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October 5, 2000

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TO: CHAIRMAN DEASON

FROM: DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (ELIAS, ISAAC) *RUE*
DIVISION OF SAFETY AND ELECTRIC RELIABILITY (HARLOW, BOHRMANN, BREMAN) *9AH*
DIVISION OF ECONOMIC REGULATION (LESTER, STALLCUP) *PL*
DIVISION OF COMPETITIVE SERVICES (MAKIN) *ALM*

RE: REQUEST TO FILE LATE RECOMMENDATION FOR THE OCTOBER 17, 2000, AGENDA CONFERENCE FOR DOCKET NO. 000442-EI - PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF NEED FOR THE OSPREY ENERGY CENTER BY CALPINE CONSTRUCTION FINANCE COMPANY, L.P.

For the reasons discussed below staff requests permission to file its recommendation for the October 17, 2000, Agenda Conference, October 10, 2000.

Docket 000442-EI, is a need determination case that is scheduled for hearing on November 29, 30, and December 1, 2000. On September 21, 2000, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) and Florida Power Corporation (FPC) were granted intervention in this docket. On September 26, 2000, FPL filed an Emergency Motion to Hold this Matter in Abeyance. On October 3, 2000, Calpine filed a Response to FPL's Emergency Motion for Abeyance. The Prehearing Officer has directed staff to file a recommendation addressing this motion, as well as other pending issues, for consideration at the October 17, 2000, agenda conference. Therefore, staff requests permission to file the recommendation in Docket No. 000442-EI no later than Tuesday, October 10, 2000, by noon.

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cc: Mary Bane, Deputy Executive Director/Technical
William Talbott, Executive Director
Noreen Davis, Division of Legal Services

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*Chairman Deason
Due to the circumstances
staff can't get the recommendation
in on time. I support their
request from interests of time and
will hope you understand
Bill Talbott*

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