BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In	re:	Investigation into	the	effect)	DOCKET NO.	871206-PU	
		Federal Tax Reform)	ORDER NO.	20852	
)	ISSUED:	3-3-89	

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD BETTY EASLEY GERALD L. GUNTER JOHN T. HERNDON

ORDER GRANTING ADMINISTRATIVE AUTHORITY

BY THE COMMISSION:

Pursuant to Rule 25-14.003(4), Florida Administrative Code (the Rule), each utility must file a report no later than March 1, 1989, addressing the effect for 1988 of the Tax Reform Act of 1986. Last year, several companies requested extensions of the 1988 filing deadline in order to furnish them more time in which to prepare the report. Additional time was needed, according to those companies, because the data to be contained in the reports were being reviewed and analyzed to prepare surveillance, rate of return and annual reports. We granted the waivers requested by those companies and delegated administrative authority to our Staff to grant other conforming requests.

Several utilities have expressed an intent to request waivers of this year's filing deadline, and we delegate administrative authority to our Staff to grant waiver requests which conform to the following requirements. Such requests must be in writing, must seek no more than a sixty-day extension of the Rule's deadline and must be received on or before March 1, 1989.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that administrative authority is hereby delegated to our Staff to grant requests for waivers of Rule 25-14.003(4), Florida Administrative Code, that conform to the specifications contained in the body of this Order. It is further

ORDERED that this docket shall remain open for further proceedings.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this <u>3rd</u> day of <u>MARCH</u>, <u>1989</u>.

TRIBBLE, Director STEVE

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