The Florida Public Service Commission announces a Hearing and Prehearing Conference to be held in the following docket, to which all interested persons and parties are invited to attend.

DOCKET NO. 981827-EC - Complaint and Petition by Lee County Electric Cooperative, Inc. for an Investigation of the Rate Structure of Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Hearing - 9:30 a.m., Tuesday, August 22, 2000; DATE AND TIME: Prehearing Conference - 9:30 a.m., Monday, August 7, 2000.

Commission Hearing Room 148, Betty Easley Conference PLACE: Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32301.

PURPOSE: The purpose of the Hearing is for the Commission to take final action in the above-referenced docket. The purpose of the Prehearing Conference is to: (1) simplify the issues; (2) identify the positions of the parties on the issues; (3) consider the possibility of obtaining admissions of fact and of documents which will avoid unnecessary proof; (4) identify exhibits; (5) establish an order of witnesses; and (6) consider such other matters as may aid in the disposition of the case.

Any person requiring some accommodation at the Hearing Prehearing Conference 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).

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