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Re: Docket No. 010944-EI

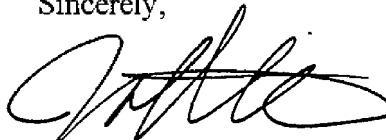
Dear Cochran:

This is to confirm our conversation yesterday concerning the filing date for Florida Power & Light Company's response to the South Florida Hospital and Healthcare Association's ("SFHHA") Complaint in the above docket.

The calendar for this docket on the Commission's website shows FPL's response as due today, July 26, which is twenty days after the Complaint was filed with the Commission. I explained to you that the SFHHA did not serve a copy of the Complaint on FPL and, accordingly, the twenty days for FPL to respond under the Uniform Rules of Procedure have not begun to run. Nonetheless, FPL has obtained a copy of the Complaint from Commission Clerk's files. Without waiving any of its rights, FPL has no objection to filing and serving its response to the Complaint by July 31, 2001, which would be the deadline if the SFHHA had mailed FPL a service copy of the Complaint on the day that it was filed. You agreed that filing FPL's response by July 31 will be acceptable to the Commission.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance on this matter.

Sincerely,



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cc: Ms. Blanca Bayó, Director of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services
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