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## Hublic Service Commission

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**DATE:** September 15, 2004

**TO:** All Parties of Record & Interested Persons

**FROM:** Jennifer S. Brubaker, Senior Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

**RE:** Docket No. 040766-EI – Petition for Determination of Need for Expansion of an

Electrical Cogerneration Power Plant in Palm Beach County by Florida Power & Light Company and New Hope Power Partnership and Docket No. 040767-EI - Petition for Approval of as Available Energy Purchase Agreement Between Florida

Power & Light Company and New Hope Power Partnership

Please note that an informal meeting has been scheduled for the following time and place:

Monday, September 20, 2004 – 10:00 a.m. Gerald L. Gunter Building, Room 154 Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss issues in these dockets. Attendance is not required. However, all interested persons are encouraged to attend. A list of proposed issues which will be discussed is attached.

If you have any questions about the meeting, please call Jennifer Brubaker at (850) 413-6228.

JSB/mrd Attachment

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- ISSUE 1: Is there a need for the proposed New Hope Project, taking into account the need for electric system reliability and integrity, as this criterion is used in Section 403.519, Florida Statutes?
- ISSUE 2: Is there a need for the proposed New Hope Project, taking into account the need for adequate electricity as a reasonable cost, as this criterion is used in Section 403.519, Florida Statutes?
- ISSUE 3: Is the proposed New Hope Project the most cost-effective alternative available, as this criterion is used in Section 403.519, Florida Statutes?
- ISSUE 4: Are there any conservation measures reasonably available to Florida Power & Light which might mitigate the need for the proposed new Hope Project?
- ISSUE 5: Should the Agreement For The Purchase Of As-Available Energy From New Hope Partnership By Florida Power And Light Company, filed on July 21, 2004, be approved?
- ISSUE 6: Should this docket be closed?