

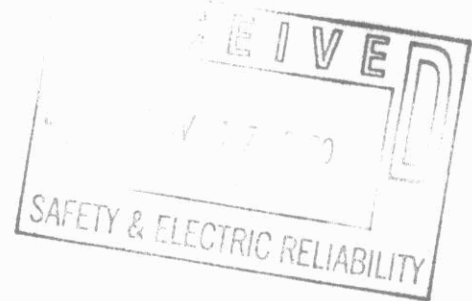
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November 14, 2000

Ms. Judy Harlow
Division of Safety and Electric Reliability
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0862



RE: Docket No. 001574-EQ; Rule No. 25-17.0832

Dear Ms. Harlow:

The Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County is a small power producer using biomass renewable fuel at a waste-to-energy facility. It is also a potential small power producer of electricity from landfill gas renewable energy sources.

We are requesting a rule development workshop regarding the proposed amendments to the above referenced rule. It is our concern that the proposed amendments may negatively impact ability to obtain full avoided costs under a standard offer contract for future planned qualifying facilities using biomass fuels.

A workshop would be of value to us in understanding the potential future impact of the proposed amendments.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Donald L. Lockhart

Donald L. Lockhart
Executive Director

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