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CITY OF Beach City, TEXAS

To the Honorable City Council of the City of Beach City:

I submit and introduce to you the ordinance set out below with the request that it be passed finally on the date of its introduction. There exists a public emergency requiring such action and I accordingly request that you pass the same if it meets with your approval.

Date: April 29, 19 86 Mayor of the City of \_\_\_\_\_  
Beach City, Texas

City of Beach City Ordinance No. 86-2

AN ORDINANCE SUSPENDING THE OPERATION OF THE PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF RATES FOR ELECTRIC UTILITY SERVICE FILED BY HOUSTON LIGHTING & POWER COMPANY; CONTAINING FINDINGS AND OTHER PROVISIONS RELATED TO THE SUBJECT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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WHEREAS, on March 18, 1986, Houston Lighting & Power Company, (the "Company") filed with the City a proposed schedule of rates for electric utility service within the City's limits to be effective as of April 23, 1986; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to have sufficient time to evaluate the merits of such proposed schedule of rates prior to its taking effect; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF Beach City:

Section 1. Pursuant to the provisions of the TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN. art. 1446c § 43(d) (Vernon Supp. 1985), the City Council does hereby suspend the operation of the Company's proposed schedule of rates for a period of time ending on July 22, 1986 (the 90th day following the proposed effective date of such schedule), but such suspension shall not take effect until a copy of this ordinance is delivered to the Company, as provided below.

Section 2. The Mayor is hereby authorized to deliver a true and certified copy of this ordinance to the Company at once. Such copy shall constitute a statement of the reasons for suspending the Company's rates and shall also constitute notice of such suspension.


Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict only.

Section 4. If any provision, section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance, or the application of same to any person or set of circumstances is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, void or invalid, the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance or their application to other persons or sets of circumstances shall not be affected thereby, it being the intent of the City Council in adopting this ordinance that no portion hereof or provision or regulation contained herein shall become inoperative or fail by reason of any unconstitutionality, voidness or invalidity of any other portion hereof, and all provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable for this purpose.

Section 5. There exists a public emergency requiring that this ordinance be passed finally on the date of its introduction, and the Mayor having in writing declared the existence of such emergency and requested such passage, this ordinance shall be passed finally on the date of its introduction, this 29th day of April, 1986, and shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED this 29th day of April, A.D. 1986.

APPROVED this 29th day of April, A.D. 1986.

  
 Mayor of the City of Beach City, Texas

