BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Review of Florida Power Corporation's Earnings, Including Effects of Proposed Acquisition of Florida Power Corporation by Carolina Power & Light

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COMMISSION

FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION'S OBJECTIONS TO THE FLORIDA INDUSTRIAL POWER USERS GROUP'S SECOND REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS TO FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION

Pursuant to § 350.0611(1), Fla. Stat. (2000), Fla. Admin. Code R. 28-106.206, and Fla. R. Civ. P.1.350, Florida Power Corporation ("FPC") objects to The Florida Industrial Power Users Group's ("FIPUG") Second Request for Production of documents and states as follows:

GENERAL OBJECTIONS

FPC objects to any request that calls for the production of documents protected by the attorney-client privilege, the work product doctrine, the accountant-client privilege, the trade secret privilege, or any other applicable privilege or protection afforded by law, whether such privilege or protection appears at the time the response is first made to these requests or is later determined to be applicable based on the discovery of documents, investigation or analysis. FPC in no way intends to waive any such privilege or protection.

In certain circumstances, FPC may determine upon investigation and analysis that documents that respond to certain requests to which objections are not otherwise asserted are confidential and proprietary and should be produced only under an appropriate confidentiality agreement and protective order, if at all. By agreeing to produce documents in response to this request, FPC is not

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waiving its right to insist upon appropriate protection of confidentiality by means of a confidentiality agreement and protective order. FPC hereby asserts its right to require such protection of any and all documents that may qualify for protection under the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure and other applicable statutes, rules and legal principles.

FPC objects to these definitions and instructions to the extent they purport to require FPC to provide documents or other information on diskette. FPC will entertain specific requests to produce electronic copies of documents that so exist in the normal course of business in a format designed to preserve the integrity of those documents.

FPC objects to those requests to the extent they purport to require FPC to prepare information or documents or perform calculations that FPC has not prepared or performed in the normal course of business as an attempt to expand FPC's obligations under applicable law. FPC will comply with applicable law.

FPC further objects to these requests and any definitions or instructions that purport to expand FPC's obligations under applicable law. FPC will comply with applicable law.

FPC objects to any request that requires the production of "all" or "each" as it cannot give assurances, even after a good faith and reasonably diligent attempt, that "all" or "each" responsive document will be found. Indeed, it may well be impossible to assure compliance with the exercise of reasonable diligence.

FPC incorporates by reference all of the foregoing general objections into each of its specific objections set forth below as though pleaded therein.

DOCUMENTS REQUESTED

- 33. Referring to Schedule A-5, page 3 of 5, provide detailed calculations and workpapers supporting the development of each of the proposed interruptible service demand and energy charges.
- 34. Provide all supporting workpapers for the calculation of the break-even point, in terms of hours of operation, between the installation of incremental peaking vs. baseload generation capacity on the Company's system, based on the Company's forecast of capital and operating costs for such units.
- 35. Provide workpapers supporting the Company's allocation of credits associated with non-firm service in its proposed cost of service study.

Respectfully submitted,

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of foregoing has been furnished via hand delivery

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