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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by Florida Power & Light Company

Docket No. 20210015-EI

for Base Rate Increase and Rate Unification

Filed: January 30, 2021

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY'S FIRST REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION OF CERTAIN INFORMATION PROVIDED IN ITS RESPONSES TO FAIR'S FIRST REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS NOS. 4, 5 and 8

Pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Florida Power & Light Company ("FPL") hereby submits its First Request for Extension of Confidential Classification of certain information provided in its responses to Floridians Against Increased Rates' ("FAIR") First Request for Production of Documents No. 4, 5 and 8 (the "Confidential Information"). In support of its Request, FPL states as follows:

- 1. On June 14, 2021 FPL filed a Request for Confidential Classification of the Confidential Information, which included Exhibits A, B, C and D ("June 14, 2021 Request"). Document No. 04831-2021. By Order No. PSC-2021-0280-CFO-EI, dated July 29, 2021 ("Order No. 0280"), the Commission granted FPL's June 14, 2021 Request. FPL adopts and incorporates by reference the June 14, 2021 Request and Order No. 0280.
- 2. The period of confidential treatment granted by Order 0280 will soon expire. The Confidential Discovery Responses that were the subject of FPL's June 14, 2021 Request and Order 0280 warrant continued treatment as proprietary and confidential business information within the meaning of Section 366.093(3). Accordingly, FPL hereby submits its First Request for Extension of Confidential Classification.
- 3. All of the information designated in Exhibits A and B to the June 14, 2021 Request remain confidential. Accordingly, those exhibits will not be reproduced or reattached here. Regarding First Revised Exhibit C, all of the information listed in the June 14, 2021 Request

remains confidential; the Exhibit is revised only to identify Scott Bores as a new declarant who is supporting the documents that were previously supported by Robert E. Barrett.

- 4. Also included is First Revised Exhibit D, which is the declaration of Scott Bores in support of this Request.
- 5. The Confidential Information is intended to be and has been treated by FPL as private, its confidentiality has been maintained, and its disclosure would cause harm to FPL and its customers. Pursuant to Section 366.093, Fla. Stat., such materials are entitled to confidential treatment and are exempt from the disclosure provisions of the public records law. Thus, once the Commission determines that the information in question is proprietary confidential business information, the Commission is not required to engage in any further analysis or review such as weighing the harm of disclosure against the public interest in access to the information.
- 6. As described in the declaration included as Exhibit D, the Confidential Information consists of information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information. Specifically, some information is related to financial forecasts and projected interest rates. This information is protected by Section 366.093(3)(e), Fla. Stat.
- 7. Upon a finding by the Commission that the Confidential Information is proprietary confidential business information, the information should not be declassified for a period of at least eighteen (18) months and should be returned to FPL as soon as the information is no longer necessary for the Commission to conduct its business. *See*§ 399.093(4), Fla. Stat.

WHEREFORE, for the above and foregoing reasons, as more fully set forth in the supporting materials and declarations, FPL respectfully requests that its Request for Extension of Confidential Classification be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE 20210015-EI

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by electronic mail this <u>30th</u> day of January 2023 to the following parties:

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Docket No. 20210015-EI FIRST REVISED EXHIBIT "C"

FIRST REVISED EXHIBIT C

COMPANY: Florida Power & Light Company

TITLE: Petition by Florida Power & Light Company for Base Rate Increase and

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Bold denotes revision to reflect a new declarant

Int/POD No.	Description	No. of Pages	Conf. Y/N	Bates Nos.	Line / Column	Florida Statute 366.093(3) Subsectio n	Declarants
FAIR 1 st POD, No. 4	November 2020 Financial Forecast	19	Y	063131- 063149	All	(e)	Scott Bores
FAIR 1st POD, No. 5	November 2020 Financial Forecast	19	Y	063150- 063168	All	(e)	Scott Bores
FAIR 1st POD, No. 8	Forecasted Interest Rates	1	Y	063169	All	(e)	Scott Bores

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DECLARATION OF SCOTT BORES

- My name is Scott Bores. I am currently employed by Florida Power & Light Company ("FPL") as Vice President, Finance. I have personal knowledge of the matters stated in this declaration.
- 2. I have reviewed the documents referenced and incorporated in FPL's Request for First Extension of Confidential Classification, specifically the materials provided in response to Floridians Against Increased Rates, Inc.'s First Request for Production of Documents Nos. 4, 5, and 8. The documents or materials that I have reviewed and which are proprietary confidential business information contain information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information. Specifically, the information contains financial forecasts and projected interest rates. To the best of my knowledge, FPL has maintained the confidentiality of these documents and materials.
- 3. Nothing has occurred since the issuance of Order No. PSC-2021-0280-CFO-EI to render the designated information stale or pubic, such that continued confidential treatment would not be appropriate. Therefore, consistent with the provisions of the Florida Adminstrative Code, such materials should remain confidential for a period of at least an additional eighteen (18) months. In addition, they should be returned to FPL as soon as the information is no longer necessary for the Commission to conduct its business so that FPL can continue maintain the confidentiality of these documents.
- 4. Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing declaration and that the facts stated in it are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Scott Bores

Date: 01/30/2023