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Re: Compliance Filing Concerning Proposal to Establish GridFlorida
As a Regional Transmission Organization; Docket No. 020233-EI

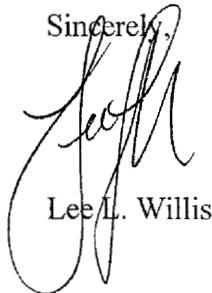
Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and fifteen copies of the GridFlorida Companies' Motion for Extension of Time.

Please acknowledge receipt and filing of the above by stamping the duplicate copy of this letter and returning the same to this writer.

Thank you for your assistance in connection with this matter.

Sincerely,



Lee L. Willis

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Enclosures

cc: All Parties of Record (w/encl.)

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5. The Applicants have contacted the parties with respect to their positions on this Motion. The positions of the parties are as follows:

No objection from the following:

Office of Public Counsel
Sugarmill Woods Civic Association
Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County
Florida Phosphate Council
Florida Industrial Cogeneration Association
Trans-Elect, Inc.
Lee County
City of Tallahassee
Lakeland Electric
Gainesville Regional Utilities/City of Gainesville
Kissimmee Utility Authority
Florida Industrial Powers Users Group
South Florida and Healthcare Association
Calpine Corporation
Mirant Americas Development, Inc.

The following parties state no position:

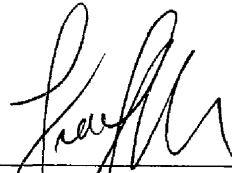
CPV Atlantic, Ltd.
PG&E National Energy Group Company

Seminole Electric Cooperative (“SEC”) and Florida Municipal Power Agency (“FMPA”) have noted that this Motion for Extension of Time should not be granted without suspending the entire procedural schedule for the filing of testimony. The Applicants have no objections to the deadline for filing Staff and Intervenor responsive testimony being extended from October 11, 2002 to October 16, 2002 and for the rebuttal to such testimony being extended from October 21, 2002 to October 25, 2002. FMPA has filed a Motion to Extend Time for filing Staff and Intervenor testimony to October 16, 2002. If that Motion is granted, the time for rebuttal to Staff and Intervenor testimony on Applicant’s petition and market design principles should be extended to October 25, 2002.

DATED this 10th day of October 2002.

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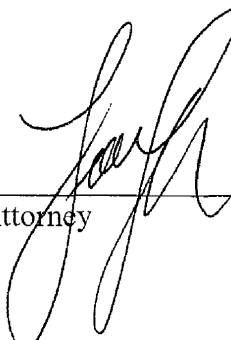
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