BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF HEARING AND PREHEARING CONFERENCE

TO

FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

GULF POWER COMPANY

TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY

RELIANT ENERGY POWER GENERATION, INC.

FLORIDA INDUSTRIAL POWER USERS GROUP

OFFICE OF PUBLIC COUNSEL

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

RE: DOCKET NO. 011605-EI

REVIEW OF INVESTOR-OWNED ELECTRIC UTILITIES'
RISK MANAGEMENT POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

ISSUED: July 22, 2002

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a hearing will be held before the Florida Public Service Commission in the above-referenced docket concerning investor-owned electric utilities risk management policies and procedures for fuel and purchased power procurement, at the following time and place:

9:30 a.m., Monday, August 12, 2002 Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida

Tuesday, August 13, 2002, has also been reserved for continuation of the hearing if needed. The starting time of the next day's session will be announced at the conclusion of the prior day. The hearing may be adjourned early if all testimony is concluded.

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PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE

The purpose of this hearing is to consider all issues established by order in the above-referenced docket and any motions or other matters that may be pending at the time of the hearing. The Commission may rule on any such motions from the bench or may take the matters under advisement.

At the hearing, all parties shall be given the opportunity to present testimony and other evidence on the issues established at the prehearing conference held on August 5, 2002. All witnesses shall be subject to cross-examination at the conclusion of their testimony.

PREHEARING CONFERENCE

A prehearing conference will be held before Commissioner Michael A. Palecki, as Prehearing Officer, regarding the above-referenced matter, at the following time and place:

1:30 p.m., Monday, August 5, 2002 Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida

PURPOSE

The purpose of this prehearing conference is: (1) to define and limit the number of issues; (2) to determine the parties' positions on the issues; (3) to determine what facts, if any, may be stipulated; (4) to dispose of any motions or other matters that may be pending; and (5) to consider any other matters that may aid in the disposition of this case.

JURISDICTION

This Commission is vested with jurisdiction over the subject matter by the provisions of Chapter 366, Florida Statutes. This hearing will be governed by said Chapter as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes and Chapters 25-6, 25-17, 25-22, and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

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APPLICABLE STATUTES AND RULES

Sections 366.04, 366.05, and 366.06, Florida Statutes, and any other relevant sections of Chapter 366, Florida Statutes, are applicable to this proceeding, as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Chapters 25-6, 25-17, 25-22, and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this prehearing and hearing, because of a physical impairment should call the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services at (850) 413-6770 at least 48 hours prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Florida Public Service Commission using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1 (800) 955-8771 (TDD).

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 22nd day of July, 2002.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services

By:

Kay Flynn, Chief

Bureau of Records and Hearing

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