

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and purchased power cost recovery clause with generating performance incentive factor.

DOCKET NO. 050001-EI  
ORDER NO. PSC-05-0507-CFO-EI  
ISSUED: May 9, 2005

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(DOCUMENT NO. 03211-05)

On April 1, 2005, pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) filed a request for confidential classification of portions of Exhibits GJY-1 through GJY-6 to the prepared testimony of FPL witness Gerard J. Yupp, filed April 1, 2005. (Document No. 03211-05).

Section 366.093(1), Florida Statutes, provides that “any records received by the commission which are shown and found by the commission to be proprietary confidential business information shall be kept confidential and shall be exempt from [the Public Records Act].” Section 366.093(3), Florida Statutes, defines proprietary confidential business information as information that is intended to be and is treated by the company as private, in that disclosure of the information would cause harm to the company’s ratepayers or business operations, and has not been voluntarily disclosed to the public. Section 366.093(3), Florida Statutes, provides that proprietary confidential business information includes, but is not limited to “[i]nformation concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the public utility or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms” (subsection d), and “[i]nformation relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information” (subsection e).

FPL contends that portions of Exhibits GJY-1 through GJY-6 to the prepared testimony of Mr. Yupp fall within these categories and thus constitutes proprietary confidential business information entitled to protection under Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code. FPL states that this information is intended to be and is treated by FPL as private and has not been publicly disclosed.

FPL requests confidential classification for the information listed in the table below:

Document	Page No.	Description	LINE NO./ COL. NO.	FLORIDA STATUTE 366.093(3) Subsection:
GJY-1	1	2004 Totals - FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-11, Col C-F Line 12, Col C-E Line 14, Col C Line 15, Col C-D	(a), (d)

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GJY-1	2	2004 Totals - FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-11, Col C-F Line 12, Col C-E Line 15, Col C-D	(a), (d)
GJY-1	3	2004 Totals - Electricity	Lines 4-11, Col C-F Line 12, Col C-D Line 14, Col C-D	(a), (d)
GJY-1	4	January 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	5	January 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	6	January 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	7	February 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1		February 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	9	February 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
		Natural Gas Procurement		
GJY-1	11	March 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	12	March 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	13	April 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	14	April 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)

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GJY-1	15	April 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	16	May 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	17	May 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	18	May 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	19	June 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	20	June 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	21	June 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	22	July 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	23	July 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	24	July 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	25	August 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	26	August 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	27	August 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	28	September 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)

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GJY-1	29	September 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	30	September 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	31	October 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	32	October 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	33	October 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	34	November 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	35	November 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	36	November 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	37	December 2004 FPL Natural Gas Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	38	December 2004 FPL Heavy Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-1	39	December 2004 Electricity	Lines 4-12, Col C-F	(a), (d)
GJY-2	1	2004 Light Fuel Oil Procurement	Lines 2-11, Col B-J	(a), (d)
GJY-3	1	2004 Solid Fuel Activity	Lines 9-51, Col F-H	(a), (d)
GJY-4	1	Evaluation of Petcoke Supply Bids for 2004	Lines 2-20, Col A-P	(a), (d)

Document	Page No.	Description	LINE NO./ COL. NO.	FLORIDA STATUTE 366.093(3) Subsection:
GJY-5	1	Miller and Scherer Long Term PRB-RFP Feb-Mar 2004	Lines 8-42, Col B-P Lines 45-46, Col B-G	(a), (d)
GJY-6	1	Plant Scherer Long Term PRB RFP Aug-Sep 2004	Lines 6-23, Col B-P Lines 25-26, Col B-J	(a), (d)

FPL states that this information contains Fuel Hedging Information, which comprises trade secrets of FPL which allow it to purchase and sell fuel and electric power on favorable terms for FPL and its customers. FPL asserts that the disclosure of this information would provide other participants in the fuel and electric power markets insight into FPL’s marketing and trading practices that would allow them to anticipate FPL’s marketing and trading decisions and/or impair FPL’s ability to negotiate, to the detriment of FPL and its customers. FPL further asserts that the Fuel Hedging Information relates to bids and other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair FPL’s ability to contract for fuel and electric power on favorable terms.

Upon review, it appears that the above-referenced information, contained in Exhibits GJY-1 through GJY-6 to the prepared testimony of Mr. Yupp, satisfies the criteria set forth in Section 366.093(3), Florida Statutes, for classification as proprietary confidential business information and, thus, shall be treated as confidential. The information constitutes “[i]nformation concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the public utility or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms” and “[i]nformation relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information.” Thus, this information is granted confidential classification.

Pursuant to Section 366.093(4), Florida Statutes, the information for which confidential classification is granted herein shall remain protected from disclosure for a period of 18 months from the date of issuance of this order. At the conclusion of the 18 month period, the confidential information will no longer be exempt from Section 119.07(1), Florida Statutes, unless FPL or another affected person shows, and the Commission finds, that the records continue to contain proprietary confidential business information.


Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner Rudolph “Rudy” Bradley, as Prehearing Officer, that Florida Power & Light Company’s Request for Confidential Classification of Document No. 03211-05 is granted. It is further

ORDERED that the information in Document No. 03211-05 for which confidential classification has been granted shall remain protected from disclosure for a period of 18 months from the date of issuance of this order. It is further

ORDERED that this Order shall be the only notification by the Commission to the parties of the date of declassification of the materials discussed herein.

By ORDER of Commissioner Rudolph "Rudy" Bradley, as Prehearing Officer, this  
9th day of May, 2005



RUDOLPH "RUDY" BRADLEY  
Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code; or (2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.