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Ms. Blanca S. Bayó, Director
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RE: DOCKET NO. 980007-EI

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing please find an original and ten (10) copies of Florida Power & Light Company's Petition for Approval of Environmental Cost Recovery True-Up For Period Ending September 1997 in the above-referenced docket.

Also enclosed please find an original and ten (10) copies of the Testimony and Exhibits of K.M. Dubin.

Very truly yours,



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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Environmental Cost)
Recovery Clause)

DOCKET NO. 980007-EI
FILED: JANUARY 2, 1998

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF ENVIRONMENTAL
COST RECOVERY TRUE-UP FOR PERIOD
ENDING SEPTEMBER 1997

Florida Power & Light Company ("FPL") hereby Petitions this Commission for approval of FPL's final Environmental Cost Recovery true-up amount of \$20,629 overrecovery for the October 1996 - September 1997 period and an overrecovery of \$2,157,919 as the adjusted net true-up amount to be carried forward to the October 1998 through September 1999 period. In support of this Petition, FPL states as follows:

1. The final \$20,629 Environmental Cost Recovery overrecovery for the period October 1996 - September 1997, was calculated in accordance with the methodology set forth in Schedule A-2 for the Fuel Cost Recovery Clause, attached to Order 10093 dated June 19, 1981. This calculation and the supporting documentation are contained in the prepared testimony of FPL witness K. Dubin, which is being filed together with the Petition and incorporated herein.

2. The adjusted net true-up for the period of an overrecovery of \$2,517,919 is the difference between the actual true-up of \$20,629 overrecovery and the estimated/actual true-up of \$2,137,290 overrecovery approved by the Commission at the August 1997 hearing.

WHEREFORE, Florida Power & Light Company respectfully requests

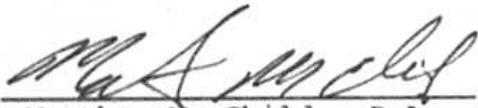
the Commission to approve the net \$20,629 environmental cost recovery overrecovery as the final true-up amount for the period ending September 1997, and an overrecovery of \$2,157,919 as the adjusted net true-up amount to be carried forward to the period beginning October 1998.

DATED this 2nd day of January, 1998.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
DOCKET NO. 980007-EI**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of Florida Power & Light Company's Petition for Approval of Environmental Cost Recovery True-Up for Period Ending September 1997 has been furnished by Hand Delivery (*), or U.S. Mail this 2nd day of January, 1998, to the following:

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