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Re: Docket 160021-EI, 160061-EI, 160062-EI and 160088-EI

Dear Ms. Stafford,

To correct an inadvertent error related to Exhibit JRW-1 attached to the pre-filed testimony of Dr. J. Randal Woolridge, filed on July 7, 2016, please substitute the following pages in his testimony and exhibits with the attached replacement pages:

Table of Contents and List of Exhibits Page 4 of his testimony Exhibit JRW-1 (Revised)

The corrected replacement pages have been provided to all the parties. If you have any questions, please contact me.

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ELS:bsr CC: All Parties of Record (via email)

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY DOCKET NO. 160021-EI, et al (consolidated)

Direct Testimony of Dr. J. Randall Woolridge

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1 of 11.0% for FPL. recommended equity rate а common cost 2 WHAT YOUR REGARDING 3 Q. ARE **RECOMMENDATIONS** THE 4 **APPROPRIATE RATE OF RETURN FOR FPL?**

A. My recommended ROE for the Company is 8.75%, as shown on JRW-1 (Revised).
This equity cost rate is based on OPC witness Kevin O'Donnell's capital structure.
This figure is at the upper end of my equity cost rate range of 7.90% to 8.85%. If the
Commission were to adopt the Company's recommended capital structure with a
59.60% common equity ratio, a ROE below 8.75% would be appropriate.

10 To estimate an equity cost rate for the Company, I have applied the Discounted 11 Cash Flow Model ("DCF") and the Capital Asset Pricing Model ("CAPM") to my 12 proxy group of electric utilities ("Electric Proxy Group"). I have also used Mr. 13 Hevert's proxy group ("Hevert Proxy Group") for purposes of comparison to my 14 Electric Proxy Group analysis. Mr. Hevert has also employed an alternative risk 15 premium ("RP") approach, which he calls the Bond Yield Plus Risk Premium 16 approach. I have reviewed the Company's proposed capital structure and overall cost of capital. FPL's proposed capitalization has much more equity and much less financial 17 risk than the average current capitalizations of electric utility companies. OPC witness 18 19 O'Donnell presents OPC's capital structure position, which includes a capital structure 20 with a common equity ratio of 50.00%.

(Revised)

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Exhibit JRW-1

Florida Power & Light Company Recommended ROE

	Capitalization	Cost
Capital Source	Ratio	Rate
Long-Term Debt	50.00%	
Common Equity	50.00%	8.75%
Total	100.00%	