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Re: Docket No. 080001-EI

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Florida Public Utilities Company are an original and 15 copies of the following documents in the above referenced docket:

- 1. Petition for Approval of Florida Public Utilities Company's Fuel Adjustment and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Factor;
2. Schedules E1, E1-A, E2, E7, and E10 for the Marianna Division and Schedules E1, E1-A, E2, E7, E8, and E10 for the Fernandina Beach Division;
3. Direct Testimony of Curtis Young; and
4. Request for Confidential Classification;

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Sincerely,
Norman H. Horton, Jr.

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cc: Mr. Curtis Young
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost)
Recovery Clause and Generating)
Performance Incentive Factor)
_____)

Docket No. 080001-EI
Filed: September 8, 2008

**PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF FLORIDA
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY'S FUEL ADJUSTMENT AND
PURCHASED POWER COST RECOVERY FACTOR**

Florida Public Utilities Company ("the Company" or "FPUC"), through its undersigned attorneys and pursuant to the requirements of this docket, hereby petitions the Commission for approval of the Company's fuel adjustment and purchased power cost recovery factors for the period January, 2009 through December, 2009. In support hereof, the Company states:

- 1) The exact name of Petitioner and the address of its principal office is

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- 2) The names and addresses of the persons authorized to receive notices and communications with respect to this Petition:

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- 3) Pursuant to the requirements of this Docket, the Company has prefiled the fuel adjustment and purchased power cost recovery forms wherein the Company has calculated the appropriate fuel adjustment factor to be approved for the Company for its Northwest (Marianna) and Northeast (Fernandina Beach) divisions.

4) Accompanying this Petition are schedules and testimony reflecting and supporting factors for each division. The final remaining fuel and purchased power adjustment true-up amounts for the period January 2007 through December 2007 are an overrecovery of \$442,219 for the Marianna Division and an overrecovery of \$949,245 for the Fernandina Beach Division.

5) The testimony and exhibits also demonstrate that based upon actual data for January 2008 through June 2008 and projected data for July 2008 through December 2008, the estimated fuel and purchased power adjustment true-up amounts for the period January 2008 through December 2008 are an underrecovery of \$629,876 for the Marianna Division and an underrecovery of \$1,405,110 for the Fernandina Beach Division.

6) The testimony and exhibits also reflect projected fuel cost recovery amounts for the period January 2009 through December 2009 for both divisions. With these projections and the total true-up amounts to be collected of \$187,657 for the Marianna Division and \$455,865 for the Fernandina Beach Division, the appropriate levelized fuel adjustment and purchased power cost recovery factors for the period January 2009 through December 2009, adjusted for line loss multipliers and including taxes are as follows:

MARIANNA

<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>
RS	\$.10541
GS	\$.10412
GSD	\$.09971
GSLD	\$.09562
OL, OL1	\$.08264
SL1, SL2 and SL3	\$.08325
Step rate for RS	
RS with less than 1,000 kWh/month	\$.10239
RS with more than 1,000 kWh/month	\$.11239

FERNANDINA BEACH

<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>
RS	\$.08826
GS	\$.08662
GSD	\$.08308
GSLD	\$.08363
OL	\$.06700
SL	\$.06702
Step rate for RS	
RS with less than 1,000 kWh/month	\$.08558
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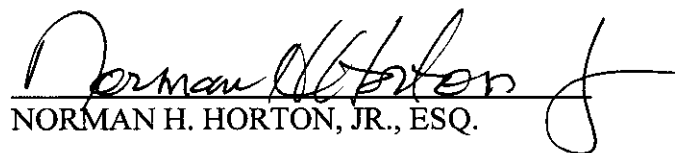
7) The total fuel adjustment factor for Marianna is 6.557¢ per kWh and for Fernandina Beach is 6.280¢ per kWh for “other classes.” A customer in Marianna using 1,000 kWh will pay \$138.09 while a customer in Fernandina Beach will pay \$120.85.

8) The fuel adjustment factors, represent properly calculated factors comprised of appropriate components and should be approved.

WHEREFORE, Florida Public Utilities Company petitions the Commission to approve the fuel adjustment and purchased power cost recovery factors and step-billing as submitted.

DATED this 8th day of September, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,
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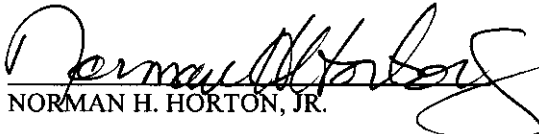
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