street Jacksonville, Florida 32204 Tuesday, September 19, 1995 6:00 p.m. City of Kissimmee Civic Ctr. Ballroom 201 E. Dakin Avenue Kissimmee, Florida 34741

Thursday, September 28, 1995 10:00 a.m. City of New Port Richey Commission Chambers 5919 Main Street New Port Richey, Florida 34652

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OCTOBER

Tuesday, October 3, 1995 6:00 p.m. Temple Terrace Golf and Country Club Ballroom 200 Inverness Avenue Temple Terrace, Florida 33617

Thursday, October 12, 1995 6:00 p.m. Seminole County Commission Chambers Room 1028 1101 E. 1st St., RM 1028 Sanford, Florida 32771 Wednesday, October 11, 1995 6:00 p.m. Ocala Hilton Ballroom 3600 S.W. 36th Avenue Ocala, Florida 34474

Friday, October 13, 1995 10:00 a.m. Hernando County Fairgrounds McKethan Auditorium US 41 South Brooksville, Florida 34601

NOVEMBER

Wednesday, November 8, 1995 6:00 p.m. Mount Dora Community Ctr. 520 Baker Street Mount Dora, Florida 32757

Tuesday, November 28, 1995 6:00 p.m. Sheraton Harbor Place Ballroom 2500 Edwards Drive Ft. Myers, Florida 33901 Monday, November 27, 1995 6:00 p.m. Highlands County Adm. Bldg. County Board Room 411 S. Eucalyptus Street Sebring, Florida 33870

DECEMBER

Tuesday, December 12, 1995 6:00 p.m.
Holiday Inn - Downtown
Hibiscus and Jasmine Rooms
1209 S. Federal Hwy.
Stuart, Florida 34994

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JANUARY

Monday, January 22, 1996 6:00 p.m. Marriott Marco Island Resort Salons F & G 400 S. Collier Blvd. Marco Island, Florida 33937 Wednesday, January 24, 1996 6:00 p.m.
Citrus County Fairgrounds
Auditorium -- U.S. 41
3610 S. Florida Ave.
Inverness, Florida 34451

PURPOSE

The purpose of these public service hearings is to take customer testimony on the quality of service provided by Southern States Utilities, Inc., Customers of Southern States Utilities, Inc., and Orange-Osceola Utilities, Inc., may also be heard on any and all issues in the case relating to the proposed changes in rates and charges. All witnesses shall be subject to cross-examination at the conclusion of their testimony.

The hearings will begin as scheduled and will continue until all witnesses have been heard. If no witnesses are present, the service hearing may be adjourned. All persons desiring to present testimony are urged to appear at the beginning of each service hearing.

Any person requiring some accommodation at the service hearings 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 service hearing. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Florida Public Service Commission 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 of this proceeding by the provisions of Chapter 367, Florida Statutes. This proceeding will be governed by Chapter 367, Florida Statutes, in addition to Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-9, 25-22, and 25-30, Florida Administrative Code.

Sections 367.081, 367.0816, 367.101, and 367.171, Florida Statutes, and any other relevant sections of Chapter 367, Florida Statutes, are applicable to this proceeding, as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-9, 25-22 and 25-30, Florida Administrative Code.

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By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 29th day of August, 1995.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director Division of Records and Reporting

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