

BEFORE THE STATE OF FLORIDA
FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION (FL PSC)

BETH M. GORDON,
ARLENE BELL AND FREDDIE BELL,
MIAN J. MATVEJS, and GERTRUDE C.
DICKINSON

DOC. 06488-13, 10/28/2013, PAA
ORDER PSC-13-0505-PAA-EI
ON FPL'S PROPOSED
SABAL TRAIL TRANSMISSION, LLC

Petitioners/ Interested Parties,

v.

SABAL TRAIL TRANSMISSION, LLC and
FLORIDA POWER AND LIGHT,

Respondents.

MOTION TO FILE PETITIONERS' RESPONSE TO FP&L'S MOTION TO DISMISS OUT
OF TIME, NUNC PRO TUNC

Comes now the Petitioners, and file this Motion to File their Response to FP&L'S

Motion to Dismiss Out of Time, Nunc Pro Tunc, and state as follows:

1. The undersigned counsel has filed a response out of time to FP&L's Motion to Dismiss on December 5th, 2013. The undersigned failed to properly diary the administrative response date to the Motion to Dismiss.
2. There would be no prejudice to the Respondents by the late (approximately one week) filing of the response. However, Petitioners would be greatly prejudiced should the response not be considered, as the definition of "substantial interest" does not only mean customers of FP&L. The Landowners and farmers who have filed as Petitioners have real

and substantial interests, namely *safety* and environmental concerns, issues which this Commission is- by its own description- empowered to review.

3. The undersigned counsel called and left a telephone message with Respondents' counsel's office (Maria Moncada, Esq.) on December 5th, 2013, but has been unable to get in contact with them to obtain agreement for this motion.

I hereby certify that the foregoing response was filed via the Commission's web portal, this 6th day of December, 2013, to the following addressee: The FL PSC, or FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION at Office of the Commission Clerk, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850;

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