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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

In re: Review of Florida Power Corporation's earnings, including effects of proposed

acquisition of Florida Power Corporation by Carolina Power & Light

Docket No: 000824-EI

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Florida Power Corporation ("FPC" or the "Company") is filing herewith are the original and fifteen (15) copies each of:

- Florida Power Corporation's Response to Citizens' Eighth Set of Request for Production of Documents to FPC; and
 - Florida Power Corporation's Motion for Temporary Protective Order. (5928-0) 2.

We request you acknowledge receipt and filing of the above by stamping the additional copy of this letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided.

If you or your Staff have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (727) 821-7000.

Very truly yours,

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