

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for approval of voluntary solar partnership pilot program and tariff, by Florida Power & Light Company.

DOCKET NO. 140070-EI
ORDER NO. PSC-14-0253-PCO-EI
ISSUED: May 22, 2014

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

ART GRAHAM, Chairman
LISA POLAK EDGAR
RONALD A. BRISÉ
EDUARDO E. BALBIS
JULIE I. BROWN

ORDER SUSPENDING TARIFF

BY THE COMMISSION:

On April 2, 2014, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) filed a petition requesting our approval of a new three-year voluntary solar partnership (VSP) pilot program and its associated VSP experimental rider tariff. The new program would offer all FPL customers an opportunity to participate voluntarily in a program designed to contribute to the construction and operation of solar (photovoltaic) generation facilities located in communities throughout FPL's service territory. The renewable energy generated from these solar facilities would help provide power to all FPL customers and displace energy that would otherwise be produced from non-renewable fossil fuels. We have jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Sections 366.05, 366.06, and 366.075, Florida Statutes (F.S.).

Section 366.06(3), F.S., provides that we may withhold consent to the operation of all or any portion of a new rate schedule, delivering to the utility requesting the new rate schedule a reason or written statement of good cause for doing so within 60 days. Our staff requires additional time to review the petition and gather all pertinent information in order to present us with an informed recommendation on the tariff proposal. We believe that this reason is good cause to suspend the tariff consistent with the requirement of Section 366.06(3), F.S.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that that Florida Power & Light Company's proposed VSP pilot program and its associated VSP experimental rider tariff are suspended pending further review. It is further

ORDERED that this docket shall remain open pending our decision on the proposed tariffs.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 22nd day of May, 2014.



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The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code; or (2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.