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In re: Review of Florida Power Corporation's earnings, including effects of proposed acquisition of Florida Power Corporation by Carolina Power & Light
Docket No: 000824-EI

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Florida Power Corporation ("FPC" or the "Company") is filing herewith the original and one (1) copy of Florida Power Corporation's Notice of Filing original corporate representative signature for FPC's response to Staff's ninth set of interrogatories.

We request you acknowledge receipt and filing of the above by stamping the additional copy of this letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope which I have provided.

If you or your Staff have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (727) 821-7000.

Very truly yours,

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Corporation's Earnings, Including Effects
of Proposed Acquisition of Florida Power
Corporation by Carolina Power & Light**

DOCKET NO. 000824-EI

Submitted for Filing:
January 17, 2002

FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION'S NOTICE OF FILING

Florida Power Corporation ("Florida Power") hereby gives notice of filing the original corporate representative signature for Florida Power Corporation's Response to Staff's Ninth Set of Interrogatories to Florida Power Corporation.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished to all counsel listed on the attached service list via U.S. Mail this 16th day of January, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,



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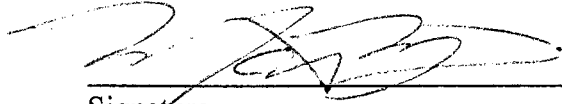
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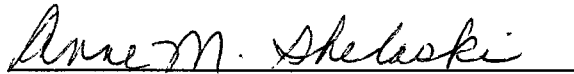
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, duly authorized to administer oaths, personally appeared MARK A. MYERS (to me well known) (who has produced _____ as identification), on behalf of Florida Power Corporation, as its VICE PRESIDENT, FINANCE and who, after first being duly sworn, deposes and says that he/she executed the above and foregoing. SWORN TO and subscribed before me this 14th day of JANUARY, 2002.


(Signature)

ANNE M. SHELOSKI
(Printed Name)

NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF FLORIDA

(Commission Expiration Date)

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Anne M. Sheloski
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