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**BY HAND DELIVERY**

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Re: Docket No. 020004-GU

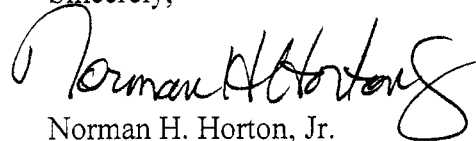
Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Florida Public Utilities Company are an original and 10 copies of Florida Public Utilities Company's Notice of Reaffirming Party Status in the above referenced docket.

Please acknowledge receipt of these documents by stamping the extra copy of this letter "filed" and returning the same to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



Norman H. Horton, Jr.

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. George Bachman  
Parties of Record

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**BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In re: Natural Gas Conservation Cost )  
Recovery Clause )  
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Docket No. 020004-GU  
Filed: January 3, 2002

**FLORIDA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY'S  
NOTICE OF REAFFIRMING PARTY STATUS**

Florida Public Utilities Company, through undersigned counsel, hereby gives notice of its intent to remain a party to this active and on-going docket. Please send copies of all notices, pleadings, correspondence, orders, staff recommendations, memoranda, and other documents in this docket to the following:

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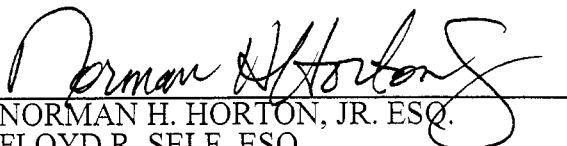
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DATED this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that true and correct copies of Florida Public Utilities Company's Notice of Reaffirming Party Status in Docket No. 020004-GU have been served by U. S. Mail this 3rd day of January, 2002 upon the following:

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