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August 12, 2026

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VIA E-MAIL
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Re: Rule Certification Packet for Repeal of Rules 25-9.020, F.A.C., Front Cover; 25-9.060, F.A.C., Front Cover; and 25-9.071, F.A.C., Back Cover

Dear Ms. Leijon:

Enclosed for filing is a complete rule certification packet for repeal of Rules 25-9.020, F.A.C., Front Cover; 25-9.060, F.A.C., Front Cover; 25-9.071, F.A.C., and Back Cover; F.A.C., consisting of:

- (1) One copy of the signed rule certification form
- (2) One copy of the signed designation of minor violation rules certification form required by Rule 1-1.010, F.A.C.
- (3) One copy of the coded text of the rules, including the legal citations, and history notes
- (4) One copy of the summary of the rules
- (5) One copy of the detailed written statement of the facts and circumstances justifying the rules
- (6) One copy of the summary of the hearings held on the rules
- (7) One copy of the coded text of the rules in Word version

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Alexandra Leijon
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I am the contact person for these rules. My contact information is: Susan Sapoznikoff, Florida Public Service Commission, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850) 413-6630, susan.sapoznikoff@psc.state.fl.us.

Sincerely,

/s/ Susan Sapoznikoff

Susan Sapoznikoff
Special Counsel

Enclosures

cc: Office of the Commission Clerk (Docket No. 20260040-OT)

CERTIFICATION OF FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE

I hereby certify:

☒ (1) That all statutory rulemaking requirements of Chapter 120, F.S., and all rulemaking requirements of the Department of State have been complied with; and

☒ (2) That there is no administrative determination under Section 120.56(2), F.S., pending on any rule covered by this certification; and

☒ (3) All rules covered by this certification are filed within the prescribed time limitations of Section 120.54(3)(e), F.S. They are filed not less than 28 days after the notice required by Section 120.54(3)(a), F.S.; and

☒ (a) Are filed not more than 90 days after the notice; or

☐ (b) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but not more than 60 days after the administrative law judge files the final order with the clerk or until 60 days after subsequent judicial review is complete; or

☐ (c) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but not less than 21 days nor more than 45 days from the date of publication of the notice of change; or

☐ (d) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but not less than 14 nor more than 45 days after the adjournment of the final public hearing on the rule; or

☐ (e) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but within 21 days after the date of receipt of all material authorized to be submitted at the hearing; or

☐ (f) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but within 21 days after the date the transcript was received by this agency; or

☐ (g) Are filed not more than 90 days after the notice, not including days the adoption of the rule was postponed following notification from the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee that an objection to the rule was being considered; or

☐ (h) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but within 21 days after a good faith written proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative to a proposed rule is submitted which substantially accomplishes the objectives of the law being implemented; or

☐ (i) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but within 21 days after a regulatory alternative is offered by the ombudsman in the Executive Office of the Governor.

The rules are hereby adopted by the undersigned agency by and upon their filing with the Department of State.

Rule Nos.

25-9.020

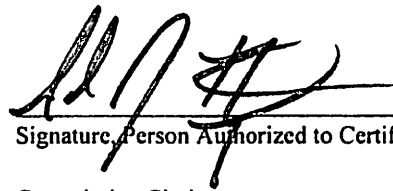
25-9.060

25-9.071

Under the provision of Section 120.54(3)(e)6., F.S., the repeal of the rules takes effect 20 days from the date filed with the Department of State or a later date as set out below:

Effective Date: _____

(month) (day) (year)



Signature, Person Authorized to Certify Rules

Commission Clerk

Title

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Number of Pages Certified

**DESIGNATION OF RULES THE VIOLATION OF WHICH IS A MINOR VIOLATION
CERTIFICATION**

Pursuant to Section 120.695(2)(c)3, Florida Statutes, I certify as agency head, as defined by section 20.05(1)(b), Florida Statutes, that:

☐ All rules covered by this certification are not rules the violation of which would be a minor violation pursuant to Section 120.695, F.S.

☒ The following parts of the rules covered by this certification have been designated as rules the violation of which would be a minor violation pursuant to Section 120.695, F.S.:

Rule Nos.

Rule 25-9.020

Rule 25-9.060

Rule 25-9.071

Rules covered by this certification:

Rule Nos.

Rule 25-9.020

Rule 25-9.060

Rule 25-9.071



Gabriella Passidomo Smith

Chairman, Florida Public Service Commission

Title

SUMMARY OF THE RULES

Rules 25-9.020, 25-9.060, and 25-9.071, F.A.C., are being repealed because they are unnecessary, repetitive of other rules, or serve no purpose other than to be an introduction to the other rules in that section.

WRITTEN STATEMENT OF THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES JUSTIFYING THE RULES

In 2025, the Legislature amended Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, to require each agency to review its rules over a five-year period. The following rules were identified in the Commission's rule review as part of the rules needing to be repealed:

- Rule 25-9.020, F.A.C., Front Cover
- Rule 25-9.060, F.A.C., Front Cover
- Rule 25-9.071, F.A.C., Back Cover

Rules 25-9.020, 25-9.060, and 25-9.071, are being repealed because they are unnecessary or repetitive of other rules.

SUMMARY OF ANY HEARINGS HELD ON THE RULES

No timely request for a hearing was received by the agency, and no hearing was held.

The following rule is hereby repealed:

25-9.020 Front Cover.

~~The front cover shall identify the volume as the rate book or tariff filed by the particular utility with the Florida Public Service Commission governing the sale of the specific utility service provided.~~

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 366.05(1), 367.121 FS. Law Implemented 366.05(1), 367.091 FS. History—New 1-8-75, Formerly 25-9.20. Repealed.

25-9.020 Front Cover.

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 366.05(1), 367.121 FS. Law Implemented 366.05(1), 367.091 FS. History—New 1-8-75, Formerly 25-9.20. Repealed.

The following rule is hereby repealed:

25-9.060 Front Cover.

~~The front cover shall identify the volume as the rate book submitted by the particular utility with the Florida Public Service Commission governing the specific utility service provided.~~

Rulemaking Authority 366.05(1) FS. Law Implemented 366.04(2)(b) FS. History—New 8-9-79, Formerly 25-9.60.

Repealed.

25-9.060 Front Cover.

Rulemaking Authority 366.05(1) FS. Law Implemented 366.04(2)(b) FS. History—New 8-9-79, Formerly 25-9.60.

Repealed.

The following rule is hereby repealed:

25-9.071 Back Cover.

~~Will be the back cover.~~

Rulemaking Authority 366.05(1) FS. Law Implemented 366.04(2)(b) FS. History—New 8-9-79, Formerly 25-9.71.

Repealed.

25-9.071 Back Cover.

Rulemaking Authority 366.05(1) FS. Law Implemented 366.04(2)(b) FS. History—New 8-9-79, Formerly 25-9.71.

Repealed.



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August 12, 2026

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Dear Susan Sapoznikoff:

Your adoption packet for Rules 25-9.020, .060, and .071, F.A.C. was received, electronically, by the Florida Department of State, Administrative Code and Register at 3:17 p.m. on August 12, 2026. After review, it appears that the packet meets statutory requirements and those of Rule 1-1.010, F.A.C. and is deemed filed for adoption at the time received, as indicated above. The effective date is September 1, 2026.

Sincerely,

Alexandra Leijon
Administrative Code and Register Director

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From: [Susan Sapoznikoff](#)
To: [RuleAdoptions](#)
Cc: [Janet Cayson](#)
Subject: Resubmitted Adoption Packet for Rules 25-9.020,25-9.060, and 25-9.071 , F.A.C.
Date: Wednesday, August 12, 2026 3:17:55 PM
Attachments: [! DOS Adoption Packet 25-9.pdf](#)
[7 - Rule 25-9.020.docx](#)
[7 - Rule 25-9.060.docx](#)
[7 - Rule 25-9.071.docx](#)

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The attachments/links in this message have been scanned by Proofpoint.

Good afternoon:

I have attached the rule certification packet for Rules 25-9.020, 25-9.060, and 25-9.071 , F.A.C. The PDF attachment contains the entire packet. The Word documents contain the coded text of the rules.

I await your email confirming receipt.

With best regards,

Suzie

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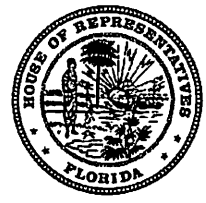
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THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE
**JOINT ADMINISTRATIVE
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CERTIFICATION

Department: Public Service Commission
Agency:
Rule No(s): 25-9.020, .060, .071
File Control No: 204942

As required by subparagraph 120.54(3)(e)4 F.S., the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee hereby certifies that:

- ☒ There were no material and timely written comments or written inquiries made on behalf of the committee regarding the above listed rule; or
- ☐ The adopting agency has responded in writing to all material and timely written comments or written inquiries made on behalf of the committee regarding the above listed rules; or
- ☐ The adopting agency has not responded in writing to all material and timely written comments or written inquiries made on behalf of the Committee regarding the above listed rules.

Certification Date: 8/12/2026

This certification expires after: 8/19/2026

Certifying Attorney: Jamie Jackson

NOTE:

- ☐ The above certified rules include materials incorporated by reference.
- ☒ The above certified rules do not include materials incorporated by reference.