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November 26, 1997

Ms. Diane E. Orloff, City Clerk
City of South Pasadena
7047 Sunset Drive, South
South Pasadena, Florida 33707-2819

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Dear Ms. Orloff:

This will acknowledge receipt of the City of South Pasadena's Resolution regarding Florida Power and Light's Manatee County Power Plant. The Resolution is being forwarded to our Division of Records and Reporting and will be included in our FP&L Orimulsion file.

Sincerely,

William D. Talbott
Executive Director

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cc: Division of Records and Reporting
Division of Legal Services
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November 17, 1997

William D. Talbott, Executive Director
Public Service Commission
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Dear Executive Director Talbott:

The City Commission at their November 12, 1997 Regular Commission Meeting passed a Resolution of the City of South Pasadena, urging the Florida Power Plant Siting Board to deny Florida Power and Light's request to convert the Manatee County Power Plant to Orimulsion. A copy of Resolution No. 97-43 is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Diane E. Orloff, CMC/AEE
City Clerk

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RESOLUTION NO. 97-43

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SOUTH PASADENA, FLORIDA, URGING THE FLORIDA POWER PLANT SITING BOARD TO DENY FLORIDA POWER AND LIGHT'S REQUEST TO CONVERT THE MANATEE COUNTY POWER PLANT TO ORIMULSION.

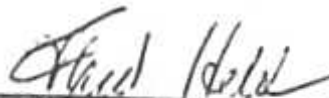
WHEREAS, the City of South Pasadena has been following the actions of the Governor and Cabinet sitting as the Siting Board and applauds your efforts to weigh all of the factors in considering Florida Power and Light's request to convert the Manatee Power Plant to orimulsion; and

WHEREAS, after considering all of the evidence which has been presented both for and against this conversion and having reviewed the order of the Siting Board to remand and request a supplemental recommended order on specific points, including potential impacts of a fuel spill on shallow areas of Tampa Bay; and

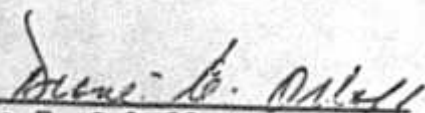
WHEREAS, the City of South Pasadena is almost completely surrounded by shallow waters of the Bay;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that although there are many precautions which can be taken to reduce the risk of a spill in the Bay, including the funding of the vessel traffic information system, the potential harm which even a small spill would cause to the Tampa Bay area including South Pasadena are so enormous that they outweigh any potential benefits the area would enjoy from the conversion of this plant. In particular, the impacts that a spill would have on the shallow areas of Tampa Bay during adverse weather conditions make any conceivable risk of this occurring, a risk which is considered unacceptable to the City of South Pasadena. The City of South Pasadena requests that the Governor and Cabinet enter an order denying the Florida Power and Light orimulsion conversion project.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 12th DAY OF November, 1997.


Fred Held, Mayor

ATTEST:


Diane E. Orloff, City Clerk

THIS RESOLUTION HAS BEEN APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CONTENT BY THE CITY ATTORNEY. 