

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

DOCKET NO: 060172-EU

IN RE: PROPOSED RULES GOVERNING PLACEMENT OF NEW ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES UNDERGROUND, AND CONVERSION OF EXISTING OVERHEAD DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES TO UNDERGROUND FACILITIES, TO ADDRESS EFFECTS OF EXTREME WEATHER EVENTS

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT

TO

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

ISSUED: March 23, 2006

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 120.54, Florida Statutes, that the Florida Public Service Commission staff has initiated the development of Rule 25-6.033, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Tariffs; Rule 25-6.034, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Standard of Construction; Rule 25-6.061, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Relocation of Poles; Rule 25-6.064, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Extension of Facilities and Installation of New or Upgraded Facilities; Contribution in Aid of Construction; Rule 25-6.074, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Applicability; Rule 25-6.075, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Definitions; Rule 25-6.076, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Rights of Way and Easements; Rule 25-6.077, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Installation of Underground Distribution Systems Within New Subdivisions; Rule 25-6.078, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Schedule of Charges; Rule 25-6.080, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Advances by Applicant; Rule 25-6.081, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Construction Practices; Rule 25-6.082, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Records and Reports; and Rule 25-6.115, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to Facility Charges for Providing Underground Facilities of Public Distribution Facilities Excluding New Residential Subdivisions.

The attached Notice of Proposed Rule Development will appear in the March 31, 2006, edition of the Florida Administrative Weekly. A rule development workshop will be held at the

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following time and place:

Florida Public Service Commission
9:30 a.m., April 17, 2006
Betty Easley Conference Center
Room 148, 4075 Esplanade Way
Tallahassee, Florida

One or more Commissioners may be in attendance at this staff rule development workshop.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this workshop because of a physical impairment should call the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services 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 using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at: 1-800-955-8771 (TDD).

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 23rd day of March, 2006.



BLANCA S. BAYO, Director
Division of the Commission Clerk
and Administrative Services

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RULE TITLE:	RULE NO.:
TARIFFS	25-6.033
STANDARD OF CONSTRUCTION	25-6.034
RELOCATION OF POLES	25-6.061
EXTENSION OF FACILITIES AND INSTALLATION OF NEW OR UPGRADED FACILITIES; CONTRIBUTION IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION	25-6.064
APPLICABILITY	25-6.074
DEFINITIONS	25-6.075
RIGHTS OF WAY AND EASEMENTS	25-6.076
INSTALLATION OF UNDERGROUND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS WITHIN NEW SUBDIVISIONS	25-6.077
SCHEDULE OF CHARGES	25-6.078
ADVANCES BY APPLICANT	25-6.080
CONSTRUCTION PRACTICES	25-6.081
RECORDS AND REPORTS	25-6.082
FACILITY CHARGES FOR PROVIDING UNDERGROUND FACILITIES OF PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES EXCLUDING NEW RESIDENTIAL SUBDIVISIONS	25-6.115

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To amend rules relating to the construction of new underground electrical transmission and distribution infrastructure, and amend rules relating to the conversion of existing overhead electrical infrastructure to underground facilities.

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SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Underground electrical transmission and distribution infrastructure rules including conversion of overhead electrical transmission and distribution infrastructure to underground facilities.

SPECIFIC AUTHORITY: 350.127(2); 366.04; 366.04(2)(f); 366.05; 366.05(1).

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.03; 366.04; 366.04(2)(f); 366.04(6); 366.041; 366.041(1)(4); 366.05; 366.05(1); 366.06; 366.06(1).

A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE TIME, DATE, AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE

DEVELOPMENT IS: Larry D. Harris, Associate General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0862, (850) 413-6076.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS NOT AVAILABLE.