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RE: Docket No. 000518-EI
Revised Depreciation Rates For
Sanford Site

Dear Ms. Bayó:

FPL respectfully withdraws its request for approval of revised depreciation rates and capital recovery schedule for its Sanford Site which is currently pending in this docket.

FPL, by letter dated April 28, 2000, submitted its depreciation study for the Sanford Site with plant and reserve balances at December 31, 1999, and request that new depreciation rates and capital recovery schedule be effective.

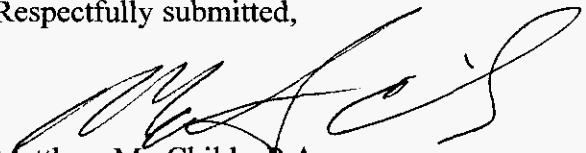
FPL at this time has determined that its request in this docket is not permitted at this time because the Stipulation and settlement approved in Docket No. 990067-EI by Commisison Order No. PSC-99-0519-AS-EI.

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Therefore, FPL withdraws its request with respect to the Sanford Site depreciation rates and capital recovery schedule.

Respectfully submitted,



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